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Fearful Failure of Fifteen Physicians—Serious Surgical Operation Suggested.

For four years I have suffered from a complication of diseases which physicians said were dyspepsia, liver and kidney complaint, nervous prostration and womb disease. No words of mine can describe the terrible pains and distress I have experienced—the dizziness, trembling fears of evil, chills, fever, melancholy, restlessness and numerous other dreadful sensations which I am unable to describe. Have been treated by fifteen physicians, some of whom were sure they could cure me within two or three months, and all of whom have had from two months to three, four or more, as they said was needed. One I tried for a whole year until last May I found myself disappointed, discouraged and about ready to give up altogether, as, after treating me for a year my physician told me I would be obliged to undergo a surgical operation before I could commence to get better. Just at this time I was advised by friends to consult Dr. Starkweather of No. 105 Halsey street, Newark, as they knew of some very remarkable cures which he had performed.

I followed their advice and visited the doctor on May 5. How glad I am that I took this step no one can realize who has not been similiarly situated. The doctor gave me a complete history of my case, describing with surprising accuracy the conditions and symptoms which I had endured for years, but what gave me the greatest surprise and pleasure was when he assured me that there was no need of any surgical operation. Proper means, he said, would overcome my troubles without any surgery. I commenced at once to follow Dr. Starkweather's directions and treatment. Having gradually and steadily improved since that time, as he stated I would, until now I am the wonder of all my friends, while rejoicing in renewed health, strength and spirits. Am constrained by a sense of duty and gratitude to accord the praise due Dr. S. for his gentle, soothing and skillful treatment of my case, and advise all sufferers from whatever cause to consult this eminent physician. MRS. WM. R. MANSER.

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TARIFF VOTE TO-DAY

End of the Long Struggle in the House.

With the Solid Populists Support the Managers of the Measure Expect a Majority of About 50 in its Favor—Not More Than 25 Democrats Expected to Vote Against It.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The house spent a very lively day over amendments to the internal revenue bill, including the income tax. The greater part of the day was spent in discussing the distilled spirits schedule. An important amendment was also offered to the income feature by Mr. Springer, dem., Ill., and was agreed to, putting a tax of two per cent. on incomes derived from succession and from gifts, devises and inheritances of both real estate and personal property. The amendment putting the internal revenue bill on the tariff bill was then agreed to, and an attempt was made to amend the barley schedule of the bill in the way of raising the duties, but failed on account of the expiration of the time.

Mr. Springer stated that the adoption of his amendment would bring in a revenue of three or four million dollars a year, and the Gould estate would have paid in a revenue of $1,400,000 to the treasury had the amendment been in force at the time of Jay Gould's death.

Mr. McGuire, dem., Cal., offered an amendment of a very radical nature, striking out all the provisions of the bill relating to taxes of incomes, and in lieu thereof providing for a direct tax of $31,311,125 by apportionment among the states, and also for a direct tax on land values. The amendment was lost.

The vote by which the internal revenue bill was agreed to as an amendment to the tariff bill was 175 to 56. Among the republicans who voted in favor of the amendment were Messrs. White, O.; Bowers, Cal.; Taylor, Tenn.; Barthold, Mo., and Bundy, O. The entire New York delegation voted solidly against it. Great cheering and applause greeted the result.

Mr Wilson, dem., W. Va., then offered an amendment to increase the tariff on barley from 20 per cent. to 25 per cent. and on barley malt from 30 per cent. to 35 per cent. The filibustering which was started late last Saturday afternoon on the same question was then renewed, and the opponents of a higher duty on barley were able to filibuster away the ten or fifteen minutes which remained before the recess. Mr. Wilson finally moved that debate be closed, and a vote was finally taken on this last motion, but, although the republicans and some of the democrats rushed to get between the tellers, the hour of 5:30 arrived before a quorum had voted, the house went into recess, and the barley schedule again went over.

By the terms of the order under which the debat on the tariff and income tax bill has been conducted, the house will meet at 11 o'clock to-day, and if there be time intervening between the conclusion of the morning business and 12 o'clock, there may be further consideration under the five-minute rule until that hour. Then the bill and all pending amendments must be reported to the house and the previous question thereon shall be considered as ordered. Ex-Speaker Reed will have one hour and a half in which to sum up and present the objections of the republican minority to the bill. Speaker Crisp will follow in an hour's speech in support of the bill, and Chairman Wilson will close the debate, having half an hour for that purpose. If no unexpected delay occurs the house will proceed to vote on the amendments and the passage of the bill about 4 o'clock. A motion to recommit the bill will be in order, but not a motion to strike out the enacting clauses, and thus kill the bill. One motion to adjourn will also be in order. It is the expectation of the managers of the bill that the vote on its passage will be reached before 6 o'clock, and with the solid populist vote they estimate a majority of about 50 in its favor. Not to exceed 25 democratic votes are expected against the bill.

Senate.

The resolution offered some days since by Mr. Stewart, rep., Nev., denying the legal authority of the secretary of the treasury to issue bonds occupied the attention of the senate for the whole of the day, the principal speeches being made by Mr. Allen, pop., Nev.; Mr. Hoar, rep., Mass.; Mr. Gorman, dem., Md., and the chairman of the finance committee, Mr. Voorhees, dem., Ind. Various other senators took part in the debate. Mr. Allen argued that the power to issue bonds under the resumption act was not, as Mr. Sherman had claimed Tuesday, a continuous one, but that it ceased when the redemption of the greenbacks was completed under that act. Mr. Hoar, ex-chairman of the judiciary committee, declared with much solemnity of manner, that the proposed bonds would be illegal and would convey no constitutional or lawful obligation. Mr. Gorman defended generally the democratic administration and party and discussed the question of responsibility for the deficit in the treasury, which he attributed to the revenue measures and extravagant appropriations of the republicans. Mr. Voorhees took a similar position and asserted that the secretary of the treasury could use the money obtained from the bonds in anyway that seemed to him proper and conducive to the general purpose of the resumption act of 1875. The whole day's debate was forcible and it attracted close attention.

Preparing for Hudson Ice Harvest.

KINGSTON, N. Y., Feb. 1.—The snow storm that visited the Hudson valley Monday night has done much to improve the ice prospects and if the present weather continues the work of harvesting will be under full headway next week at points north of this place.

Matched for a Finish Fight.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Feb. 1.—Danny Russell, of Bridgeport, and George Siddons, of New Orleans, have been matched for $500 a side for a finish fight March 1, to weigh in at 126 pounds. The contest will probably take place just outside of Connecticut.

Exempt From Military Duty.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The assistant attorney general of the postoffice department, in an opinion just rendered, holds that a letter carrier is exempt from military duty.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

HAS NOT DECIDED TO RETIRE.

Mr. Gladstone's Action to Be Dictated By His Health.

LONDON, Feb 1.—Mr. Gladstone has authorized Sir Algernon West, who is his companion in Biarritz, to send out the following:

"The statement that Mr. Gladstone has definitely decided, or decided at all, to resign is untrue. It is true, however, that for many months past his age and the condition of his sight and hearing have, in his judgment, made relief from public affairs desirable. Therefore his tenure of office has been at any moment liable to interruption from these causes, which are in their nature permanent. It remains exactly as it has been. He is ignorant of the course which events important to the nation may take even during the remainder of the present session of Parliament, and he has not said or done anything which could in any degree restrain his absolute freedom or that of his colleagues regarding the performance of the arduous duties now lying or likely to lie before them."

MAJESTIC THE WINNER.

Her Mails Reach London Several Hours Ahead of the New York's.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—The train carrying the mail matter from the steamer Majestic left Liverpool at 8:22 last evening and arrived at the Euston station, London at 12:55. But twenty-eight bags of the Majestic's mail were brought to London. They contained the matter for the continent and the south of England. The rest of the Majestic's mail was sorted in Liverpool and some of it was sent to the north of England and the midlands late last night. The rest will go out in the first delivery this morning.

The steamer New York arrived at Southampton at 1:10 o'clock this morning. Her mails did not reach London until after 6 o'clock. The New York encountered rough seas, fogs and gales throughout the whole voyage.

DANBURY'S STRIKE OFF.

The Unions Voted Last Night to Surrender to the Bosses.

DANBURY, Conn., Feb. 1.—The hatters' lock-out, which has been on in this city for ten weeks and has affected 4,000 hatters, has been declared off. The union hatters held a meeting last night, at which they decided to go back to work in the independent factories. They will apply for positions to-day. So many of the hatters have deserted the union since the independent shops opened last Thursday morning that the men had to take this action in order to hold their union together.

Prison-Keeper Jones Asked to Explain.

BOSTON, Feb. 1.—Governor Greenhalge has asked Frank W. Jones, the superintendent of prisons, to explain statements which have been made that he, Jones, has been running the contracts at the state prison in accordance with his own private business. No one has yet brought specific charges of wrong-doing against Mr. Jones, but it is insinuated that he is connected with the New England Shoe company operating in the state prison. Mr. Jones states that he has nothing to do with the company.

To Erect a Big Laboratory.

SARANAC LAKE, N. Y., Feb. 1.—A wealthy New York gentleman has written to Dr. Trudeau, the lung specialist, offering to erect on the site occupied by his residence, which was destroyed by fire about two months ago, a large laboratory for the study of pulmonary troubles. The offer has been accepted.

Speculating on Satolli's Successor.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 1.—An afternoon paper published an article yesterday stating that Monsignor O'Connell, of the American College at Rome, and not Archbishop Ireland, is to become papal delegate in America on the elevation of Mgr. Satolli.

Carlyle

Who called himself an "oatmeal epicure," "cultivated literature on a little oatmeal," what would the result have been had he known

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In Excess of the Amount to Be Sold.

Bids for an Aggregate of $58,000,000 Received Up to the Opening of Business This Morning and Other Offers Expected Before Noon, When the Time for the Bidding Expires.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—At the opening of business to-day the offers for bonds aggregated $55,000,000, five millions more than the amount Secretary Carlisle will sell. Telegrams were received from various parts of the country stating that additional offers would be sent in before noon, the time at which all bids will be closed. It is understood that most of the larger offers were at a figure slightly above the upset price of $117,223.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—President Stewart wired Secretary Carlisle last evening that the total subscription for the purchase of bonds was something in excess of $45,000,000. The friends of Secretary Carlisle feel very jubilant over the final result. Bids already received in Washington will more than make up the $50,000,000.

ROBBED SILVER VAULTS.

Downfall of an Aspiring Young Clerk of Uncle Sam.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—James Anderson, of Indiana, 18 years old, a messenger in the treasurer's office, treasury department, has been arrested for stealing money from the treasury silver vaults. He acknowledged his guilt, claiming that he took only $85 in all. The correct amount will be ascertained by counting the silver. Young Anderson was detailed some time ago to show visitors through the silver vaults, and this gave him the opportunity that led to his downfall.

Last fall Anderson was appointed a cadet, subject to examination, to the West Point military academy, from Indiana. A portion of his examination he passed and was yesterday granted leave of absence to complete his examination. It is understood that this leave of absence will be extended indefinitely, and that after being found guilty, will be ignominiously dismissed from the service of the United States.

Only Borrowed, Not Stolen.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 1.—A number of large statues were last night found missing from the lawns of several of West Haven's prominent citizens. A detective was put on the case and finally located them in rooms of Yale students. No arrests have been made. The Yale boys say they simply wished to borrow the articles to ornament their rooms during teas given to friends during promenade week, and that they would have returned them soon.

Mid-Winter Fair Prospects Bright.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—Managers of the Mid-winter fair are congratulating themselves on the excellent showing made by the receipts, which are largely in excess of disbursements. From present indications it is reasonably certain that the exposition will prove a great success financially as it is conceded to be artistically. Exhibits are pretty generally in place, and decorations are finished.

Coming Home for a Divorce.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 1.—E. C. Butler, secretary of the American legation, has left this city to institute divorce proceedings in Kansas City against his wife. Her friends say that when she left here six weeks ago she was wholly ignorant of any motive for the proceedings and that nobody here had ever heard of his intentions until after his recent visit to Cuautla, which caused so much gossip.

After the National Wheelmen's Meet.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Feb. 1.—At a meeting of wheelmen and others here last night $10,000 was pledged to entertain those participating in the national meet of the league of American wheelmen, if it can be secured for Asbury Park. The National assembly meets in Louisville, Feb. 19, when Asbury Park, with a big delegation, will present its claims.

Census Office Work Nearly Finished.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The work of the census office is rapidly drawing to a close and the force of the office is being gradually decreased. A large number of dismissals were made yesterday, and it is said that others will follow during this month. By the opening of spring not more than several hundred employes will remain in the bureau.

Denies Tillman's Authority.

DARLINGTON, S. C., Feb. 1.—Mayor Durgan has written a letter to Governor Tillman denying the latter's authority to request an assurance from the mayor or city council to obey the dispensary or any other law. This leaves no doubt as to where Darlington officials stand in the liquor war.

Striking Weavers Will Return.

PATERSON, N. J., Feb. 1.—The state board of arbitration has effected a settlement between Adams company, cotton good manufacturers, and the striking weavers. The firm agreed to take off 21 per cent. of the original reduction and the operatives decided to resume work next Monday.

More Delay for Prendergast.

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—Owing to the illness of Attorney Trude of the prosecution, and Attorney Wade, for the defense, the hearing of the motion for a new trial in the case of Patrick E. Prendergast, the murderer of Mayor Harrison, has been continued until February 14.

KILLED AT A CROSSING

A Sleighing Party Run Into By a Train.

Three Prominent High School Boys of Fall River, Brooks Borden, Chase Swift and Ray Thornton, the Victims—The Crossing Signal Out of Order at the Time of the Accident.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Feb. 1.—A shocking triple fatality occurred last evening on the Brownell street grade crossing of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad. A sleighing party, made up of 28 members of the sophomore class of the Durfee high school was returning from a two hours ride and was within half a mile of home. When the pole horses reached the track, Conductor Russell's Boston train hove in sight around a bend, running at a speed of 25 miles an hour. The driver jerked the reins and succeeded in getting within two feet of being out of danger.

The sleigh was an old fashioned affair, the seats running lengthwise.

Everett Durfee, a teacher in the school, in charge of the party, was sitting on a camp stool at the rear end, and on either side of him were Brooke Borden, 18 years old, son of Col. Spencer Borden, and Ray Thornton, 17 year old son of Charles D. Thornton, while Orson Swift, the 17 year old son of M. M. B. Swift, Esq., was sitting in the lap of Henry Hawkins.

When the party saw the rushing train, the members became terror stricken. Borden and Thornton jumped over the tailboard only to be struck by the locomotive. Swift was preparing to jump when he was struck. Borden was hurled 40 feet, his skull and body being crushed, and he was killed instantly. Ray Thornton was dragged along in the wheels for 100 yards, his head and right arm being severed from his body. Swift was hurled 20 feet and was breathing, but unconscious, when picked up. He was taken home in an ambulance, but died shortly after arriving there. Mr. Durfee jumped with Clark Chase, jr., when they saw the train and they escaped with slight bruises, the train passing between them and the sleigh.

Immediately after the accident the terror-stricken pupils jumped from their conveyance and the young ladies became frantic. The scene of the accident is only a block away from the Northern police station and all assistance was rendered as quickly as possible. The police learned that no blame is attached to John Fitzpatrick, the driver. Timothy Connelly, the crossing tender, was on duty. The arrangement by which he is notified of an approaching train was not working. When he saw the train the horses were on the track and he could not then put down the gates without emperilling everyone in the sleigh. Had another second intervened there would have been nothing more than a narrow escape. The injury done to the sleigh was the smashing out of the end about a foot square. The horses were going at a moderate gate and did not attempt to run. The members of the party who were uninjured were so terribly shocked that they would not again enter the conveyance, but walked along, crying, to their homes. The accident created a profound sensation in the city. The three boys were the brightest in their class and were favorites in the school. They were connected with the best families in the city. Brooks Borden is known all over the country as owner of finely bred and trained carrier pigeons.

Senator McPherson Denies a Rumor.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—In relation to the published statement that Senator McPherson had retired from the senate finance committee because of disagreement with Senator Voorhees, chairman of the committee, in respect of matters relating to the tariff, Mr. McPherson denies the report entirely, except that fearing that he might not be able to resume his duties in committee when the tariff bill reached the senate, he wrote to Senator Voorhees from Aiken, S. C., stating his condition and fears, and suggesting that he request some other senator to take his place.

Confirmed By the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The senate has confirmed the following nominations: Commodore John Grimes Walker to be a rear admiral in the navy; and the following postmasters:

New Hampshire—Frederick Ingalls, at Gorham.

New York—Andrew McTigue, at Far Rockaway; Nicholas Conzet, jr., at College Point; Charles T. Alverson, at Depositt.

New Jersey—Frank G. Tower, at Bloomfield; James Fischer, at Hackettstown.

Suddenly Returns and Surrenders.

RAHWAY, N. J., Feb. 1.—George H. Simpson, the young man who for four years was assistant bookkeeper at the Union County bank, and who on Jan. 5 picked up four $250 packages of $5 notes and left for parts unknown, walked into police headquarters yesterday and surrendered himself. Since Simpson left here he has been visiting points in the south, taking in the Corbett-Mitchell fight. About $50 was found in his possession.

Blown Down Stairs and Killed.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Mrs. Yette Falkowska met death in a singular manner last evening. She was ascending to the roof of the house to attend to clothing she had hung on lines, and on opening the door at the head of the stairway leading to the roof, a sudden gust of wind struck her and blew her down the stairs to the floor below. She sustained a fracture of the skull and died in a few hours.

Does Not Believe the Report.

BOSTON, Feb. 1.—The Hon. Edward Blake, M. P., the eminent home ruler, said this morning that he doubted the truth of the rumor that Mr. Gladstone was to resign the premiership of the British empire. He believes that it is an invention of the enemy and says that the reasons given are utterly insufficient and not plausible.

Bank President Under Arrest.

ST. MARYS, Pa., Feb. 1.—Daniel C. Oyster, the president of the defunct Ridgway bank, is under arrest on 14 different warrants charging embezzlement. He was brought before Justice McKean of this place and, waiving a hearing, was admitted to bail in the sum of $10,000.

NEWARK NABS THEM

Daring Swindlers Come to Grief at Last.

Said to Be a Well-organized Gang Who Have Been Operating on a Large Scale in a Number of Cities—Three Arrests Made and Others Promised—Their Plan.

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 1.—Through the shrewdness of J. C. Courter, a dealer in chemicals, of this city, the operations of a gang of supposed swindlers have come to an end and three of the alleged sharpers have been placed behind the bars. More arrests are expected, as the names of the other members of the combination are known.

The prisoners, the police say, are New Yorkers. They have been negotiating with Mr. Courter and other Newark business men for several days, and their various schemes are said to have involved hundreds of thousands of dollars. One dicker alone, Superintendent Brown says, involves $300,000.

The prisoners gave their names as J. W. Williams, A. Mandel and George Crosby. The two last named are put down as "spokers" and Williams as a tobacconist, with New York as his address, that of his companions as Brooklyn. Crosby was recognized as a former conductor on the Pennsylvania railroad, and Williams' real name is said to be Albert Miller, formerly of Roseville.

The utmost secrecy is maintained by everyone connected with the affair.

The United Press reporter succeeded, however, in getting the full facts of the case from Mr. Jepson, manager of Dun's Mercantile agency, and Mr. Courter, revealing one of the most extensive swindling schemes on record. It appears that on Jan. 23 a prominent manufacturer called on Mr. Jepson and said he had been approached by an individual whom he did not care to name, who had made to him an infamous proposal, asking him first, if he could use a large sum of money. This he offered to loan the manufacturer on unendorsed notes, without security, at 6 per cent., and said he would give him $300,000 in cash for $250,000 such notes. The offer was indignantly declined. On the following day this same man approached the head bookkeeper and asked if he could name any party who would accept the terms previously offered to the man he had approached before. Knowing what his employer had said, the bookkeeper said no, and informed his superior of what had taken place.

The name of the stranger is W. J. Hickman, agent, with an office in the Globe building. He is one of the men now under arrest.

The bookkeeper was told to treat with the man and get further details, which he did, learning that Hickman was acting for Alfred L. Miller, another of the trio now locked. Hickman, however, became suspicious and declined to talk freely on the subject. On Jan. 25, Mr. Jepson met Mr. Courter and related to him the incident, expressing the belief that the whole thing was a gigantic swindle. Courter said that he wanted $20,000 or $30,000 for a new enterprise and that he would negotiate with the men. If they were acting in good faith, he would take the money, he would see the matter through and bring the men to justice. He thereupon wrote to Hickman that he was anxious to negotiate some notes, and asking that the latter call upon him. This Hickman did. He had been drinking and talked freely. He first asked Mr. Courter if he was not tired of business, and if he would not like to retire on $300,000. Mr. Courter said he would like nothing better. The man then explained to Mr. Courter that if he would sign notes for $200,000 he, Hickman, would float them in this country and Cuba, buying merchandise, etc., with them, and realizing on that at once, Mr. Courter could then fail and retire on a handsome competency. But first Mr. Courter was to give him notes, one for $1,300 and one for $1,707.77, to be put out as "feelers." To this Mr. Courter would not agree, and asked Hickman to bring over his principal. This the latter agreed to do on Monday, but the meeting was postponed until Tuesday afternoon. In the meantime the entire matter had been laid before the police and when the men called at Mr. Courter's office three detectives were secreted in the cellar, where they overheard every word that was uttered. The men went over in detail their schemes and the detectives then made the arrests.

It is understood that Miller has turned state's evidence, but at any rate enough is known of their operations to show that they are almost dangerous band of swindlers. They have operated successfully in New York and Brooklyn for some time. The men have four agents in this city, all of whom are known; seven in New York and five in Brooklyn. They also contemplated extending their business to Philadelphia, Chicago and other large cities throughout the country.

Baffled the Sophomores.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Feb. 1.—The Amherst college freshmen held their class banquet at the Glendower last night. They eluded the sophomores, coming down by special train. The members were concealed in a barn about a mile from the Amherst depot and thus escaped observation. About 60 sophomores followed on the next train and attempted to reach the dining hall, but the stairs were guarded by policemen. Finally the sophomores gave up their attempt to break up the banquet and scattered to other hotels.

Dangerous Counterfeit Coin.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 1.—It has just been found that counterfeit silver dollars, made of pure silver and of a quality better than the genuine, were afloat in the local markets. Aside from a slight flaw in the milling the coin cannot be told from the genuine. At the present price of silver $1,000 can be made for $650.

Death of a Fast Trotting Mare.

DANVILLE, Ky., Feb. 1.—The fast trotting mare Bella Snipp, 2:21, by Major Landers, owned by Hudson, is dead of influenza. Five thousand dollars was refused for her a week ago. She won fourteen races last year and was much faster than her record.

Kentucky Against Peckham.

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 1.—The Kentucky legislature has adopted a resolution instructing Senators Blackburn and Lindsay to vote to reject the nomination of Peckham.

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CIRCULATION EQUAL TO THAT OF THE NEWS AND THE COURIER COMBINED.

THE LIGHT THAT FAILED;

Or, the Disappointed Scribe, and the Snipe that Was Never Smoked.

[From The Daily Courier.]

A piece of glass in a crevice in the sidewalk in front of the recently burned out restaurant on Park avenue last night, so reflected the light from across the street, that the impression of a burning cigar was given.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—John Kretzer contemplates opening a barber shop in Elizabeth.

—The Evening News has laid off two men on the plea of hard times.

—John Harkins was in town last night. Dave Carney showed him the sights.

—Members of lodges meeting in the Elkwood building complain of a leaky roof and insufficient heat.

—William H. Brokaw, of 661 West Front street, exhibits a sign of prosperity in the shape of a new business wagon.

—The Westfield Leader pilfers the anti-cesspool poem of The Press and uses it as its own, with Westfield application.

—An electric light lineman caused a break in a fire-alarm wire this morning, which sent in the blow shortly after 10.

—Important business matters will be considered at the meeting of Major Anderson Post, No. 109, G. A. R. this evening.

—Frank Hedden very efficiently managed the departure of the seventy-four carriages at the Casino concert last evening.

—The Loyal Legion, connected with the W. C. T. U., and conducted by Miss Addie Winters, met in the rooms yesterday afternoon.

—Charles Stephens, who returned to Plainfield a few days ago after years of absence, has been put under bonds for wife desertion.

—Car No. 1 of the street railway was again in service today on the Somerset street line, the repairs having been completed last night.

—To insure the presentation of bills against the city at the next Council meeting sworn statements must be given to the City Clerk by tonight.

—Skating was good on Hyde's pond yesterday and was enjoyed by quite a crowd, among them the Rev. F. H. Wright, the Indian evangelist.

—A special meeting of the Exempt Firemen's Association will be held in their rooms, Monday, February 5, to take action on delinquent members.

—Mason Charles Burnett yesterday staked out the cellar of a proposed new house 30x38 to be built by Wm. Brokaw on Lafayette place at a cost of $5,000.

—William H. Brokaw has begun alterations in the real estate and insurance offices of VanBuren & Timpson. The rooms will afterwards be papered and renovated.

—Ex-Councilman Spangenberg's place of business, 194 Broadway, New York., was the only one in the building not damaged by fire or water Tuesday evening.

—Besides the enormous number of laths to be used in the new Babcock Building, Boice, Runyon & Co. will supply 20 000 feet of grooved plaster slab at 4½ cents per foot.

—The Bible readings in the First Presbyterian Church afternoons are very largely attended. The afternoon, as well as the evening meetings, are increasing in interest.

—A draft for $50 from the Royal Insurance Company, of Liverpool, was received by VanBuren & Timpson today in payment of the fire loss on the stock in the Central Hotel.

—Somerset Council, No. 104, Jr. O. U. A. M., announce a drawing in Red Men's Hall Tuesday evening, April 3, at which the fortunate ticket holder will receive an order for a $25 suit of clothes.

—Members of the Socialistic Labor Club will give a sociable and dance in their club rooms, corner of Grant avenue and South Second street, Friday evening. John James is in charge of the affair.

—Charles Cashin was arrested at 11 last night for drunkenness and disorderly conduct on Pearl street. This morning magistrate Crosley sentenced him to 30 days imprisonment in the Somerset county jail.

—Amateurs who will play in the comedy "Married Life", to be presented in Music Hall by the C. Y. M. L. this evening, rehearsed at the home of Mrs. John Schorb, of West Front street, last night.

—Alexander D. Findlay, successor to "Chris" Bock, filed an application for a license for the East Second street saloon last evening. This is the second application made this year, Charles Smith being the first.

—Columbia Lodge, No. 58, A. O. U. W., will meet in the Firemen's Hall tomorrow evening. Seventy-two members have already been initiated in this new organization, and it is expected that twenty more will come in tomorrow.

—This morning City Judge Coddington sentenced each of five trespassers on the Central Railroad property to thirty days imprisonment. They were Henry Coleman, John Lally, John Griffen, Michael Murphy and John J. McCarty.

—A very appreciative audience greeted Prof. Calef last evening in Music Hall. The Professor repeated his success of Tuesday evening, and completely amazed his audience with his wonderful exhibition of mind and thought reading.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell; 25c., 50c. and $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 208 North ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

Captain Sweeney, U.S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 208 North Ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

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MELOPOIA CONCERT.

Chorus Work Marred by Lack of Attention to Rehearsals, and the Prima Donna a Disappointment—Violinist Marteau a Splendid Success.

The concert of the Melopoia Society in the Casino last night was attended by a large audience, but very little enthusiasm was shown. The prima donna was a disappointment, and the chorus work showed a lack of attention to rehearsals, besides suffering from the limitations of a room which is not capable of bringing out good chorus effects. It cannot be said that any marked improvement was noticeable.

The programme with one exception was composed of light music, and the audience seemed to be pleased with the change from the usual heavy class of compositions.

The opening chorus, Beer's "Song of May", furnished a large scope for all the voices, and was given with considerable force.

The appearance of Henri Marteau, violinist, was a treat, and he fully sustained locally the reputation he has earned in New York. His initial performance was Faure's "Berceuse" and Sarasate's Spanish dance, in which he won the fullest admiration his audience. His execution is wonderful, and being a young man he is sure to become one of the foremost violinists of the country. As an encore he gave Schubert's Serenade, in a most exquisite and delightful manner.

"Robin Adair", harmonized by Buck, was then given given by the society, all of whose work suffered from the harshness effected by the causes already stated.

Considerable interest was manifested in the appearance of the Standard Trio Club, Miss Hilda K. Clark, soprano; Mrs. Winifred A. Williams, first alto; and Miss Rohe M. Brady, second alto. Their first selections were Mendelssohn's "Lift Thine Eyes" and the Cradle Song by Brahms. There was disappointment in their singing. The second alto was entirely too heavy, and the voices did not produce the harmony that is usually expected of an ambitious trio.

"Romeo and Juliette", by Gounod, was given. Mme. Rosa Linde, contralto, had much volume, but her voice was unsympathetic and unpleasant. However, she was applauded to an encore, and gave a selection from the German "I am yours, and you are mine". "The Skeleton in Armor", by Foote, was the last number in part first. It was long and tiresome and some of the audience left as soon as it was over.

Part second was opened with "Come, Fairies, Trip It", by Cliffe, which had a merry tune, and for its jingle won hearty applause.

Mr. Marteau made his second appearance, and his reception was even more flattering than at first. "Serenade Mysterieuse" by Boisdeffre, and First Polonaise by Wieniawski, were rendered; and in response to the vociferous applause he was obliged to return twice, when he gave a Gavottina by Raff, and a very difficult exercise, both of which added to his laurels.

"Sweetly the Moonlight Sleeps" and "Autumn Song", by the society, were both very pretty, and their merits were appreciated. "Ye Banks and Brae" by the Trio, was better than their first selection, and was well received.

Mme. Rosa Linde warmed better to the selection "Sampson and Delilah", and to the applause responded with a very pretty Italian song.

In closing, "Vanished Dreams", by Weinzierl, was given by the society in a pleasing manner, winning deserved plaudits for the climax.

Praise was on every tongue for Miss Jessie Utter and Edwin M. Shonert, accompanists, for their excellent work; and also to Conductor William R. Chapman for his efficiency.

Winning Many Hearts.

The revival services which are being held in the First Presbyterian Church are proving very successful, the attendance and interest increasing nightly. There was a large gathering at the Bible reading yesterday afternoon, and in the evening the church was crowded.

Rev. Dr. Harsha conducted the afternoon services, reading various verses containing the word "my" which he dwelt on, and explaining the thoughts suggested by each. Rev. F. H. Wright sang and prayed, and many of those present gave testimony.

Mr. Wright's sermon in the evening was one of the most soul-stirring and thought-inspiring that he has preached here. Nearly all of the congregation remained for the after-meeting, and a large number went forward in response to the invitation of the earnest workers.

Social Club Ball.

The first ball of the Friendship Social Club, the auxiliary of the Howell Division, Sons of Temperance, was a well attended and pleasant affair in the Red Men's Hall last night. Veteran Sam. Frazee was the violinist. Those in charge were:

Committee of Arrangements—Edward Fluck, William Wyckoff, Lloyd Pangborn.

Committee on Refreshments — Miss May Schultz, Miss Ida Storm, Miss Belle Swayn, Mrs. E. Cox, Mrs. W. R. Mattox, Mrs. Ellen Radin.

A Case of Urgent Need.

The women of the Relief Association have had brought to their notice a case of extreme destitution, and ask for the following articles: A cooking stove, also simple household furniture with the exception of a bedstead, which has been already furnished. Please send these articles to the Relief rooms as soon as possible.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Col. Julian Scott is home from Boston.

P. M. Hayes, of Newark, is the guest of Frank Linke today.

Mrs. F. Halcomb, of Craig place, is visiting friends in Bound Brook.

Rev. Dr W. R. Richards arrived home from Mexico at 5:30 last night.

Stephen Fitzgerald, of Somerset place, is suffering from an attack of the grip.

Mrs. William Kiernan is very low with the grip at her home, 42 Steiner place.

E. C. Purdy is moving into L. B. Woolston's house on Westervelt avenue today.

Mr. Winans, of Washingtonville, is erecting a very handsome house on Somerset street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Vanderbeek and Mrs. W. R. Codington will leave for the South next Thursday.

Nief Apgar, who has been ill with pneumonia since his southern trip, is able to be about again.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Thorn, of Craig place, are still enjoying the delights to be found in Florida.

Miss Lillie Weigmann, of East Front street, left town yesterday for a visit of two weeks in New York.

Miss Florence Kline of East Sixth street who has been confined to her home by illness, is able to be out again.

Veteran Samuel C. Terry was able to leave his bed yesterday for the first time after his attack of pneumonia.

Miss May Irving has returned to her home in Westfield after a visit of a week with Miss Grace Irwin, of Putnam avenue.

William Haggerty, of West Second street, has gone to Phillipsburg to visit his daughter Mary, who is seriously ill with the grip.

J. M. Bingham, formerly of the firm of Bingham & Fulper, has accepted a position with the Armour branch house in Brooklyn, E. D.

Mrs. George Coddington, of Mt. Horeb, returned home yesterday from a visit to her niece, Mrs. George S. McGinnis of Somerset street.

Conductor and Mrs. W. B. Chapman, of New York, were entertained at the home of Pliny Fisk, 112 West Seventh street, last night.

W. E Hinkson, the efficient drug clerk at Leggett's Pharmacy, left town today, with his wife, for Princeton, which will be their future home.

Local Salvation Army soldiers received word yesterday that Lieut. Horsley, formerly stationed here, was quite ill at her Connecticut home.

The Misses Ida and Agnes Altimus of Clinton, are spending two weeks with Miss Addie Lewis, daughter of James M. Lewis of Grove street.

Henry Stearns, of Stanton, Hunterdon county, with his bride, Miss Lizzie Berry, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Charles Hummer of 159 Somerset street.

James F. Hotchkiss has leased the house vacated by Counselor H. B. Ely, 63 Westervelt avenue, and with his family will soon be a resident of Plainfield again.

John W. Murray, Sr., and wife, go to-morrow morning by rail to Savannah, Ga., thence to Jacksonville, thence to St. Augustine. They will be gone about six weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Haven, of 602 Washington street, have the sympathy of a large circle of friends in the death of their young son, which occurred this morning, aged 17 days.

Brazilla B. Waldron and Miss Annie Kirwin were married under their own roof at 515 West Front street, at 4 yesterday afternoon, by Rev. Cornelius Schenck. They have begun housekeeping, and took no wedding trip.

Mrs. C. P. Walrod, who has resigned her position as matron of the Muhlenberg Hospital, because of illness, moved into apartments at 191 North avenue this morning. Miss Corner, of Boston, is now in charge of the hospital and will remain until the arrival of the new matron.

At the home of his son-in-law, Wm. D. Lord, 52 South street, Newark, at 12 last night, occurred the death of Robert E. Sellers. The cause of death was old age. Last week his wife passed away. He leaves two children, Mrs. Frank Bushnell of Madison avenue, and Mrs. John Bushnell of Central avenue. Funeral services from his late residence in Newark Saturday morning at 10. Interment will be private, in this city.

Thirteen young people enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon at the residence of T. S. Burr, of LaGrande avenue, yesterday. Progressive whist was the main object of the afternoon, and Miss Bowers, Miss Thorne and Miss Patten obtained the prizes. Refreshments were served at 5, and a jolly hour was spent around the dining room table. Miss Burr's health was proposed, and everyone responded royally to the toast. After a little informal dancing the party adjourned wishing their hostess "many happy returns". Those present were Miss Thorne, Miss Covert, Miss Green, Miss Abbott, Miss Rose, Miss Bowers, Miss Lowrie, Miss N. Thorne, Miss Langdon, Miss Abbott, Miss Fritts and Miss Patten.

—The Irish sociable planned for last evening on Leland avenue was postponed because P. Wallace and C. Callaghan were called out of town on business.

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Bitten by a Dog.

Albert Smith, a twelve-year-old paper carrier, was attacked by a large dog owned by Michael Weber, of 419 East Third street, shortly before 6 last evening. He was on the property of Charles W. Fisher, of 406 East Second street, at whose house he was about to leave a paper when the dog ran after him and bit him quite badly on the right thigh. Dr Jenkins attended him.

This morning Policeman Giese took the boy to the place and had him identify Mr Weber's dog as the one that bit him.

Coal Business Sold.

M. Powers & Son have purchased the entire coal business of Charles E. Runk, including the office outfit in town, and the storage facilities at South Plainfield.

BY THE WAY.

—Buy one of those big-value boxes of stationery at Harper's, 411 Park avenue.

—In Dunellen this evening the local team will bowl with the Union County Roadsters of Rahway.

—The purse lost yesterday by Mrs. E. D. Moffett was restored this morning through an ad in The Press.

Mrs. Carnegie's Yacht Launched.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 1.—The yacht Dungeness, built by naval architect George R. Mallory for Mrs. Lucy C. Carnegie, at Sparrows Point, was launched yesterday afternoon. The yacht is a perfect gem and fitted up in elegant style. The owner, Mrs. Carnegie, is the widow of Thomas M. Carnegie of Pittsburg, who left a considerable fortune. Mrs. Carnegie is an enthusiast on the subject of yachting, and is the first woman to have her name proposed as a member of the New York Yacht club.

Snowbound in a Lighthouse.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 1.—Captain Elizur Thompson, the veteran lighthouse keeper at the entrance to the local harbor, has just passed through his most trying experience in years. He was snowed in during the big storm of Monday and was unable to escape through the five-foot drifts which were piled up in front of the lighthouse. At last he attracted the attention of several farm hands at work a short distance away and was released.

Quiet in the Mine Regions.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 1.—Everything is quiet at the scenes of the recent miners' riots in the Mansfield valley coal region. Thirteen more foreigners have been arrested for alleged rioting and others are being detained awaiting identification by the operators and native miners. The sheriff has removed all but fifty deputies, and these are stationed at points where trouble might possibly occur.

Notorious Anarchist Arrested.

ROME, Feb. 1.—Merlino, the most notorious of Italian anarchists, and the colleague of Ceprini and Malateste, was arrested at the public gardens in Naples yesterday. He was disguised as a priest. When he saw that he had been recognized he tried to run away, but he stumbled and fell, and was seized by a policeman before he could rise.

DEATHS.

SELLERS—Jan. 31, 1894, at midnight at the residence of his son-in-law, Wm. D. Lord, 52 South street, Newark, N. J., Robert E. Sellers, in the 80th year of his age.
Funeral services from 52 South street, Newark, Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment private in Plainfield. 2

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Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

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LOST—Wednesday afternoon, a lady's pocketbook containing small sum of money and pair gold eye glasses with chain. Reward at this office. 1 31 2

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One lot natural, all wool Shirts and Drawers, at 95c., were $1.25. One lot Men's mixed Shirts and Drawers, at 39c., were 50c. One lot Men's natural wool Shirts and Drawers, at $1.39, were $1.75. One lot red, all wool Shirts and Drawers, at 90c., were $1.25. One lot Ladies' Vests and Pants, at 50c., were 75c.

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A PLAINFIELDER AT THE CAPITAL.

He Writes Home an Interesting Account of What "Our" Congressmen Are Doing.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 30—Perhaps the readers of The Press will be interested by a description of the House of Representatives and the observation and impressions as kodaked from the gallery. The gallery of a theatre is the barometer of the dramatic stage. Its occupants are the best critics. So the gallery of the House contains the critics of the deliberations of the members of Congress. The present struggle in the House is of the most momentous character. The future of our country will be fixed by the result of the vote next Thursday on the Wilson Bill, as far as the House is concerned. But new features may be introduced on its appearance in the Senate. What will transpire there can only be conjectured.

My first experience in listening to the debate on the Wilson Bill was an auspicious one, and one never to be forgotten, the House being in Committee of the Whole on the State of the Union, and having under consideration the bill to reduce taxation, to provide revenue for the Government, and for other purposes. I was just seated when Bourke Cochran of New York arose and addressed the chairman. He then began his famous speech, which lasted upwards of three hours and was marked by sharp debate, fervent eloquence, and a masterly exposition of the matter under consideration. Those who crossed rapiers with him, fell pierced or retreated. After several gentlemen had given battle, and he, like D'Artagnan, the hero of "The Three Guardsmen" came out victorious. Mr. Walker of Massachusetts begged to be permitted to ask a question.

Mr. Cochran replied: "In order to promote the gayety of the discussion, I yield."

The questioner would have been just as well off had he not interrupted. The scene at the close of the speech was a remarkable one. Men of whom we read embraced the speaker, and the gallery went wild.

The same day, H. G. Turner of Georgia made a brilliant speech, and in the evening Mr. Bryan of Nebraska made another. It was on the occasion of Mr. Bryan's speech that visitors were admitted to the floor of the House—a rare concession. I had the honor of being one of the number who were admitted.

AS TO THE BILL AND ITS PROGRESS.

The Democrats have the advantage in numbers and in ability. The Republican side is very weak in its opposition. The diverse interests of the country, however, is a menace to the Bill, and the confusion caused by this state of affairs is detrimental to the Bill, and is likely to bring on severe complications. It is feared that the radical movements of outright free-traders will cripple the bill and bring it in bad form before the Senate. It is claimed that the bill will create a deficit. Nothing is said of trying to reduce the expenses of the Government. When a prudent man of business finds that his expenses are becoming more than his receipts he usually cuts off some of the expense. In the case of the Goverement the tendency is to cause more expense.

MR DUNN SPEAKS.

Mr. Dunn is the only New Jersey representative I have heard speak. Last Friday night he arose from his seat and addressed the Chairman. His voice was clear and strong and gave evidence of that oratory for which he is justly noted. His arguments were stated and enlarged upon in a lucid manner. His was the best speech I have heard during the night sessions. He said in effect: "The Republicans throughout the country have been endeavoring to teach the people that the Treasury deficiency is due to Democratic incompetency and mismanagement.

"When the Democrats turned the Government over to the Republicans in 1889 there was an actual cash balance in the Treasury of over $185,000,000. One hundred million of this was free gold, while the income showed a yearly surplus of over $100,000,000.

"Immediately on entering into power again, finding all this money at its disposal, that party inaugurated a saturnalia of grossest extravagance both in legislative and in administrative expenditure, adding by legislation addition annual burdens of more than $70,000,000 as an excuse, mainly, for the McKinley Bill, promising the people a period of unexampled industrial and governmental prosperity. How did they keep their promise? When Harrison was about to resign the administration the annual surplus of one hundred and five millions which should have been saved by economical and honest administration and retained in the pockets of the people, together with $185,000,000 which they found in the Treasury was dissipated, and Secretary Foster with all the devices he could bring into play, by borrowing from the banks, etc., patched up a gold reserve of only $980,000 over and above the $100,000,000 of free gold."

Mr. Dunn then showed with great clearness how the present Administration came into power with the most depressing conditions before it, and the impossibility of avoiding the panic brought on by Republican extravagance.

Continuing, Mr. Dunn said: "I am free to say that while I have an almost unlimited faith in the American people, I am alarmed at the strides we are taking toward that paternalism which develops the subject at the expense of the people. The cry upon every hand is 'Why does not Congress do something for the relief of the country?' It is a good deal like the cry of 'On to Richmond' in former years.

"Whenever laws are enacted which compel one portion of the people to purchase the necessaries, or comforts of life from another at 50 or 75 per cent. more than they can be purchased for in the markets of the world, the Government which enacts them is unjust and oppressive, and it can be only a question of time when the country so governed will be divided into classes, the very rich and the very poor."

Speaking of the industries established under the beneficence of protection he said: "That they had without doubt established one that was particularly flourishing at this time and that was the tramp industry.

"The Constitution of this country give power to Congress to raise a revenue for the support of the Government. There are three methods by which this revenue can be raised. By direct and by indirect taxation, and internal revenue or excise tax, or external tariff.

"The last method has been a favorite, though I think more costly one for the people of this country. The reason is doubtless that we do not take the trouble to think that we pay taxes for the support of the Government through this process, because it is paid in small amounts by the consumer at the grocery store, the baker's, the butcher's—in fact, at the time and with the other sums which we pay for the necessary supplies. We pay the tax, and not the foreign or home producer. That the foreigner pays it is a favorite argument with the Republican party. I might say a favorite falsehood.

"Acting upon that theory in the past that the Government could exercise a protective tariff instead of a taxing power, selfish speculators have petitioned Congress after Congress to favor their pursuits by unjust legislation, in the way of laying a tariff when no tariff or an equal tariff should be imposed."

Mr. Dunn's speech was well received and generously applauded, both by the members and by the gallery.

Last Thursday night, Mr. Geisseinhainer occupied the chair and acquitted himself creditably.

A. E. KENNEY.

Thefts Numerous, Police Scarce.

For the last two weeks thefts have been commited around Division, between Sixth and Seventh streets. Clothes have been taken from the lines of three houses in that vicinity. Milkpails with their contents and bread and rolls, have disappeared from the piazzas of several houses. Monday night one of Mr. Patter's hogs, occupied by a family by the name of Sheens, was broken into, and several articles were stolen. The people of the neighborhood say; "It is about time that the police of this city investigated the matter as it is a very rare thing to see a policeman in that vicinity at night."

Against Abuse of Trees and Animals.

At this week's meeting of the Westfield Township Committee Mr. Conant presented an ordinance which made it a misdemeanor to drive fast on any of the streets of the town, and also provided a penalty of $20 for overdriving, overloading or beating horses; or ill-using dogs, cats or other animals. Section 2 of the street ordinance was so amended as to make the penalty for removing or mutilating any shade trees along the highways of the town not to exceed $50 for each offense. The committee adjourned to meet after the Board of Health meeting Friday.

Mrs. Galley Claims the Goods.

Justice Crosley has set down the jury trial of Mrs. Edward Galley against her husband's creditors for next Saturday. W. R. Codington is counsel for the plaintiff and George W. DeMeza for the defendants—Frank French, Henry Voehl, Frank Linke and T. Zeller. The creditors secured an attachment on the furniture in Mr. Galley's home. Mrs. Galley has a bill of sale and claims that the goods are her property, and therefore cannot be sold to pay her husband's debts.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following changes in North Plainfield realty are among the recent recordings in Somerset County:

Patrick Daley to Chas. P. Daley, $1.

Wm. K. and Helen E. Miles to Rebecca Miles, $1.

David N. and Sarah J. Force to Tunis J. Carey, $1.

Fidelity Title and Deposit Co. to Aaron D. Thompson, $1.

Jacob Cole to James G. Main, $3,000.

Edward C. and Margaret A. Mulford to Samuel P. Mulford, $6,000.

The Bradys Buying Ice.

Brady Brothers, the Bergen Point coal and ice men, will receive a shipment of 300 car loads of Lake Hopatcong ice in a short time. The ice will be housed north of the railroad track near Grant avenue where a like amount was stored last winter and where a branch of the business will be located.

This will necessitate the clearing of Track No. 4, which is now blocked as far as Dunellen by loaded coal cars.

To Be Released Again.

George Jones, of Basking Ridge, who was taken to the insane asylum at Trenton about two years ago on the complaint of his wife, has so far recovered from his insanity, it is reported, that he will be discharged from that institution in the spring. Jones escaped from the asylum about a year ago and came home. His wife and family were afraid of him, and he was taken back to Trenton.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY—"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75c. Sold by H. P. Reynolds, druggist, Plainfield. 13 6 2m

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We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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IN PALATIAL QUARTERS.

Union County's Board of Freeholders Has a Handsome Room.

For several weeks past the Board of Freeholders room at the Court House has been undergoing repairs, and as a result today the Board of Freeholders of Union County met in a palatial room in which to meet and transact business.

The old ceiling has been replaced with a patent corrugated plate ceiling and the side walls covered with embossed paper of handsome design, while the ceiling, walls and the interior of the dome have been beautifully decorated in gold and appropriate colors. The gas fixtures, etc., have also been regilded and look like new.

The old carpet has been replaced by a handsome moquette carpet of rich design, while the furniture has been repaired and treated to a fresh coat of varnish.

The press has not been forgotten either, for the committee has seen to it that two additional chairs for the accommodation of reporters have been placed in the room. Heretofore representatives of the press have been obliged to find seats as best they could.

Kellar Tomorrow Night.

The missionaries in Thibet, who have not yet succeeded in penetrating to the sacred city of Lhasa have been sorely in need of la'e of the expert assistance of some American or European who could put them on a footing of friendship with the adepts of that country, introduce them to the mysteries of the famous mountain monestaries where Koot, Hoomi Lal Sing learn the mysteries of life and death and where the secrets of ancient magic have been preserved for centuries. It was there, after many years residence in India, that Kellar, now the most famous of living magicians, learned the mysteries of Black and White Magic and the art of philosophy. And it is to him that the missionaries have appealed; so that if his performance is missed now it may be many years before it can be seen again. The only Kellar will give his really unequalled entertainment in Music Hall tomorrow night, and comes flushed with a metropolitan success, one of the most trying circumstances during a long summer season in Daly's Theatre, where he pleased the critical metropolitan audiences to the top of their bent with the same marvels which he now proposes to exhibit here. Among them will be "Fiyto", "Out of Sight", "Oh", in which a human being is made to disappear from a brilliantly lighted stage and under the immediate gaze of the audience; "Cagliostro, or the Cassadaga Propaganda", the famous Davenport seance, and last "Karmos", in which his accomplished and lovely wife, Mrs. Kellar, assists him in the most marvelous exhibition of mind reading ever witnessed either before or since the days of the ill-fated Washington Irving Bishop.

Accused of Cider Stealing, and Found Insane.

The mock trial given in Washingtonville School-house, last evening, was a great success, and brought out a large audience.

Edward Clark and Richard Rogers were accused of stealing cider from Spencer's cider mill; and Spencer through his lawyers, Robert Clark, Jr., and Henry Rogers, brought suit to recover damages. The accused was represented by Mr. Regger and Theodore Bartle.

The following assisted in the trial: Judges — Harry Coddington, William Woodland, Robert Clark.

Clerk of Court—Robert Rogers.

Witnesses — William Morrison, Frank Dodge, Mr. Gifford, W. J. Kitchen, Warren Rice.

Sheriff—William Titus.

After a very exciting trial, it was decided that the accused were guilty of the charge. Richard Rogers was let off with a reprimand, while Edward Clark was guilty of perjury, and it was thought best to have a trial to prove his sanity. Witnesses William Kitchen, William Morrison and Frank Dodge were also accused of perjury. Their trial will be held later.

Feminine Bowling.

Two eight-women teams bowled on the alleys of the Gesang and Turn Verein yesterday afternoon. Refreshments were served after the game.

Mrs. R. Spiegel, who rolled the highest score of two weeks ago, offered a prize, according to the agreement, of a handsome set of glassware. Mrs. Gustav Sutterlein obtained the prize, and Mrs. Feller rolled second best.

Gift Entertainment.

The entertainment consisting of vocal and instrumental music and recitations for the benefit of those who are in want, will take place this evening at the Warren Chapel commencing at 8. There will be no admission, but it is hoped that those who are interested in such work will bring something in the line of provisions this evening or will send them to the chapel this afternoon between 3 and 5.

Thousands sink into an early grave for want of a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup This great remedy would save them.

Discussing the Blacklist.

The Grocers Protective Association held a special meeting in the Board of Trade rooms last evening. Additional names were placed on the black list before sending it to the State Secretary to be printed. The advisability of refusing credit to blacklisted persons was discussed, and the question was laid on the table for further consideration at the next meeting.

I have been troubled with chronic catarrh for years. Ely's Cream Balm is the only remedy among the many that I have used that affords me relief.—E. H. Willard, druggist, Joliet, Ills.

I have been troubled with catarrh for 10 years and have tried a number of remedies, but found no relief until I purchased a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm. I consider it the most reliable preparation for catarrh and cold in the head.—Geo. E. Crandall, P. M., Quonochawataug, R. I.

2,000 bottles of Dr. Whittord's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from C. W. Mazon, Farina, Ills., says: "I consider your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have used in the drug business fourteen years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal satisfaction." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents.

UNCLE SAM'S FINANCES.

Rigid Economy Does Not Prevent a Serious Condition of Affairs.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—A further loss of $400,000 in gold is reported at the treasury, leaving the gold balance stand at $65,000,000, or a loss during the month of January of $15,000,000, or at the rate of $500,000 a day.

The official statement of the government receipts and expenditures will show in round figures that the expenditures for the first seven months of the current fiscal year exceeded the receipts by $46,000,000, the figures standing: Receipts, $175,000,000; expenditures, $221,000,000. These figures, if the ratio is carried through the entire fiscal year, would make the deficit for the year foot up $80,000,000, leaving the treasury with but $41,000,000 of the $121,000,000 with which it entered the fiscal year on July 1, 1893.

This showing as made above has only been achieved by the most rigid economy and withholding payments of money not absolutely necessary to the smooth running of the government. Less than $750,000 of a total of $9,000,000 due for sugar bounties have been paid. None of the premium money on the new cruisers amounting to two million dollars or more has been paid and as little work on public buildings and river and harbor improvements as was consistant with preventing work already begun from lapsing into decay or destruction from natural causes has been done.

BRAZIL NEWS TO-DAY.

A Despatch Expected from Admiral Benham Late This Evening.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Secretary Herbert expects a cable message from Admiral Benhem this evening giving a full account of the conflict the other day with the Brazilian rebels' fleet. The admiral was requested by cable yesterday to send this information at once.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—A despatch received in this city from Rio Janeiro states that the American barks Good News and Julia Rollins did not accept the offer of protection made to them by Rear Admiral Benham, commanding the American squardon there, because G. M. Rollins, an American, who is acting as the agent of an English firm that is supplying the insurgenes with money, persuaded the captains of those vessels not to change the position of their vessels.

The despatch adds that the French naval commander has congratulated Admiral Benham upon the vigorous action he took to protect the American vessels. The commander of the Austrian warship in the bay, when he saw that trouble was brewing, ordered his vessel to be cleared for action so that she might be ready to give assistance to the American vessels if it was necessary.

The despatches also say that the prolonged absence of Admiral Mello from Rio Janeiro has given rise to reports that he is dead.

Baseball Season to Open April 19.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—The Sun's St. Louis, Mo., special says: The championship season of the National league and American association of professional baseball clubs for 1894 will open Thursday, April 19. This is a settled fact, the authority for which is no less a personage than President Nick Young himself. When President Von Der Ahe learned that it was proposed to open the championship season April 26, the same as last year, he, in conjunction with John T. Brush, of the Cincinnati club, suggested the feasibility of opening the season a week earlier, as it was argued that the earlier opening would be generally beneficial to the majority of the league clubs, and President Young accordingly started out to find an expression of feeling on the subject. He stated that nearly all the league clubs favored the early opening, consequently he is preparing the schedule of championship games on this basis.

Conspiracy for Revenue.

PRAGUE, Feb. 1.—The trial of the members of the secret political society, the Omladina, who are charged with high treason, is still progressing in this city. The principal witness was Dolezal, one of the two men who are accused of the murder of Rudolf Mrva, the founder of the Omladina. Dolezal declared that he had never been connected with the Omladina. Mrva wished to enroll him and some of his friends in a pretended conspiracy, and later had betrayed to the police several of those who had entered into his plans, receiving for his treachery from five to fifteen florins for each man he betrayed. The witness declared that nobody had incited him to kill Mrva. The latter, he said, had been assassinated from motives of vengeance.

Democratic Congressional Committee

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Senator Gorman, chairman of the democratic senatorial caucus, has appointed the following senators as members of the national congressional democratic campaign committee: Messrs. Matt W. Ransom, of North Carolina; Charles J. Faulkner, of West Virginia; James K. Jones, of Arkansas; George Gray, Delaware; John L. Mitchell, of Wisconsin; Samuel Pasco, of Florida; Edward Murphy, jr., of New York; James Smith, jr., of New Jersey, and S. M. White, of California.

Nicaragua Canal Decision.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—The contest between the rival committees in the reorganization schemes of the Nicaragua canal, headed by Messrs. Bartlett and Hatch respectively, was disposed of by Judge Lacombe in an opinion denying the motion of Frederick H. Hatch to examine the books of the Nicaragua canal company. This motion was argued before Judge Lacombe for the petitioner by ex-Gov. Hoadley, and by ex-Judge Charles P. Daly and Joseph H. Choate for the receiver of the canal company.

New Jersey Assembly.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 1.—The house sat only a few minutes yesterday afternoon. Bills were introduced abolishing the Bayonne City district court and repealing the act permitting persons arrested at a race track to choose the magistrate before whom they should be arraigned. The adjournment was till next Monday night.

Minister to Sweden and Norway.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The president sent to the senate the name of Thomas B. Ferguson, of Maryland, to be envoy extraordinary minister plenipotentiary of the United States to Sweden and Norway.

Sibley's Resignation Returned.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Feb. 1.—Gov. Pattison has sent a letter to Congressman Sibley acknowledging the receipt of his communication withdrawing his resignation.

World's Fair for the Friends.

The illustrated lecture on the World's Fair in the Friends Meeting-House on Watchung avenue last evening was well attended. Aaron M. Powell made an opening address and Andrew J. Gavett showed a number of excellent lantern slides with explanatory remarks. George D. Hallock assisted him.

The next attraction will be a lecture by A. M. Powell on George Fox, February 14.

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IN THIS PAPER

Citizens Organized Aid Association—Householders Tickets.

We desire to remind the householders of Plainfield of the tickets issued by the Citizens Organized Aid Association and now procurable at the office of the association, corner of Park and North avenues. One of these tickets may be given to any person applying for relief at the door or on the street, and on presentation at the office, signed by the donor, the applicant's case will be promptly investigated and a proper disposition made of it. If the donor desires to give the relief, he will receive from the agent at the office the result of the investigation. 24 2w

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When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

ANNUAL STATEMENT

OF THE

Dime Savings Institution

Of Plainfield, N. J., January 1, 1894

ASSETS

Loans on Bond and Mortgages, (first liens)		$126,000 00
Value of property mortgaged, $320,150		
Buildings mortgaged, insured for	130,600	
Par Value.	Market Value.	
$3,000	Union County Bonds	33,720 00
25,000	Hudson	25 532 50
16,000	North Plainfield School Bonds	16,320 00
10,000	Jersey City Water Bonds	10,600 00
13,000	Scotch Plains School District No. 14 Bonds	13,000 00
4,800	Dunellen School District No. 2, Dunellen, N. J.	4,800 00
10,000	Morris & Essex first mortgage bonds	13,750 00
10,000	Lehigh Valley Terminal first mortgage bonds	10,750 00
	Demand Loans	6,250 00
	Interest due and accrued	3,489 08
	Furniture and fixture account	1,500 00
	Cash in Banks	13,217 71
	Cash in Office	212 80
		$285,922 07

LIABILITIES

Amount Due Depositors	$270,655 63
Surplus	13,266 44
	$283,922 07

State of New Jersey, } ss
County of Union, }

John W. Murray, President, and Elias R. Pope, Treasurer, of the Dime Savings Institution, being duly sworn, depose and say, each for himself, that the statement above is true and correct, and shows the actual condition of the said Institution on the First day of January, 1894.

JOHN W. MURRAY
ELIAS R. POPE.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 22d day of January, 1894.

JAMES O. POPE, Notary Public.

We, the undersigned Committee, made an examination of the Books, Vouchers, Assets and Liabilities of the said Institution, with Schedules attached, and found this a true Exhibit of the Assets and Liabilities of said Institution on January 1, 1894.

J. FRANK HUBBARD,
JOSEPH B. COWARD,
G. W. ROCKFELLOW, } Committee.

January 22, 1894. 1 27 6

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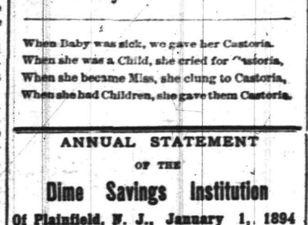

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Polished Oak, 42 inch top, 6ft. high, German Bevel Plate, Silver Drawer, lined; worth $18. 12.80

Polished Oak, 45 inch top, 6 ft. 6 in. high, French Bevel Plate 20x18, finished inside throughout, Silver Drawer, lined; worth $25; Special value 18.00

Elegantly Carved Quartered Oak, 60 inch wide, 7ft. high, 4 French Bevel Plates, Silver Drawer, lined; worth $90; 61.50

CHINA CLOSETS.

Solid Oak, 28 inch wide, 5ft. 6. high, single door; regular $16.00; Now $9.95

Solid Oak 40 inch wide, 6ft. high, double doors, Cast Brass Trimmings, Oval French Plate in top; regular $22.00; Now 12.50

Solid Oak, quartered, 36 inch wide, 6ft. 6in. high, double doors, Cast-Brass Trimmings; regular $30; Now 17.85

EXTENSION TABLES.

Square Leg Dining Table, square top or drop leaf, center leg, 5 ft. 6 inch wide, 6ft. regular $5.98. Special Sale $2.98

Solid Oak, Polish top, 42 inch square, fancy end; regular $6.00. Special sale 4.35

Solid Oak, quartered, polish finish, 48 inch sq., carved corners, 6 inch posts, 8 ft. regular $22. Special sale 15.90

DINING CHAIRS.

Solid Oak, Brace Arm, 22 inch back; Cheap at $2.00. Special sale $1.45

Solid Oak, quartered Brace Arm, 25 inch back, fine cane. Our Pet Diner," at $2.00. Special sale 1.69

Very heavy Box Seat, extra fine cane, 26 inch back, all quartered oak, cheap at $3.75. Special sale 2.70

ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT—Notice is hereby given that the account of the subscriber, administrator of Katharine Sauermann, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the seventh day of February next.

FREDERICK J. SAUERMANN.

Dated November 29, 1893. 12 1 10-oaw

Notice of Assignment.

Notice is hereby given that Christian Scheplin of the Borough of Dunellen, county of Middlesex and State of New Jersey, hath this day made an assignment to the subscriber of his estate for the equal benefit of his creditors, and that the said creditors must exhibit their respective claims, under oath or affirmation, to the subscriber, at his office, No. 110 East Front street, Plainfield, New Jersey.

ELIAS R. POPE, Assignee.

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MISS VICTORINE.

By MARY KYLE DALLAS.

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I drew near Victorine and sat down upon a footstool and put my head upon her knee.

Oh, had I. I asked myself, by any coquettish glance or tone beguiled her elderly lover? My conscience should have been free enough, but I tortured myself by this thought.

"A dream," she repeated. "I sat just half asleep, and my eyes were shut. Then I fancied the door opened, and some one came softly into the room, crossed the floor, knelt beside me, took my hand and kissed it, then crept softly away.

"I did not even open my eyes. It was like that thrilling scene in 'Lord Charles Fitz James; or, a Heart of Oak,' where Lady Arabella falls asleep over her embroidery frame, and he, finding her so, presses a kiss upon her taper fingers. Oh, it was lovely! Do you think it was a dream?"

"A dream, darling, a dream," I answered, and unable longer to restrain my tears kissed her and bade her good night.

CHAPTER IV.

I awoke with a feeling that something dreadful had happened. It seemed to me that I must have been crying in my sleep. A moment more and my memory became active, but one can never be as tragic by dawn as by moonlight. Indeed there was a ludicrous aspect to the affair as I looked back upon it. Why in the name of goodness did I run away from so very respectable a gentleman? Why did I not thank him for the honor he intended and decline it courteously? Why did I scamper off like a wild colt, and why, when I did so, did he run after me through the corn and potatoes and other vegetables?

That crash in the melon patch went to my heart. Perhaps Mr. Summers had hurt himself. How unwisely I had acted! Still, there was Victorine to think of. However funny the race between Mr. Summers and myself may have been, he had no less been false and fickle to my beloved half sister, or even if he had not intentionally won her heart it was won, and this was a frightful state and condition of things. I was growing quite as angry as ever, when Aunt Emily stole into the room with her big, flat slippers in one hand and her other hand in her apron pocket. Shutting the door, she put her back against it and drew forth a letter which she then stepped forward and laid upon the counterpane.

"Mars Summers, he send yo' dis yah letter wid his complements, an please, ma'am, Miss Persis, yo' kin'ly anser it right off, and lemme fetch it back soon as yo' is convenient," she said.

Upon the letter was written: "Miss Persis Carlton. In great haste and anxiety."

"Pears like Mars Summers don't feel good dis mornin," she added. "Got a kin'er scratch onto his cheek, like de cat claw him, and a bruise jess dar, whar de ha'r don' grow onto his frowhead."

"Dear me," I said. "Well, give me an envelope and a pencil."

Emily supplied my wants, and I wrote across the letter, "Returned unopened," and inclosing it in the fresh envelope and addressing it said, "Take that to Mr. Summers."

Emily stared at me in amazement.

"Miss Persis know jess what she doin? Ain't made no mistake?" she queried.

"No," I replied. "It's all right, Emily."

"Guess Miss Persis don' know she wrop up her letter 'fore she read it," Emily remonstrated.

"Yes, I know," I said. "Now, take it to the gentleman at once, and don't tell Miss Victorine anything about it."

"Dess what Mars Summers say," said Emily. "Not menshun 'bout dat yar letter to Miss Vict'rine. Gib it to yo' when yo' wus all alone, he say." Then she shook her head and looked at the letter. "'Pears like letters wus flyin round dis mornin," she said.

"What do you mean?" I asked.

"No matter. I knows my place. I've got no right to jaw," said Emily. "Only when dar is one sekert in a fam'ly, dar is ap' to be two," then she departed.

When I went down to breakfast, I found sister Victorine in a very curious mood. She persisted in looking away from me.

Nothing could induce her to meet my eye. Moreover, it was one of her fancies to dress to match her feelings. Lately she had worn a variety of gay morning gowns of pretty lace ruffles, bright ribbons had set off her black hair or showy pins and combs of gold and coral. This morning she was attired in somber iron gray, and her hair was crimpless, flat upon her forehead and twisted low in the back of her neck. She looked sad beyond expression.

My first thought was that she had learned of my last night's adventure, but if so she was not angry with me. She spoke to main the gentlest manner, in low tones as though I were ill. She had ordered a dish of which I was especially fond to be prepared. If she had been guilty of some terrible crime against me for which she wished to atone, though she could not hope to be pardoned, her manner could scarcely have been different. After breakfast as I passed through the kitchen, Aunt Emily sat on a low chair, with her elbows on her knees and her chin in her hand, staring at nothing.

"And what is the matter with you, Emily?" I asked.

"I'm dess steddyin what de matter wid my ladies," Emily replied. "Miss Vict'rine don' pay no 'tention to her twilite an pull down her mouff till she make a fiddle face an look like dey goin to be a fewnel in de fam'ly, an Miss Persis, plain to see she been a-weepin an a-wailin tell her eyes is red, an breaktiss come out mos' de same as it go in, an letters goes flyin roun. Reckon de world mus' be comin to an end, and Mars Gabrel gwine to blow his las' trumpet."

"Not quite so bad as that, Emily," I said.

"H'm," grunted the old woman; "even de gyarden upset. All de vegerbles tromp down, an tracks like mules been drove through 'em, an de four fines' cantelopes an de ripes' watermillion smash flat, an a tall hat squash flat, too, 'long side of um. Kiner cur'us whose dat hat, Miss Persis?"

I shook my head.

"Shore as I live," Emily muttered, pushing back her headkerchief—something she only did when much excited—"shore as I live, ef any norf folks give my ladies any sass, I don' hold my han's. I dess lynches 'em dead and frows 'em in de bresh, like dey wus snakes."

"No one has offended us, Emily," I said. "Nothing is the matter."

"H'm," said Emily again; "I don' set up to be nuffin but a ches'nut colored nigger. I don' take no airs, but I has got eyes, an I kin see out of 'em good. Ef nobody ain't got no conference in me, after my missin 'em, an dere mas before 'em"—

I put my hand on Emily's shoulder, and she took it in her black palms and kissed it. But I could not tell her why I was sad, or what troubled Victorine. All day she remained in the same mood, and not once did I see Harry.

Another letter came to me from Mr. Summers toward evening. A boy brought it to me while I was watering some flowers in the garden. I took a pencil and wrote upon the envelope: "It will be useless to write again. I decline either correspondence or conversation."

I saw the boy hand it to Mr. Summers, who seemed to be hiding behind a tree some distance up the road. A moment more and Harry's head appeared over the slope of a hill. He carried a gamebag over his shoulder and in his hand held a gun. As he advanced I saw that his face was as long as Victorine's. He did not look toward me. As he came near the gate I saw that he purposely averted his face. He marched past me without a word or look, though his dog paused, whining and leaping at the gate to attract my notice. Offense was on his brow, sorrow in his eyes. He bore the air of one who had been deeply and outrageously insulted.

"Are we all bewitched?" I asked myself as I stared after him in a stupor of amazement.

A scratching and rustling above my head aroused me from my dazed condition. I looked up.

Victorine stood at her window, her brow bent, her mouth grim. And from the long, black pole with its tarnished golden knob her weather stained flag once more floated.

CHAPTER V.

That Harry should pass me with frowning brows and averted eyes was such a shock that even at this date I cannot recall it calmly.

I supposed, of course, that his strange conduct and Victorine's despair were caused by their knowledge of Mr. Summers' offer of the previous evening. But why should Harry behave as he did? Of course under the circumstances we could not have expected the consent of Mr. Summers to our marriage, nor could I give myself to the son of a man who had so injured the feelings of my sister. I was prepared for sorrow, but we should not have parted thus. We could at least have said goodby tenderly. To cut me outright was ungentlemanly, brutal, boorish. I decided that I felt nothing but contempt for him. My anger blazed high.

I sailed with firm steps and scornful air to my own room, gathered his gifts together and was about to make a par-

"Oh, my poor child, don't grieve so."

cel of them, when the sight of his photograph caused me to realize the fact that "to be wroth with one we love doth work like madness on the brain," and I fairly broke down. Casting myself upon the bed, I wept bitterly. The end of the world seemed to have come. After awhile some one stole softly into the room. I knew the frou frou of Victorine's gown, the tap of her high heels.

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Probably never before in the history of congress were there witnessed such scenes as marked the close of the great tariff debate in the house. The galleries were packed with an audience whose enthusiasm at times, while the great and final speech-making was in progress, interrupted the proceedings on the floor, and caused the chair, on several occasions, to restore order. The trio of brilliant lights of the house, ex-Speaker Reed, Speaker Crisp and Chairman Wilson, who were assigned the duty of presenting the final arguments, are the recipients to-day of much flattering congratulation on their masterly efforts. Chairman Wilson, in particular, who has barely had time to secure the sleep necessary to keep life in his body for the past few weeks, is the lion of the hour among his colleagues, and even those who were bitterly opposed to the measure just passed, admit that he is deserving of much credit from his party.

Carried Wilson on Their Shoulders.

At the conclusion of Mr. Wilson's speech there was enacted a scene of wild enthusiasm such as has never before been witnessed in the house within the memory of the oldest member. The applause which broke out at frequent intervals during the speech overleaped all bounds when Mr. Wilson tried to take his seat. Cheer after cheer rang out again and again, men threw their hats and papers in the air and the women their handkerchiefs. Breckinridge, of Arkansas, embraced the speaker, and a crowd of democrats surrounded the speaker, headed by Mr. Bryan, of Nebraska, and Mr. Tucker, of Virginia, raised Mr. Wilson upon their shoulders and carried him in triumph out of the hall and to his committee rooms.

Amid the din and confusion of the house the speaker announced that debate was closed, and that pursuant to the special order the house would vote upon the amendments. He announced that the vote would first be taken on Mr. Tawney's amendment raising the duty on barley from 20 per cent. to 29 cents per bushel, and on malt from 30 per cent. to 32 cents per bushel. Defeated, yeas, 120; nays, 197.

Mr. Wilson's amendment raising the duty on barley from 20 per cent. to 25 per cent. ad valorem, and on barley malt from 30 per cent. to 35 per cent. was then voted on and agreed to; yeas, 204; nays, 114.

Separate Votes Taken.

Separate votes were demanded on the following amendments adopted in committee of the whole: By Mr. Johnson, dem., O., on the amendment providing that the wool paragraph should take effect Aug. 2, 1894; Mr. Charles W. Stone, rep., Pa., on the amendment striking out the reciprocity clause of the petroleum schedule, and by several New York democrats on the income tax amendment. The other amendments, including the two important amendments to the sugar schedule, that repealing the bounty on sugar and the Warner amendment putting refined sugar on the free list, were agreed to on a viva voce vote.

The internal revenue amendment was carried amid applause, yeas 182, nays 50. Forty-two democrats voting no. Five republicans voted yea.

With the exception of these five votes and those of McCall, Mass., Powers, Vt., and Scranton, Pa., who voted against the internal revenue amendment, the republicans refrained from voting on this proposition.

The amendments in committee having all been agreed to in the house, the question was upon the engrossing and third reading of the bill, and it was agreed to.

Mr. Covert, dem., N. Y., offered a resolution of recommittal and on this demanded the previous question. This was ordered without division, but Covert demanded the yeas and nays but this demand was voted down, ayes 86, noes 227, not one fifth seconding the demand. The motion to recommit was then defeated, by a vote 103-177, the announcement of the vote being greeted with loud applause.

The Final Vote.

The speaker then put the question "Shall the bill pass," and the yeas and nays being demanded on this, the roll was called amidst the most intense interest on the floor and in the galleries. As the names of the doubtful democrats were reached and they voted "Aye" or "No" applause, cheers and sometimes good natured bantering followed their votes. The greatest applause followed Mr. Cockran's vote of "Aye", and also Mr. Cummings negative vote, and the affirmative vote of Everett, Mass., Geissenhainer, N. J., Lockwood, N. Y., Magner, McAleer, Tracy, Beltzhoover, Warner, Blanchard and Boatner. Republican applause greeted the votes in the negative of Campbell, Covert, Cummings, Davey, La.; Geary, Cal.; Haines, N. Y.; Hendrix, N. Y.; Price, La.; Robertson, La.; Schermerhorn, N. Y.; Sibley, Penn.; Sickles, N. Y.; Sperry, Conn. When the names of Mr. Wilson and the speaker were called great cheers greeted their answers of "aye."

The populists all voted for the bill except Mr. Newlands, Nev.

The vote was announced at 5:25 o'clock as follows: Yeas 203, nays 140, so the bill was declared passed, with a wild shout from the floor and the galleries. A later and more careful examination of the vote showed that 204 had voted for the bill, including the speaker. The announcement was greeted with cheering and applause in the galleries and on the floor, which continued until the house adjourned.

The vote in detail was as follows:

YEAS—Abbott, Alderson, Alexander, Allen, Arnold, Bailey, Baker, Baldwin, Bankhead, Barnes, Barwig, Bell, Col.; Bell, Tex.; Beltzhoover, Berry, Black, Ga.; Black, Ill.; Blanchard, Bland, Boatner, Boen, Bower, N.C.; Branch, Brawley, Breckinridge, Ark.; Breckinridge, Ky.; Brets, Brinckner, Brookshire, Brown, Brue, Bunn, Burnes, Byrum, Cabaniss, Caminetti, Cannon, Cal.; Capehart, Caruth, Catchings, Causey, Clancy, Clark, Mo.; Clarke, Ala.; Cobb, Ala.; Cobb, Mo.; Cockran, Cockrell, Coffeen, Compton, Conn.; Coombs, Cooper, Fla.; Cooper, Ind.; Cooper, Tex.; Cornish, Cox, Crain, Crawford, Culberson, Davis, Kas.; Denson, DeArmond, DeForest, Dinmore, Donovan, Dockery, Dunn, Dunphy, Duborow, Edmunds, Ellis, Ky.; English, Enloe, Epes, Erkman, Everett, Fielder, Fithian, Forman, Fyan, Geissenhainer, Goldrider, Goodnight, Gorman, Gardy, Gresham, Griffin, Hall, Minn.; Hall, Mo.; Hammond, Hare, Harris, Harter, Hatch, Hayes, Heard, Henderson, N. C.; Hines, Holman, Hooker, Miss.; Houk, O.; Hudson, Hunter, Hutcheson, Ikirt, Johnson, O.; Jones, Kem, Kilgore, Kribbs, Kyle, Lane, Lapham, Latimer, Lawson, Layton, Lester, Lisle, Livingston, Lynch, Lockwood, Maddox, Magner, Maguire, Mallory, Marshall, Martin, Iad., McAleer, McCreary, Ky.; McCulloch, McDonald, McDearmon, McEttrick, McKeigan, McGann, McKaig McLaurin, McMillin, McNagny, McRae, Meredith, Money, Montgomery, Morgan, Moses, Mutchler, Neill, Oates, O'Neill, Mass.; Outhwaite, Paschal, Patterson, Paynter, Pearson, Pence, Pendleton, Tex; Pendleton, W. Va.; Pigott, Rayner, Reilly, Richards, O.; Richardson, Mich.; Richardson, Tenn.; Ritchie, Robbins, Rusk, Russell, Ga.; Ryan, Sayers, Snell, Simpson, Snodgrass, Somers, Springer, Stallings, Stockdale, Stone, Ky.; Strait, Swanson, Talbert, S. C.; Talbott, Md.; Tarsney, Tate, Taylor, Ind.; Terry; Tracey, Tucker, Turner, Turpin, Tyler, Warner, Washington, Weadock, Wells, Wheeler, Ala.; Whiting, Williams, Ill.; Williams, Miss.; Wilson, W. Va.; Wise, Wolverton, Woodard and Charles F. Crisp, speaker.—204.

NAYS—Adams, Ky.; Adams, Penn.; Aitken, Aldrich, Apsley, Avery, Babcock, Baker, N. H.; Bartholdt, Bartlett, Belden, Bingham, Blair, Boutelle, Bowers, Cal.; Broderick, Broslus, Bundy, Burrows, Cadmus, Caldwell, Campbell, Cannon, Ill.; Calckering, Childs, Cogswel, Cooper, Wis.; Cousins, Covert, Cummings, Curtis, Kas.; Curtis, N. Y.; Dalzell, Daniels, Davey, La.; Dingley, Dolliver, Doolittle, Draper, Ellis, Ore.; Fletcher, Funk, Funston, Gardner, Gear, Geary, Gillett, N. Y.; Gillet, Mass.; Grosvenor, Grout, Hager, Hainor, Neb.; Haines, Harmer, Hartman, Haugen, Heiner, Penn.; Henderson, Ia.; Henderson, Ill.; Hendrix, Hepburn, Hartmann, Hicks, Hilborn, Hitt, Hooker, N. Y.; Hopkins, Ill.; Hulick, Hull, Johnson, Ind.; Johnson, N. D.; Joy, Keifer, Lacey, Lefevre, Linton, Loud, Loudenslager, Lucas, Mahon, Marsh, Marvin, N. Y.; McCall, McCleary, Minn.; McDowell, Meiklejohn, Mercer, Meyer, Moon, Morse, Murray, Newlands, Northway, Page, Payne, Perkins, Phillips, Pickler, Post, Powers, Price, Randall, Ray, Reed, Rayburn, Robertson, La.; Robinson, Penn.; Russell, Conn.; Schermerhorn, Scranton, Settle, Shaw, Snerman, Sibley, Sickles, Smith, Sperry, Stephenson, Charles W. Stone, Wm. A. Stone, Storer, Strong, Taylor, Tenn.; Thomas, Updegraff, Van Voorhis, N. Y.; Van Voorhis, O.; Wadsworth, Walker, Wanger, Waugh, Wheeler, Ill.; Waver, White, Wilson, O.; Wilson, Wash.; Woomer, Wright, Mass.; Wright, Penn.—140.

ABSENTEES—Brattan, Hopkins, Houk, Milliken, Sweet, Sipe, Stevens and Graham.

The absentees on this vote numbered 13, of whom Messrs. Hopkins, Penn., and Sweet, Idaho, had been in attendance during the day but were compelled to leave before the roll call. A physician was present with Mr. Hopkins. Mr. Stevens, a member of the ways and means, did not vote.

The usual motions to reconsider and to lay on the table were made by Mr. Wilson and were carried, and the house then adjourned until to-day at 12 o'clock.

The Lehigh in Luck.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 2.—Through the sale of $3,500,000 four per cent. bonds of the city of Newark, N. J., the Lehigh Valley Railroad company is enriched to the extent of between $1,650,000 and $1,750,000. The bonds were paid by the city to the East Jersey Water company for water supplies. The Lehigh Valley owns a half interest in the water company and the railroad receives one-half of the profits from the sale. This places the Lehigh Valley in a position to pay off so much of its floating debt at or before maturity.

The Courts Must Decide.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Feb. 2.—Attorney-General Stockton, in his opinion to Gov. Werts regarding the senatorial deadlock, says he has no doubt of the jurisdiction of the supreme court in a case where there are two conflicting legislatures to determine by which body legislative authority can be lawfully exercised, and that in his opinion the republicans should stop filibustering and go into the courts to settle the right of majority at once.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

HE AIDED BROCKWAY

Brower Censured By the Investigating Committee.

Gave the Ex-Superintendent a Copy of His Report in Advance—The Financial Subject Not to Be Touched In Consequence—Keeper Sample Tells About the "Strap."

ELMIRA, N. Y., Feb. 2.—The defense before the reformatory investigating committee yesterday caused quite a breeze by placing John Bowers, a Rochester accountant, on the stand. Mr. Bowers was employed by the investigating committee with the approval of the state comptroller to examine the reformatory finances. Commissioner Litchfield took him in hand and drew from him an acknowledgment that he had furnished Mr. Brockway with a copy of his report. He said he had left the copy with a strict injunction that it should not be used in any way until the committee made it public. It was also discovered that the report was written out by a typewriter employed by Mr. Brockway. Commissioner Litchfield said to the witness:

"You were employed by the committee to make this examination of the financial affairs of the institution, and your report was a matter which should have been kept secret and made to the committee and not to any other person. As you have very unwisely and improperly furnished a copy of the report to the management of the institution in advance of its reception by the committee, the committee does not propose to allow the defense to go into the matter in any way, and I propose to allow no questions to be asked that will divulge anything that went into that report."

Judge Gilbert also opposed taking up the financial management by the defense as the prosecution had closed without making any charges of financial wrong doing.

Keeper Sample enlivened the proceedings with an account of the sensations he experienced when Principal Keeper Winne spanked him with the paddle as a test of the severity of the punishment which Superintendent Brockway administered to inmates. He said that the first blow produced numbness, the second a smarting sensation as though one thousand needles were penetrating the flesh and the third blow felt like ten thousand needles. He said that he received six blows upon his bare back and gave Winne six blows in return, although Winne said he was satisfied when four blows had been struck. Sample said that the blows produced redness but did not make the skin black and blue. The witness said that about two weeks ago he tried the stringing up process by having two officers handcuff and hoist him up until his feet were clear off the floor. He remained in that position twelve seconds and described the experience as a very painful one.

WAR IN NEW YORK SENATE.

Republicans Unseat McCarty By Means Democrats Claim Illegal.

ALBANY, Feb. 2.—The senate was in a lively muss yesterday over the contested seat of Senator McCarty. On one ruling Senator Saxton appealed from the decision of the lieutenant governor. The chair would not put the appeal, as it was not a question of order. Mr. Saxton then directed the clerk to put the appeal and after more wrangling, the chair warning him that he had no power to do so, the clerk called the roll. The vote was noes 19. The decision of the chair, the clerk said was overruled. The chair refused to recognize the vote.

Senator Saxton then asked the clerk to put the question on the adoption of the majority report of the privileges and elections committee. The clerk put the question and it received 19 affirmative votes, the democrats protesting against the proceedings. The clerk declared the resolution seating Mr. Wolfert, carried.

The lieutenant governor declared that the vote was illegal and of no force and that Senator McCarty was still the senator from the Sixth district.

After the adjournment the lieutenant-governor said that no vote had been taken on Senator Wolff's resolution, and that, therefore, that was still pending, and he should so rule in the day.

As soon as Mr. Wolfert has been sworn in the republicans will have Mr. McCarty's name stricken from the roll.

Woman's Suffrage Meetings.

AMSTERDAM, N. Y., Feb. 2.—The first of a series of woman's suffrage meetings was held in this city yesterday afternoon. Mrs. E. Calkins, of Albany, spoke upon "Why Great Reformers Believe in Equal Suffrage." Miss Susan B. Anthony made an address last evening. Mrs. Mary Seymour Howell, of Albany, will speak this afternoon.

Offer the Stockholders the Bonds.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—The Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway has issued a circular offering to stockholders the privilege of purchasing $1,000,000 in bonds, held in the treasury, at prices which will yield $700,000. The money will be used in improving the physical condition of the property.

Fight Over a Postmastership.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Postmaster General Bissell yesterday listened to the claims of the various candidates for the postmastership at Frederick, Md. There was a large delegation present to urge the claim of David Wertheimer. His opponent is Dr. Edward T. Sherry, who, it is said, is endorsed by Senator Gorman. The fight, it is believed will be brought to the attention of the president for settlement.

The food richest in phosphates and bone-forming material is

H-O Hornby's Oatmeal

To the growing child it means formative growth — force — energy.

HIS STEALINGS SMALL.

But Will Cause Uncle Sam Lots of Trouble.

About 240 Tons of Silver Coin Must Be Counted and Weighed to Determine the Amount Anderson Got Away With—A Shortage of $794 Discovered So Far.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The peculations of James Anderson, the 18-year-old lad whose arrest for stealing silver from the vaults of the treasury was mentioned in these dispatches yesterday, prove more serious than was supposed. They amount to $794 as far as has been ascertained and the enquiry is still in progress.

The method of the theft was somewhat similar, though on a much smaller scale, to that pursued by Cochran with the gold in the Philadelphia mint. Anderson had access to the silver vaults for the purpose of showing visitors through. He pried open the woodwork of some of the silver chests near the lattice work, slit the bags containing the silver dollars and helped himself to a few dollars at a time as he wanted them. Whether his peculations will amount to more than the seven or eight hundred dollars thus far found out can only be ascertained by a recount of the silver.

There are seven or eight million silver dollars in the vaults. Each million dollars of silver weighs in round figures thirty tons so that the amount of money to be handled is about 240 tons. This will necessitate a force of ten or twelve men to work for two weeks or more counting and weighing the silver.

The cost of this additional labor—a thousand dollars or more—will be the only loss the United States will sustain, as the law makes the treasurer responsible under his bond for all losses through the dishonesty of employes and gives him no voice in their selection. Anderson has been held in $300 bond for the action of the grand jury. Fast company was the cause of his downfall. He was about to appear for final examination for admission to West Point.

PUBLIC DEBT STATEMENT.

An Increase of Nearly Eight Million Dollars During January.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The debt statement just issued shows a net increase in the public debt less cash in the treasury during January of $7,830,064.33. The interest-bearing debt increased $7,600,000; the non-interest bearing debt increased $1,235,628.80; and the cash in the treasury decreased $6,995,436.53.

The balances of the several classes of debt at the close of business January 31 were: Interest-bearing debt $585,040,000; debt on which interest has ceased since maturity $1,884,630.26; debt bearing no interest $378,217,806.67. Total $965,142,436.93.

The certificates and treasury notes offset by an equal amount of cash in the treasury outstanding at end of month were $612,059,181.00, an increase of $7,741,757.00. The total cash in the treasury was $767,120,153.69. The gold reserve was $65,680,175.00; net cash balance $18,431,924.89.

In the month there was a decrease in gold coin and bars of $15,636,184.76, the total at the close being $142,865,504.37. Of silver there was an increase of $6,434,546.31. Of the surplus there was in national bank depositories $16,688,354.91, against $16,154,384.48 at the end of the previous month.

For a New Telephone Service.

KINGSTON, N. Y., Feb. 2.—Several projects for a new telephone service in Delaware, Sullivan and Orange counties have been started as the time of the expiration of the telephone patents approaches. At Ellentown, Middletown and other places many subscribers have been secured by persons having the project under charge, and when the scheme as outlined is carried out Goshen, Bloomingburg, Port Jervis and intermediate points will be connected and the territory in Orange, Sullivan and Ulster counties will be covered, all of which are now reached by the Hudson River Telephone company.

"Pony" Moore Arrested.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—"Pony" Moore was arrested last night on a Broadway car opposite the Metropolitan hotel and taken to the Mulberry street station charged with assaulting Conductor Jacob Cohen. Cohen said that Moore assaulted him because he had ordered him to cease using vile language. In Moore's party at the time was Charlie Mitchell, his son-in-law. Moore furnished $500 bail, and he and his party returned to the hotel.

Approved By Satolli.

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 2.—Mgr. Satolli has written a letter to Bishop Wigger saying that he approves the course taken by the bishop when, on Dec. 15, 1893, he ordered the late Father Corrigan, of Hoboken, to divide equally between himself and his three curates the moneys collected at the masses said in his church on All Souls Day, in accordance with the established custom.

A Sensational Suit Withdrawn.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 2.—The celebrated suit of Pratt against Kennedy, an action in which the plaintiff, Mrs. Charles R. Pratt, sued the defendant, Mrs. Elizabeth F. Kennedy, alias Mrs. Charles R. Pratt, for $50,000 damages, for alienating her husband's affection and which created such a sensation in the society circles of this city, has just been withdrawn.

Found Dead in His House.

SOMERVILLE, N. J., Feb. 2.—Frederick C. Peck, 30 years old, a son of Ira Peck, the millionaire of Orange, was found dead yesterday in his house near Basking Ridge. Young Peck lived alone, and it is said, drank to excess. It is supposed that a lamp exploded in his room and that he died from suffocation.

Princess Victoria's Wedding.

BERLIN, Feb. 2.—Queen Victoria, Emperor William and the Prince of Wales will attend the wedding of Princess Victoria Melita of Coburg to the Grand Duke of Hesse, both of whom are grandchildren of Queen Victoria.

Mr. Child's Condition.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 2.—This morning Mr. Child's physicians said that their patient had a better night though there is no striking change in his condition.

WOULD NOT ATTEND

Willis Refuses to Join in a Hawaiian Celebration.

Declines for Himself and United States Naval Officers the Invitation of President Dole to Attend the Abrogation Day Reception—Hopes for More Friendly Relations.

HONOLULU, Jan. 17, via San Francisco, Feb. 2, per brig W. G. Irwin:

To-day is to be observed as abrogation day. It is the first anniversary of the abrogation of the Hawaiian monarchy. Great enthusiasm is expected in the celebration. Among the chief exercises are a morning parade of the military forces, a reception in the council room, formerly throne room, and a mass meeting in the evening on Palace square, which has just been "dubbed" Union square by the Annexation club. United States Minister Willis has declined for himself and for the admiral and United States naval officers, the president's invitation to the reception. He closes his note by expressing the hope that more satisfactory relations may soon obtain between the two governments. Last night no reply to a similar invitation had been received from Minister Wodehouse, the British representative, who is an almost open partisan of the queen. No difficulty has arisen between him and this government. He lately complained to the president of a disparaging remark reprinted here from American papers, but received satisfactory assurance.

A hasty call on the morning of the 13th by Minister Willis upon President Dole gave rise to many surmises, because no such visit had before been made. President Dole, however, says that the interview was wholly suitable and called for the elucidation of an expression in Mr. Dole's long letter to Mr. Willis which the latter was about to forward to Washington per the Monowai. Mr. Dole was glad of the opportunity to supply the needed explanation.

The American league is rapidly growing and is coming to the front as the chief political organization in support of the provisional government and the cause of annexation. The night before last a strong resolution was passed opposing the further importation of Chinese laborers, 5,000 of whom the government had agreed to allow admission to the islands. The Star, which sides with the league, recommends conceding to the Japanese government equal terms of suffrage to its people with other foreigners, rather than admit Chinese. Feeling in the league goes deeper than this. They desire to see Hawaii become a white man's country, and not mainly given up to great estates of capitalists, manned by Asiatic laborers. It is becoming evident that party lines are going to run mainly upon these issues for the future. The planting interest is certain to make a strong fight for itself. Planters, as a class, however, are unlikely to antagonize annexation, or any government which tends towards it.

HOT AFTER PRIZE FIGHTERS.

They May Be Prohibited from Appearing in Shows in Massachusetts.

BOSTON, Feb. 2.—Mr. Spaulding, of Cambridge, has introduced a bill in the house to prevent the exhibition of prize fighters. Its provisions are that whoever exhibits or permits to be exhibited, or employs for exhibition in any theatre or public place, any person who has been engaged in a prize fight in this or any other state within two years prior to said exhibition, or permits any such persons taking part in any performance or exhibition in any theatre or public place, shall be punished by imprisonment in jail or the house of correction for a term not exceeding one month; also that the participation of any prize fighter in any performance or show in any theatre shall in itself make void the license of the theatre and such performance or show.

Object to Mrs. Carnegie's Admission.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—There was great excitement at the annual meeting of the New York Yacht club last night over the application of Mrs. Lucy C. Carnegie for membership. After a long discussion her application was laid on the table, as it was decided that under the constitution a woman could not become a regular member. Only five members voted in her favor. As Mrs. Carnegie desired only to fly the colors of the club, a committee was appointed to consider the question of allowing women to become associate members.

One Accident on the Detroit.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The only victim of the hostilities between da Gama and Benham in Rio harbor, so far as yet reported, is passed assistant paymaster G. W. Simpson, of the Detroit. According to a despatch from Admiral Benham, Mr. Simpson accidentally shot himself in the leg while handling a revolver. The injury is slight. It is presumed at the department that Mr. Simpson was putting his weapon in order for the expected battle when the accident occurred.

The Servant Was the Burglar.

BOSTON, Feb. 2.—Mary Kenney, the Cambridge servant girl who startled the police a month ago with a story of an attempted burglary at the house of her mistress while the family were absent, in which she played the part of a heroine in seizing a bag containing $1,500 worth of property from the burglar, has pleaded guilty to the charge of stealing $20 and a gold watch from her employer. She was held in $500 for the grand jury.

Anarchist Convicts Create a Riot.

GENOA, Feb. 2.—There was a riot yesterday among the convicts in the prison here. Several men displayed a black flag at a window and shouted "Hurrah for De Felice!" "Long live anarchy!" After a brief struggle the warders overcame the convicts and restored order.

New York State Treasurer's Report.

ALBANY, Feb. 2.—State Treasurer Colvin reports for January as follows: Balance of cash in treasury Jan. 1, $1,971,678; receipts during January, $1,194,833; payments during January, $951,314; balance cash in treasury Feb. 1, $1,014,845.

Bank Notes Outstanding.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The amount of national bank notes outstanding Feb. 1, is stated at $207,[illegible], a decrease during January of $676,[illegible].

THE DAILY PRESS.

A. L. FORCE, - - Publisher and Proprietor.
WALTER IRVING CLARKE, - Managing Editor.

CIRCULATION EQUAL TO THAT OF THE NEWS AND THE COURIER COMBINED.

The project to furnish State arms to the Plainfield corps is most earnestly commended to the Governor's attention.

The ease of catching your man depends on whether you want to notify him of his nomination to office or to summon him as an unwilling witness. Captain Grant should have carried Legislative bait in his pocket last night.

The Prospective Plainfield Postmasters are now bunching together in a fine burst of speed on the homestretch. Each relies on a pull of his own to carry him through, but Congressman Dunn keeps 'em all guessing. Some who think that Mr. Dunn's manly speeches have aroused Presidential antagonism because the views advanced seem to conflict with some of the Administration opinions, dare to state that the valiant Congressman won't be permitted to have the say after all—but that's only talk. You keep your eye on the man that ties to the Congressman.

A Trio of Giantesses.

(From The Dunellen Weekly Call.)

The total weight of three sisters which were weighed upon the scales of one of our merchants one day this week was 580 pounds, or an average of 193⅓ pounds.

Fat Men's Idea of Fun.

[From The Newark Evening News.]

On Washington's Birthday there will be a "fat men's" walking match from Irvington to Plainfield, in which several Irvingtonians will compete.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The great 19 cent sale is drawing crowds to Fulper's.

—Miantonomoh Tribe of Red Men will make adoptions tonight.

—A hundred more loaded coal cars were placed on track 4 this morning.

—Three extra machinists were taken on in the Potter Press Works yesterday.

—The petit jury meets Monday to try criminal cases before Judge McCormick

—A large number of young people spent last evening in coasting on Broadway hill.

—At the North Avenue Telephone Exchange you can buy a 'phone today for $1 75.

—A fine turkey, left by a modest donor, was found on the Soup Kitchen table this morning.

—The Arthur Kulls will come to Plainfield this evening to bowl with the C. Y. M. L. team.

—3 cents will secure any poor person a a big bowl of soup in the W. C. T. U. rooms any noon.

—From present indications it would seem probable that the G. A. R. posts will observe Memorial Day separately.

—A $250 horse owned by Harry Campbell had his leg broken by a kick in the stable last night and had to be killed this morning.

—The case of Edward Galley against H. A. Voehl and others, for right of property, is postponed for one week from tomorrow.

—It is asserted that when every light in the Seventh-Day Baptist Church is in use, the cost of illumination is about $3 per hour.

—The electric lamps at 17 Duer street, Duer street and Craig place, and 1105 Putnam avenue, have been unlighted for three nights.

—Samuel St. John McCutchen has written to the Westfield Standard, protesting against being called Mayor when the honor is not his.

—A committee of Iona Council women met last night and made the preliminary arrangements for a masquerade ball in the latter part of March.

—Four 'coons were treed and killed near New Providence yesterday by a Plainfield hunting party—William Long, Edward Williams, George Moffatt and Charles E. Emmons.

—A meeting of the North Plainfield Township Committee was held in the Borough Council rooms last evening. No business of importance was transacted except the payment of the regular bills.

—A number of the members of the Riding Club gathered in the Crescent Riding Academy last night, but as the lighting company would not turn on the gas the regular weekly ride was not held.

—Louis Levin was arrested by Policeman McCue last night for disorderly behavior on the Central Railroad tracks. His sentence in the City Court this morning was a $2 fine or 15 days' imprisonment.

—Kelly & Campbell have received so far this season 2,000 boxes of oranges from their groves on the St. John's River, Florida. Picking and shipping began in November and will be continued until the middle of March.

—The change of date in the Choral Society rehearsal next week is made to give the members an opportunity to attend the Scharwenka Concert Monday evening; and Vincent Chapel is engaged for Tuesday evening.

—Last year was tough on the fire insurance companies. As a sample of one big company's losses, it may be stated that the German American, of which John W. Murray is Vice-President, had 8,000 cases of loss, including 75 in one day.

—Alterations and decorations were completed today in the store of Ulrich & Blatz, the West Front street butchers. The private office has been removed to the rear to give more space for the new firm's increasing business. Contractor John McEwan did the work.

—The annual meeting for the election of officers of the local branch of the New Jersey Building Loan and Investment Company, and for the transaction of such other business as may be necessary, will be held Tuesday evening, February 6, at 8, in the Republican Association Hall, 130 East Front street.

CHASING A COUNCILMAN.

ELUSIVE MR. FRAZEE GIVES CHIEF GRANT A LIVELY HUSTLE.

The Fourth Ward Statesman Escapes the Ordeal of Being a Witness for Both Sides in the Cooney-Zeisz Case, and the Police Board Considers the Evidence Without Him.

George W. Grant, Chief of Police, was chasing after Vincent L. Frazee, Councilman and Model Marketman, last night, but the good-looking and good-natured Fourth Warder kept out of sight.

Ordinarily Mr. Frazee is the last workingman except the newspaper all-nighters to turn into bed. That's why he was one of the first at the Central Hotel midnight fire, three weeks ago. And because he was working late that night and at that fire is why he shut up shop so early last night and gave the veteran policeman a game of hide-and-seek.

The Central Hotel fire was the scene of the conflict between Fireman George Zeisz and Policeman Joseph Cooney, which resulted in the temporary arrest of Zeisz. Last night the Police Board met to hear the evidence in that case.

Mayor Gilbert, in whose office took place the hearing, presided; and President See and Councilmen Stockton, Millington and Dumont were the other members present, constituting a full Board.

A dozen firemen, four policemen, and a few civilians, filled the seats and stood, outside the rail. Councilman Erickson, as a witness, sat with the Board within.

Zeisz told the story of his grievance—how he had attended the fire in the discharge of his duty and had been interfered with, thrown down and locked up by Policeman Cooney.

A number of witnesses testified to the throwing down and the arrest.

Cooney explained that he had only sought to keep back the crowd; that Zeisz had worn no uniform, hat, nor badge, to distinguish him as a fireman; that, not recognizing him as a fireman, he had shoved him back and arrested him when he resisted. He said that he had not thrown Zeisz, but that his thick glove made his grasp slippery and Zeisz had fallen in jerking loose from him.

Cooney insisted that Zeisz was intoxicated and disorderly, at the fire. Zeisz insisted that he was sober, though he had been drinking. Chief Engineer Doane said he thought Zeisz was not drunk. Sergeant Kiely and Councilman Erickson stated that Zeisz staggered, when released from the station-house that night.

Various witnesses volunteered the opinion that the policeman had used unnecessary force in handling the prisoner. Cooney said that rightfully he should have held Zeisz and pressed a charge against him, but had decided to make no charge out of respect to Councilmen Erickson and Fisk who had by their unusual presence indicated an interest in the prisoner. He admitted, at the request of Mr. Erickson, that they had not offered any suggestions concerning the disposal of the prisoner.

The Board seemed satisfied with the abundance of the testimony, but sought more light on the matter of the altercation preceding the arrest. Exact evidence seemed scarce, concerning the provocation, and here was where Councilman Frazee was wanted to fill in the gap.

Both sides claimed him for a witness, but the police made the most effort to find him. Two or three times officers detailed to interview him brought back word that he was too busy to appear, and Mayor Gilbert finally sent Chief Grant with a special request from the Board for his presence.

The Chief found the store locked, but by dint of much rattling and banging he brought a hired man to the front who opened the door at a crack and said Mr. Frazee had gone out for half an hour. The Chief did not go down the alley nor into the back of the store; neither did he seek him at the play nor at the Indian revival; but returned to the Mayor's room and said "I knew yesterday he did n't want to come, 'cause he said he was n't going to get mixed up in the case; but if I'd thought he was going to disappoint us I'd have subpœnaed him and made him appear".

Having heard all the evidence at hand, Mayor Gilbert announced that enough had been told to satisfy the Board, and the witnesses and spectators filed out, leaving the Board in executive session.

Mayor Gilbert and President See were asked afterwards if any statement of their decision was to be made for publication, and they replied "Not yet".

It is believed, however, that at the next meeting of the Council, Monday night, they will exonerate Policeman Cooney.

Whether or not they will urge the investigation of charges against Zeisz remains to be seen. During the hearing the Mayor brought out the fact that Zeisz had at one time been guilty of drunkenness in the company's house.

Councilman Fisk was to give evidence for Cooney, similar to that of Councilman Erickson, but was detained in New York and did not reach Plainfield till 9:37, too late to appear.

Citizens Organized Aid Association—Householders Tickets.

We desire to remind the householders of Plainfield of the tickets issued by the Citizens Organized Aid Association and now procurable at the office of the association, corner of Park and North avenues. One of these tickets may be given to any person applying for relief at the door or on the street, and on presentation at the office, signed by the donor, the applicant's case will be promptly investigated and a proper disposition made of it. If the donor desires to give the relief, he will receive from the agent at the office the result of the investigation. 24 2w

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure only 1c a dose; 25c, 50c, $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 308 North ave., opp. station.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation; 25c, 50c, $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 308 North ave., opp. station.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Lawrence Myers, of East Front street, is quite ill.

Addie, the little daughter of John H. Carney, of Craig place, is ill.

Miss Butler, of New York, is visiting at the home of Dr. E. W. Hedges.

William C. Kelly, of Oak Tree, will start on a trip to Florida next week.

Miss Cornwell of Washington street is visiting friends in Washington, D. C.

Miss Kent of Elizabeth is visiting Mrs. Howard A. Pope of West Fifth street.

City Clerk John F. Maloney, of Dunkirk, N. Y., is visiting F. A. Dunham.

Mrs. W. C. Butler is very much worse today, and her condition is quite critical.

William J. Tobin, of West Fourth street, is dangerously ill at his home with the grip.

Miss Mary French, of West Seventh street, gave a progressive whist party last evening.

Invitations are out for a sociable to be given at the home of George Schaffer, of Orchard place, next Wednesday evening.

Charles W. Smith, formerly employed in the Scott Press Works, is ill with the grip at his home, 336 East Second street.

Seymour G. Smith of 959 Central avenue was able to dress yesterday morning for the first time since his attack of illness.

About sixty young people, including a number from Plainfield, surprised George Thomas at his home in Bound Brook last night.

A. Bartlett, Jr., has taken one of the Miller flats, corner of Park avenue and Fourth street, and will move in on the 15th of this month.

A chrysthemum sociable was given by members of the Methodist Ladies Aid Society of Dunellen at the home of Mrs. F. H. Gise last evening.

Justice Mosher today issued a summons returnable a week from Monday in the case on contract of Albert E. Nelson against F. C. Church.

The women of the Home Missionary Society of Grace M. E. Church will hold a sociable this evening at the home of Jacob Voehl on Somerset street.

Bishop Scarborough will hold an informal reception in the Parish House of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, tomorrow evening, from 8 to 9.

Miss Mary L. Mellick, aged 65, died at her home near the driving park Wednesday from consumption. The funeral was held at 2 this afternoon, the interment being made in Metuchen.

The Independent Fife and Drum Corps have appointed F. Manchester, D. Bodine, H. Adams, L. B. Bodine and Harry Ackerman, a committee on their dance in Hulett's Hall, February 21.

Fifty covers were laid at the dinner given by William J. Boome at his residence corner of Sycamore and Willow avenues last evening. A number of the guests present were from New York.

D. L. Linbarger was back in town yesterday, resuming charge of the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company business in this section. The Mutual's a great concern, and writes just the kind of policy a sensible man wants.

"SON, REMEMBER!"

Another Powerful Sermon by Evangelist Wright.

The evangelistic meeting in the First Presbyterian Church last night was another impressive service. Every seat was filled. During the evening Miss Blanche Fellows sang tenderly and affectingly "Jesus of Nazareth". Evangelist Wright gave a solemn and powerful sermon on Heaven or hell. His lesson was from the parable of Lazarus, and his text was "Son, remember"—Luke xvi:25. After his discourse, a testimony meeting of five minutes was held, and many testimonies of old and young Christians were volunteered.

Many went to the front row of seats and offered up their hearts on the altar of confession.

Evangelist Wright is doing a most effective work. Dr. Yerkes sat on the pulpit platform last night.

Their Supper Made Them Sick.

George Perrine and J. W. Cramer, two laborers on the streets under the card system, were not at work this morning. A fellow-workman said the men, who live together in the West End, and Mrs. Perrine, had been accidentally poisoned at supper last night.

Distressing Drowning.

A distressing drowning accident occurred at 8 this morning at the Jersey City side of the Pavonia Ferry, in which Alfred Morey, 25 years old, of Ridgewood, Bergen county, lost his life in a heroic endeavor to rescue his younger brother from a watery grave.

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HER LAWYER NOTIFIED.

The Court Wants to Know Where Princess Colonna Is.

PARIS, Feb. 2.—There was a further hearing in the action of Princess Colonna to secure a judicial separation from her husband. Maitre Dubuit, for the princess, argued that the only question now before the court was one of jurisdiction. He maintained that Prince Colonna was no longer domiciled in Naples, and that therefore an action would lie against him in Paris. He relied for support for his contention on the fact that since his marriage Prince Colonna had generally resided in Paris, where he had a large establishment and horses and carriages.

Maitre Desjardins, who appears for the prince, recounted the arguments advanced in the hearing in the case last week. He also brought to the notice of the tribunal the fact that Princes Colonna had disappeared with the children in defiance of the order of the court permitting Prince Colonna to see the children. Maitre Desjardins demanded that the court order the solicitor of the princess to ascertain and reveal her address within a week.

Judge Beardelais, who heard the case, endorsed the demand of Maitre Desjardins, and the tribunal accordingly made an order requiring the princess' solicitor to learn her address and inform the court.

Newark's Alleged Swindlers Released

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 2.—Col. John T. Hall and Joseph Bart, the men held as alleged swindlers, were discharged from custody at police headquarters late last night, no charge having been made against them.

Coinage During January.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Coinage executed during January at United States mints aggregated 8,130,880 pieces of gold, of the value of $11,637,400.

Notice to the Public.

Having transferred our lumber and coal business to Mr. Curtis M. Thorpe, we respectfully request our patrons to make as early settlement as possible of outstanding accounts, and announce that we shall continue our office at 305-315 Watchung avenue for the convenience of our patrons. Soliciting for our successor a continuance of favors, we thank the public for its patronage of the past.

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DEATHS.

SELLERS—Jan. 31, 1894, at midnight at the residence of his son-in-law, Wm. G. Lord, 52 South street, Newark, N. J., Robert E. Sellers, in the 86th year of his age.
Funeral services from 52 South street, Newark, Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment private in Plainfield. 2

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

WE have calls for some houses that will rent for $30 to $35 per month; send us a list at once. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung ave. 1 22 tf

WANTED—Middle aged woman capable and trustworthy in a family of 3; no washing; good home for the right person. 30 Emily st, North Plainfield. 2 1 tf

HOUSE WANTED of 7 rooms or more, with modern improvements in North Plainfield; to be west of Somerset street and south of Park avenue. Address M., care Press. 2 2 2

LOST—A gold link bracelet, between Hulett's Hall and the Crescent Avenue Church. Reward for return to this office. 2 2 3

LOST—Yesterday, on Somerset street, near bridge, a roll of builder's plans. Reward at Homan's blacksmith shop.

TO LET—Store with basement; steam heated; excellent location for any business; moderate rent. Miller, 339 Park avenue. 2 2 2

WANTED—A cheap work horse. Address P. O. Box 50, Netherwood. 2 2 2

WANTED—House, 5 or 6 rooms; centrally located; possession April 1. Address Z., care Press. 2 1 tf

FOR SALE or to let, house and barn 109 West 4th st. Apply G. W. Force, 111 West 2d st. 2 1 5

TWO desirable rooms to let with or without board. 322 E. 5th st. 2 1 3

STORE to let, 134 North avenue; 20x60; will divide in two stores if desired. Apply F. H. Martin. 2 1 tf

COW for sale; coming in profit. 965 West Front st. 1 31 3

TO LET—10 room house; modern improvements; 127 East 5th st. Apply Wm. H. Brower, 432 Watchung avenue. 1 31 tf

MONEY wanted on bond and mortgage or A 1 property at 6 per cent. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

AN elegant brick and brown stone house for sale or exchange for Plainfield property, on Halsey street, Brooklyn. Edward Love, corner North and Watchung avenues. 12 30 tf

FOR SALE—"The Medical and Surgical History of the Late War"; 4 rare vols. Address Books, care Press. 1 20 tf

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One lot Men's wool half Hose, at 17c., were 25c. One lot Men's camel hair half Hose, at 29c., were 35c. One lot Men's natural, all wool, half Hose, at 31c., were 40c. One lot Men's cashmere, half Hose, at 31c., were 35c.

One lot natural, all wool Shirts and Drawers, at 95c., were $1.25. One lot Men's mixed Shirts and Drawers, at 39c., were 50c. One lot Men's natural wool Shirts and Drawers, at $1.39, were $1.75. One lot red, all wool Shirts and Drawers, at 90c., were $1.25. One lot Ladies' Vests and Pants, at 50c., were 75c.

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Notice of Assignment.

Notice is hereby given that Peter Schultz, of the Borough of Dunellen, county of Middlesex and State of New Jersey, hath this day made an assignment to the subscriber of his estate, for the equal benefit of his creditors, and that the said creditors must exhibit their respective claims under oath or affirmation, to the subscriber at his office, 110 East Front st., Plainfield, New Jersey.

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Ladies' Kid Button were $3.00, now $2.50; ladies' pat tip button were $2 50 now $2; misses' st gt button were $2, now $1.50; men's cork sole bals were $6 now $5; men's cork sole bals were $5, now $4; men's wint r Russia bals were $5, now $3.50; men's patent leather bals were $5, now $4.

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DOMESTIC COMEDY.

PLAINFIELD AMATEURS DO SOME CLEVER ACTING.

Successful Production of "Married Life" by the Young Men's Lyceum—Miss Flanagan, the Sweet-Voiced Songstress, Makes a Hit.

The presentation of a three-act drama exclusively by local talent was the ambitious and remarkably successful effort of the Catholic Young Men's Lyceum last night. Music Hall was well filled, and the entertainment was given without one of the pardonable mistakes which are liable to happen when amateurs compose the cast.

The play—"Married Life"—treated of the troubles of five couples, each of the pair possessing a peculiarity that was laughably emphasized as the plot progressed.

Michael Winn and Miss May Pasemore, as Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Lynx, were first introduced while engaged in a jealous quarrel at the breakfast table. The cause—Mr. Lynx's supposed love for an unknown beauty, who afterwards turns out to be his sister—is the foundation of the simple but clever plot. Mr. Winn did exceedingly well as a misunderstood husband, and Miss Pasemore's impersonation of a jealous wife was full of spirit.

Excellent acting was that of M. J. Cashin and Miss Mary Brennon, who—as Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Younghusband—continually contradicted one another in a most earnest and amusing way.

A singularly mated pair were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Coddle. Charles J. Ward made a very entertainingly absurd old Benedick with his fears for his health and his terror of the result of the bigamy which he thought he had committed. Miss May Flanagan was perfect in her lively dialogue, and in her efforts to arouse Mr. Coddle from the contemplation of coughs and colds.

J. C. Traynor assumed a dignified and gloomy look which fitted well his stage name of George Dismal. Mrs. Dismal's odd character was pleasantly taken by Miss Nora Casey.

The married bliss of a loving couple consisting of a school teacher who had married an illiterate servant gave scope for the acting of T. J. Comerford and Miss Julia Fields. The countless blunders and mispronounced words of Henry Dove—all of which Mrs Dove felt called on to correct carefully—and the many meanings which Mrs. Dove could put into the simple word "Hen-e-ry", were greatly appreciated.

The play was full of interesting and amusing situations. At the close of a dinner party in the second act J. C. Traynor was loudly applauded for his tenor solo, "The Touch of Humanity". In a soprano solo, "The Flower Girl", Miss May Flanagan made a decided hit. Miss Flanagan responded to an encore by singing "The Low-Backed Car". C. J. Ward sang a comic song, "The Prodigal Son", and additional verses in response to repeated encores.

A most enthusiastic reception was accorded to the soprano solo of Miss Josie Shaffer, "Ernani", by Verdi. Two elegant baskets of flowers were presented to her, and a repetition of her response to an encore was demanded.

In closing, after all the tronbles had been adjusted, the singing of "Daisy Bell" by Miss May Pasemore was accompanied by a celebration dance on which the curtain fell.

Much of the excellence of the entertainment is attributed to the efforts of the stage manager, Charles J. Ward, and his assistant, Michael Winn. Nathan H. Guttman's orchestra furnished the music.

The Lyceum's Committee of Arrangements consisted of: J. J. Kenney, T. Carty, J. Flynn, H. Foristel and M. Whalen.

THE GAIN OF GIVING.

Donation Entertainment in Warren Chapel Works Many Happy Results.

The result of the gift entertainment in Warren Chapel last evening showed in a practical way the sympathy which people who are better off than others in this world's goods can extend to those who are unfortunate.

The chapel was well filled with people who assisted materially in the evening's enjoyment.

In opening, Rev. Joseph McKelvey, pastor, announced that the choir would sing "While the Days are Going By", and asked those present to join in the chorus. This was followed by Scripture reading by Mr. McKelvey and prayer by David Moore. The pastor then in a few words, appropriately spoken, welcomed all, and especially thanked them for the generous response to the call for assisting the poor.

An excellent programme consisting of recitations and singing was given, which was well rendered, as follows:

Recitation—The Gain of Giving. Hattie Squires
Song—Coming Home Again.....Choir
Recitation—Stretch it a Little, Tillie Coddington
Solo—Selected.....E. B. Ryder
Reading—Selected.....Miss Peck
Solo and Chorus—
The Old Old Friends in the Old Old Home, Miss Ida Dunham and Choir.
Recitation—The Long Scottish Prayer, Mabel Stevens
Selections.....John Carney
Solo and Chorus—Call Again Another Eve, Miss Ida Dunham and Choir

It is needless to say that John Carney was a favorite, and he received his usual hearty reception.

The entertainment was arranged by the Christian Endeavor society; and a committee from the Sunday-school will assist them in disposing of the many articles brought in, which comprise many things of a useful character, and will bring joy and comfort to many a deserving family.

Every man, woman and child who has once tried that specific Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, cannot say enough in its praise.

2,000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from C. W. Maxon, Farina, Ills., says: "I consider your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have been in the drug business fourteen years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal satisfaction." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents.

PASSED AROUND WASH BOILERS.

Unique "Collection Plates" that Reaped a Generous Harvest.

The Ladies Society for Christian Work, of the Seventh-Day Baptist Church, gave their first sociable for this year in the Sunday-school room of the new church last evening, and it was most successful in every respect. The audience was very large, and was treated to an exceedingly interesting programme.

David Titsworth officiated, and announced the different numbers in his usual happy manner.

A most appropriate opening was the "Song of Greeting" by children of the Sunday-school, which put everyone in excellent humor.

A very pretty musical selection was the Milkmaid's Chorus from Robin Hood, by several young women.

A recitation, Riley's "Orphan Annie", by Ethel Lucille Titsworth, was heartily received.

Will Runyon, who is so well-known for his excellent voice, sang two of his best songs that were hugely relished.

At this time Mr. Titsworth made a short speech, which in securing desired results could not be excelled. He stated that the Sunday-school had been in need of a piano, which they had secured, and he wanted all to contribute something towards paying for it. Miss Ernestine Smith and Miss Lizzie Allis, then appeared in attractive attire and passed the "collection plates", which in this case happened to be two very large-sized wash boilers. After they had made the circuit, Mr. Titsworth stated that the result was most gratifying, as $75 had been raised.

After this, a tableaux entitled "a Colony of Nations; or, Liberty Seeking a Home", was given by the following characters:

Liberty—Miss Louise Lewis.
China—Miss Mabel L. Potter.
India—Miss Mineola Tomlinson.
Russia—Miss Ida Randolph.
Germany—Miss Grace Lewis.
Scotland—Miss Bessie Titsworth.
Spain—Mrs. J. G. Miller.
France—Miss Ernestine Smith.
Ireland—Mrs. Robert Gorton.
Italy—Mrs. Charles H. Dunham.
America—Miss Lou Clawson.

The characters were all well taken, and proved to be interesting and highly instructive.

An amusing selection was that given by the Misses Allis, Potter and Titsworth; it was nameless, but everyone guessed right that a donkey was the subject under discussion.

In conclusion, Will Runyon favored the audience with two additional pleasing vocal solos, and sociability was enhanced by the serving of refreshments, consisting of coffee, lemonade and cake, all of which were excellent.

Sociables such as this are to be given from time to time by the society.

TWO CAPTAINS EDWARDS.

Pleasant Reunion of California's Giant Veteran and Plainfield's Polished Seventh Regimental.

Capt. George F. Edwards is not likely to attend the Borough Council meeting tonight, because he is expecting a long-absent cousin from the West.

It is 11 years since he has met Capt. Wm. P. Edwards of San Francisco, who got his title from being in command of a company while a member of the 1st Californians; and it is 35 years since Capt. Wm. P. has seen New York.

A few days ago, however, Capt. George F. received a note from Washington, informing him that his kinsman had been enjoying the Congressional excitement at the Capitol, and that he was on his way to Plainfield.

The reunion is bound to be a most happy one, and the Californian Captain is sure to be a marked figure in town during his stay here, for he is more than 6 feet tall, and perfectly proportioned, a splendid specimen of American manhood.

The Just Woke Ups Put to Sleep.

The Just Woke Up team of the Union County Roadsters of Rahway visited Dunellen last night and were defeated by the local bowlers: The score:

DUNELLEN.		JUST WOKE UP.	
Watters	158	Browne	159
Neal	147	Bennett	144
Case	152	Bunworth	128
Young	158	Housman	175
Sandford	137	Sohmiller	165
C. Giles	151	Acker	118
Krewson	185	Slater	162
C. D. Taylor	181	Gaskill	132
	1269		1183

How Nobby That Will Be!

At a regular meeting of Alert Hose Company No. 1, last evening, it was decided to discard the old-fashioned shirt, belt and hat, and to adopt instead a blue suit, brass buttons, a cap and an overcoat like the uniform worn by the New York firemen.

They're All Senators Now.

The Knights of Honor met in Red Men's Hall last night and formally changed their name from Easter Lodge, No. 3542, to Senate Lodge, No. 3542. New by-laws were read and adopted. Meetings will be held in the Music Hall building the first and third Thursdays of each month.

Ladies Night at Trade Temple.

A five-men team from the Park Club will bowl the Board of Trade team on the Trade Temple alleys this evening. The women interested in both societies have been invited to attend.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY—"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 50c. Sold by H. P. Reynolds, druggist, Plainfield. 12 6 3m

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by J. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.

WOKE UP IN FLAMES.

FRED PECK, THE WEALTHY HERMIT, MEETS A TERRIBLE DEATH.

He Lived in Squalor, and Cursed the Memory of the Beautiful Girl Whose Rejection, Had Blighted His Life.

(Special to The Press.)

BASKING RIDGE, Feb. 2—Frederick C. Peck, a young farmer 30 years of age, was found lying dead on the floor of an upper room in his house near Basking Ridge early yesterday morning, by a neighbor, John Fennimore.

It is supposed that Peck's lamp exploded and set fire to his bed. He was suffocated by the flames and smoke.

Some eight years ago Peck's father, who was Ira Peck, a millionaire of Orange, died and left the young $50,000. He at once went to Basking Ridge and bought the Lewis farm. He has always lived a hermit life, and would not make friends with anyone. His own brother, who lives ten miles away, has never been in his bed room until yesterday. Peck had drunk heavily, and had squandered a great deal of money, buying beer by the dozen cases and liquor by the gallon. He was often seen in the village of Basking Ridge in an intoxicated condition, driving furiously through the street.

One night last winter he was found in a snowdrift by a party of sleigh riders who were out for a lark.

For two or three days past he had been feeling ill, and on Tuesday told John Fennimore that his throat was sore and that if he was no better he wanted him to come in and build his fire. He then gave Fennimore the keys to the back door.

Wednesday morning Fennimore did not see him about, and went into the house. The first thing he saw was a portion of a burned bed quilt on the kitchen floor while the smell of fire was intense.

Fennimore got another farmer, went up stairs, and found Peck lying in front of the stove in his bedroom, dead.

Nothing was disturbed, and County Physician Louis T. Reed was notified. A Press reporter accompanied Dr. Reed on the long cold drive across two ranges of snow-clad hills, to the little village of Basking Ridge, ten miles back of Plainfield.

When the party reached the Peck farm two miles from the village they were surprised to see the prosperous aspect of the house and out buildings. No more comfortable looking farm house is there in the whole valley of the Passaic, but oh, how deceiving! Although Peck was rich, he lived the life of a hermit, and amid poverty, destitution and filth.

Of the 20 rooms in the house he used but two—the kitchen, where he prepared his meals of canned goods; and a small bed room where he probably lived. In the bed room the only furniture consisted of an old bedstead on which was a dirty mattress, a quilt, and a ragged pillow. A rocking chair with no seat, a small stove; the lower half of a wooden chair served for a table. The walls were dirty, the floor uncarpeted, and cobwebs and dirt had accumulated in the corners in heaps.

Peck's body was badly burned; his lips and hands were charred, and his mustache was singed off. The bed had been afire in several places. The wall at the head of the bed was burned and smoked. A small clock lay on the floor. It had stopped at two o'clock. A tea kettle half filled with water stood on the floor beside the bed, and newspapers were scattered all around. It is supposed that Peck was reading in bed with his lamp on the wooden chair at the head of his bed. He fell asleep, and the oil burning out exploded the lamp, which set fire to the bed clothes. Peck was awakened, and jumping up, his lungs were filled with fire and smoke. Rushing down stairs, he extinguished the quilts and seized the kettle, with which he put out the fire on the bed. Then, being exhausted, he fell down on the floor and there expired. He probably kicked over the chair when he saw the fire, and stopped the clock.

Peck was a handsome fellow. His brother is worth $75,000. Peck had no reason to live in the destitute way he did, but rumor had it in the village that when he was 21 he was engaged to a beautiful girl. She broke the engagement and married another man. Since that time Peck had been a woman-hater, but on the wall at the head of his bed amid all the squalor and filth was fastened the picture of a beautiful young woman, no doubt the cause of the young man's wasted life.

Dr. Reed gave a certificate of burial.

Major Anderson's Memorial Detail.

Major Anderson Post, No. 109, G.A.R., met last evening. Commander J. Frank Hubbard appointed the following memorial detail: Asa Collier, Charles H. Randolph, Joseph T. Dunham, Edward T. Dunn and Norman C. Magee.

Honeyman's Private Tours.

Special party for Florida, including visit to Lake Worth, Indian River, the Oklawaha, St. Augustine, also Newport News and Old Point Comfort. Starts from Plainfield February 14. Absent sixteen days. Small, delightful party. For circular, call at office of Honeyman's Private Tours, 181 North avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 2-2-eod-td

I have been troubled with chronic catarrh for years. Ely's Cream Balm is the only remedy among the many that I have used that affords me relief.—E. H. Willard, druggist, Joliet, Ills.

I have been troubled with catarrh for 10 years and have tried a number of remedies, but found no relief until I purchased a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm. I consider it the most reliable preparation for catarrh and cold in the head.—Geo. E. Crandall, P. M., Quonochawntaug, R. I.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. a bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

RECEPTION OF THE BONDS.

A Winter Evening Charmingly Spent at a Cosy Front Street Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Eugene Bond received their friends last night in the coziest of homes, situated at East Front street and Norwood avenue. Beautiful as their home is, it was still more attractive last evening, with its brightness and gayety. The lower floor was decorated prettily with smilax and cut flowers. Mrs. Bond was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Wright, of East Orange. The music and supper both were in excellent taste.

Noticeable among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cook, Miss Cook, the Misses Clark, Mr. and Mrs. George Underhill, Miss Boice, Miss Kent of Elizabeth, Miss Lisignolo, Miss Vermeule, Mr. Norton of New York, Mr. Williams of San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. William Rockwell, Miss Rockwell, Vincent Rockwell, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. R. Huntsman, Miss Hayes, James Hayes, Miss Marion Randolph, Miss Halloway, William Coriell, Charles Hazeltine, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Coward, the Misses Coward, Harry Coward, Miss Jean Derby, Miss Nora Williams, Harry Williams, Herbert Case, James Powers, the Misses Bocap, the Misses Wood, A. L. C. Marsh, Miss Marsh, and others from Trenton, Newark and New York.

REVIEWING ITS PROGRESS.

How the Y. M. C. A. Is Advancing the Interests of Plainfield Young Men.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Y. M. C. A. was held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms last evening. President Murray was in the chair, and the following officers and directors were present: Fred W. Yates, Recording Secretary; H. O. Newman, Treasurer; Nelson Runyon, E. L. Bonny, Wm. Thompson, Stephen Cahoone, A. C. La Boyteaux, George R. Cornwell, J. W. Gavett, T. E. Hazell and General Secretary J. H. Manning.

The Devotional Committee reported continued interest in the spiritual work of the Association. The young men's meetings had an average attendance of 60. 13 young men on an average attended the 10 sessions of classes for Bible study and training in Christian work.

The Educational Committee reported that the total weekly average at the nine educational classes was 61, and that the work is progressing in a satisfactory manner, both as regards attendance, efficiency and general interest.

The Rooms Committee reported that the rooms were occupied every week-day evening with one exception by two or three classes.

Written reports were received from the Membership and Physical Work Committees, and an oral report from the Music Committee.

The General Secretary reported that the matters which had received special attention during the month have been:

1. The effort to secure work for unemployed young men.
2. The Boys' Work.
3. Work in view of the coming State Convention.
4. Securing the attendance of young men at special evangelistic meetings.
5. An effort to collect back membership dues.

A motion made by Mr. Cahoone to ask that the 26th Annual Y. M. C. A. State Convention be held in Plainfield in Feb. 1895, was unanimously adopted.

The need of a supply of new singing books for the young men's meeting was informally discussed.

The following statistics about the local work are taken from the annual blanks, which were filled out during the month for the International and State Committees:

Total number of members, 439; 329 of whom are active, and 66 of whom have rendered service in committee work; 64 men's meetings had a total attendance of 3,259.

64 sessions of the Bible Training Class had a weekly average attendance of 13.

Distinguished Pedestrians.

Fred Miller, a pedestrian, who recently acheived fame and won a wager by walking from San Francisco to New York with his dog, spent the night in the lockup. He was accompanied by a tramp he had met and the dog who crossed the continent.

Miller came in town about dusk last night and applied for lodging. He said he had been robbed in the Bowery of what remained of the money he won and had started for Philadelphia. This morning the pair left for Bound Brook with rested bodies and a loaf of bread.

Choral Society Rehearsal.

The rehearsal of the Choral Society, next week, will be held Tuesday evening, in the Sunday-school room of the First Baptist Church. Notice change of date and place, and be present.

NELSON RUNYON,
Secretary.

To Settle the Series.

The Dunellen team will bowl the Lincoln Club of Jersey City in Greenville next Tuesday in the deciding game of a series of three. The game with the West Ends of Somerville scheduled for next Monday has been postponed.

Indian Evangelism.

Cards of invitation and admission will be issued for a young people's service in the First Presbyterian Church, Sunday afternoon. A special sermon will be preached by Rev. F. H. Wright.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

New Orleans Mardi Gras.

Low excursion rates from Washington, and through sleeper from Plainfield daily. Address L. J. Ellis, 317 A, Broadway, N. Y., or Edward Nelson, ticket agent, Plainfield. 31 6

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SHOULDER, ARMS!

AT LAST A PLAINFIELD MILITIA COMPANY IN SIGHT.

Capt. Edwards Interests the State Authorities in the Project, and Muskets Are Likely to Be Issued to the Local Corps.

Twenty-five men versed in military tactics will meet in the Crescent Rink Building next Wednesday night, under command of Capt. George F. Edwards, and organize a corps. Some of the men have been members of the Third Regiment Corps, and the number enlisted includes graduates of the Leal Cadets. The discipline, especially under the direction of Capt. Edwards, is therefore sure to be excellent from the start. New members are to be added as fast as possible and as far as is consistent with regulations, and the aim is to make a militia company and secure membership in the National Guard. Application has been made to the State for muskets. The endorsement of the Major-General has been secured, and the Quartermaster-General approves of the plan and only awaits the Governor's orders.

The Governor has been too busily engrossed in other matters to give this consideration, but The Press trusts that as soon as the matter is urged on his personal attention he will give the order "Issue the arms".

The muskets are of course merely to be loaned to Plainfield. They remain the property of the State, and are insured by the State against loss by fire. The commandant of the company to which they are issued is required to give bonds to keep them in condition and replace losses by theft or carelessness.

At the meeting next Wednesday night officers are to be chosen and organization will be perfected. Regular drill nights will then be decided on.

Panama Canal Scandals.

PARIS, Feb. 2.—Henry Rochefort announces in his paper l'Intransigeant that Dr. Cornelius Herz, so often mentioned in connection with the Panama canal scandal, who is now living at Bournemouth, England, is having published three volumes of memoirs, which will contain all the letters exchanged between himself and French politicians. Rochefort adds that when the first alarm was caused by the evident intention of the government to probe the scandal, all the papers and documents in the possession of Dr. Herz were sent to Chicago for safe keeping. These have now been returned to Dr. Herz, and will form much of the memoirs.

Cattle Tuberculosis.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—A special to the Sun from Middletown, N. Y., says that Inspector Dr. Faust of the state board of health, has discovered tuberculosis in the valuable dairy of Holstein and Ayreshire cattle belonging to Messrs. Sears and Howell, at Blooming Grove, and on Tuesday thirty of the number were slaughtered under his direction. A post-mortem examination in each case was held and unmistakable evidence of the disease was found, which proves that the Koch lymph test is correct. Thirty head of cattle belonging to the state hospital here will be destroyed on the arrival of the state inspector some day this week.

St. Nicholas Bank Affairs.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Judge Barrett in the supreme court chambers rendered decision upon application made to him by creditors and depositors of the St. Nicholas bank, to compel Receiver Hugh J. Grant to pay over to them money collected by the bank upon checks deposited the day before the failure. Upon the application of Levi C. Lathrop, the judge decided that receiver Grant should be instructed to pay the amount of certifications in question, $43,741.80, upon the production of such certifications as proof of their ownership. If Mr. Lathrop thinks a larger sum a reference must be ordered.

Trying to Improve the Army.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The house military committee has ordered a favorable report on the bill introduced by Mr. Curtis of New York, limiting enlistment in the army to three years. The bill further provides that no soldier shall be reenlisted whose record is not good, who is not a citizen of the United States or has not declared his intention of being such, who cannot speak and read the English language and who is over 30 years of age.

Historic House at Yorktown.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Mr. Tyler, of Virginia, has introduced in the house a bill appropriating $10,000 for the purchase of the Nelson house at Yorktown, Va. The house was erected in 1712, and is still in good condition. It stands on the Yorktown battlefield and was the birthplace and residence of General Thomas Nelson, the distinguished patriot and companion in arms of Washington and Lafayette.

Hornblower Now Happy.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—William B. Hornblower, who was recently nominated to the senate as the successor of Justice Blatchford on the supreme court bench, and Mrs. Emily S. Nelson, daughter of William E. Sanford, were married Wednesday.

Gift to Cornell.

ITHACA, N. Y., Feb. 2.—The museum of classical archaeology of Cornell university, the gift of Henry W. Sage, was dedicated Wednesday afternoon.

Gas Companies Consolidate.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 2.—The consolidation of the Cincinnati gas and electric light companies has been completed.

Persons afflicted with chilblains, so troublesome to many, will find a pleasant and permanent cure in Salvation Oil. 25c.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

New Stations on the Central.

As soon as the weather is settled in the spring the Central Railroad Company will begin the erection of new stations at Roselle and Cranford. They will be on the same plan as the station at Westfield, though not so large.

The Human Electrical Forces!

How They Control the Organs of the Body.

The electrical force of the human body, as the nerve fluid may be termed, is an especially attractive department of science, as it exerts so marked an influence on the health of the organs of the body. Nerve force is produced by the brain and conveyed by means of the nerves to the various organs of the body, thus supplying the latter with the vitality necessary to insure their health. The pneumogastric nerve, as shown here, may be said to be the most important of the entire nerve system, as it supplies the heart, lungs, stomach, bowels, etc., with the nerve force necessary to keep them active and healthy. As will be seen by the cut the long nerve descending from the base of the brain and terminating in the bowels is the pneumogastric, while the numerous little branches supply the heart, lungs and stomach with necessary vitality. When the brain becomes in any way disordered by irritability or exhaustion, the nerve force which it supplies is lessened, and the organs receiving the diminished supply are consequently weakened.

Physicians generally fail to recognize the importance of this fact, but treat the organ itself instead of the cause of the trouble. The noted specialist, Franklin Miles, M. D., LL. B., has given the greater part of his life to the study of this subject, and the principal discoveries concerning it are due to his efforts.

Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine, the unrivaled brain and nerve food, is prepared on the principle that all nervous and many other difficulties originate from disorders of the nerve centers. Its wonderful success in curing these disorders is testified to by thousands in every part of the land.

Restorative Nervine cures sleeplessness, nervous prostration, dizziness, hysteria, sexual debility, St. Vitus dance, epilepsy, etc. It is free from opiates or dangerous drugs. It is sold on a positive guarantee by all druggists, or sent direct by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind., on receipt of price, $1 per bottle, six bottles for $5, express prepaid.

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ANNUAL STATEMENT

OF THE

Dime Savings Institution

Of Plainfield, N. J., January 1, 1894.

ASSETS

Loans on Bond and Mortgages, (first liens)		$126,000 00
Value of property mortgaged, $220,150		
Buildings mortgaged, insured for	130,000	
Par Value.	Market Value.	
33,000 Union County Bonds	33,720 00	
25,000 Hudson "	25 532 50	
16,000 North Plainfield School Bonds	16,200 00	
10,000 Jersey City Water Bonds	10,600 00	
13,000 Scotch Plains School District No. 14 Bonds	13,000 00	
4,800 Dunellen School District No. 2, Dunellen, N. J.	4,800 00	
10,000 Morris & Essex first mortgage bonds	13,750 00	
10,000 Lehigh Valley Terminal first mortgage bonds	10,750 00	
Demand Loans	6,250 00	
Interest due and accrued	3,488 06	
Furniture and fixture account	1,400 00	
Cash in Banks	18,217 71	
Cash in Office	212 80	
	$283,922 07	

LIABILITIES

Amount Due Depositors	$270,655 63
Surplus	13,266 44
	$283,922 07

State of New Jersey, County of Union, } ss

John W. Murray, President, and Elias R. Pope, Treasurer, of the Dime Savings Institution, being duly sworn, depose and say, each for himself, that the statement above is true and correct, and shows the actual condition of the said Institution on the First day of January, 1894.

JOHN W. MURRAY
ELIAS R. POPE.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 23d day of January, 1894.

JAMES C. POPE, Notary Public.

We, the undersigned Committee, made an examination of the Books, Vouchers, Assets and Liabilities of the said Institution, with Schedules attached, and found this a true Exhibit of the Assets and Liabilities of said Institution on January 1, 1894.

J. FRANK HUBBARD,
JOSEPH B. COWARD,
G. W. ROCKFELLOW, } Committee.

January 22, 1894. 1 27 6

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The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company has established a retail department at 175 North avenue, and is prepared to furnish Bell Magneto Telephones and other line equipments. The long experience of the manufacturers of the Bell Magneto Telephone, which has been in use throughout the United States for many years, enables them to make instruments of the highest grade of workmanship.

Parties desiring telephone outfits will find it to their interest to call on this company before making purchases.

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In times not quite so good, when it is hard to spare the price for even one gown, dyeing solves the problem. It's a heap better and cheaper to pay two dollars for coloring the old blue dress than it is to pay ten dollars for a new black one.

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ONLY HIGH GRADE RESIDENCES will be erected. The neighborhood will be restricted, making it as desirable as any in Plainfield.

ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS will be in force by early spring. The work of macadamizing the streets is now being pushed rapidly.

ELECTRIC CARS PASS the property. Electric lights, gas and city water will be introduced as soon in the spring as they are needed.

SCORES OF BEAUTIFUL HOUSES now fronting on Sandford and Westervelt avenues have been located on the old Crescent ball field.

JUST AS PROPERTY VALUES jumped in Sandford and Westervelt avenues, so will they also increase rapidly in Watchung Park. Those who buy now will reap the benefit of an early investment.

THE LOTS are about 50x150 feet in size and the map of the property printed in these columns on Wednesdays and Saturdays will give the public necessary information as to their location.

For further information regarding prices and terms, large copies of the map, etc., address or call upon

A. D. THOMPSON,
12 19 6m-m t t f. 147 North avenue, opp. Railroad Station, Plainfield, N. J.

LOOKING BACKWARD

Over the past two weeks shows the most successful January clearing sale we have ever had; that's in selling goods. Some other time we will try and figure losses. In the meantime we will sell goods; more than ever, lower than ever.

HERE'S EVIDENCE.

There ain't much money in Amoskeag and Lancaster Ginghams at 4½c., but we have just five cases more to sell at that price.

Muslins—Probably the last week you will buy Fruit of the Loom and Dwight Anchor muslins for 7c., so don't wait.

Hosiery—Just what the boys and girls want—a stocking that is fast black and will last a week or two without darning. That's what we are selling for 20c. pair.

Ladies' Muslin Underwear—No use wasting time over a machine when for 25c. you can buy night dresses, skirts, chemise, corset covers and drawers all neatly made of good material, and for 50c. There are embroidered night dresses, trimmed skirts, corset covers, etc. Bought them from a manufacturer who wanted ready cash.

Just a few more of those ladies' and misses' jackets left for $1.25. There are a few 38, 40, 42 ladies coats that were $15 and $18 each. Yours for $8 and $9.

WHITE, of Plainfield.

TO INTRODUCE OUR

Boys' Waists

We sell today one lot, sizes 4 to 14, for 48 cents, worth 65 cents. They go quick—at this price.

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MISS VICTORINE.

By MARY KYLE DALLAS.

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She paused a moment at the table. She came to the bedside and sat down upon it. Her hand, which would stand the Virginia test of aristocracy—"floss silk would not stick to the fingers"—passed tenderly over my hair, rested gently on my cheek.

"Oh, my poor child, don't grieve so," she said. "A man is not worth grieving for. Take example by me. For an hour or so I succumbed to misery, but look at me now."

I looked as well as I could through my tear dimmed eyes. Victorine had transformed herself. She had dressed her hair high at the back and crimped it over the forehead. She had put on a very bright flowered silk with a lace fichu. She wore bracelets, earrings and her watch and chain. She had in her belt a Lady Betty rose from the greenhouse, and, whisper it low, she had brightened her color with rouge—just the tiniest dab, but enough to make her eyes blaze.

"Scorn him, despise him as I do," she said. "Say to yourself, 'He is northern.' I was shocked, horrified, sick at heart, but it is over."

"Thank heaven for that, dearest," I said. "But how did you know? I never meant that you should know," I paused.

"How you felt?" she queried. "Oh, you show it more plainly than you think. Besides, you weep, and you are packing up his presents."

"Harry Summers' presents," I explained.

"Of course," Victorine assented. "I am glad you take the initiative."

I merely hid my head again.

"I do not hesitate to admit that I have bidden adieu to happiness," said Victorine, "but I can be content. I know that I am doing my duty. Any communication between our two families becomes impossible. Of course we cannot blame one man for the deeds of another, but no matter—it is over. Sisters must stand by each other. Besides, fancy father and son quarreling for one lady! Monstrous—hideous!"

"Indeed it would be, Victorine," I said.

"Even now I feel as if I had heard the voice of a serpent," said Victorine, indicating with tragic gesture an embroidered representation of Adam and Eve, the apple tree and a boa constrictor with a simpering human countenance, which being the work of an esteemed ancestress had a place of honor over the high mantelpiece. "The disparity of years would make it hideous, even did you not suffer."

"Oh, never mind me, Victorine," I cried. "If you can get over your trials and believe me as utterly innocent of any intention to"——

"Why, what do you mean, Persis?" queried Victorine. "You make me feel afraid that you are feverish. Won't you take a hot bath and go fairly to bed and let me read you to sleep?"

"It is I who should pet you, Victorine," I said. But I yielded. I also imbibed some 'yarb tea" presented in a fine china bowl by Aunt Emily, and I can still remember how I drowsed away and awakened at intervals to hear scraps of verses from a volume entitled, "Verses of Love and Sorrow," which Victorine read dramatically, with appropriate gestures. I also remember being wide awake all night and stealing down into the parlor to pace the carpet in a pair of knitted slippers and wonder if I should get over being miserable.

Now and then I heard a soft little sob from Victorine's room, and once I heard from the garret a low groan and a murmured, "Oh, gorra mighty" as if sleep had been murdered for Emily as well as for "her ladies."

The moonlight was white upon the landscape when later I returned to my room. I looked through the floating lace that veiled my window panes upon the house over the way. A light shone within an upper room. A tall, slender shadow kept passing and repassing, flinging itself darkly upon the white shade. That was surely Harry's figure. His father was larger, stouter.

Upon the footpath that ran before our gate I saw another form. Was it ghost or burglar?

It paused beside the gate and looked at our upper windows. It was Mr. Summers, in a traveling cap and ulster. As I watched him, he clasped his hands to his head, and with a tragic gesture of despair stalked away. Certainly we were all bewitched. Emily evidently held the same opinion.

"Reckon my ladies has had spells carst onto 'em," she said next day. "Use to have good manners. Don' have none now. Airly dis mawnin I an my Miss Vict'rine was gwine to de chicken house to fetch eggs, an long comes Mars Summers.

"'Mawnin, Miss Cawlton,' he says. Miss Vict'rine jess duck her head, kin'er cool and keerless.

"'May I be permitted to make a statement, madam?' he say.

"'No, sar,' she say. 'Quite onpossible.'

"'Madam,' he say, 'it are of de utmos' umportance.' She kin'er draw herself up stiff, like a guy pos'.

"'I mus' decline havin any more communication betwix' our all's families,' she say, mighty haughty. How she kin speak so to folks she have had to supper I can't steddy out! Then he say:

"'You air unkind,' and she say, 'Good mornin, sah,' and he go one way an she go todder, an I plum shamed. Dar, now!

"Den what you reckon, Miss Persis; she jess got out of sight, she done—gone cry, Miss Vict'rine do."

CHAPTER VI.

Victorine and I were up in the great open garret, putting a quilt into the frame. It was a silk quilt, composed entirely of brides' wedding dresses. Sister had been making it ever since I could remember anything. It was much talked of in the neighborhood and was a very beautiful design. The dresses were almost all white or cream, though there were silver grays and pale buffs and lilac and blue tints where the bride was married in the morning and in her bonnet. All this was backed up by a soft neutral tint that seemed to chime in with anything, and it was lined with pink and was to be quilted in flowers with pink silk.

When any one in the county was married, some one managed to get a bit of the stuff left in cutting the dress worn at the altar for Victorine. Nothing was more common than for a bride who had no personal knowledge of us to forward the scrap herself, with her compliments. It was considered an honor to be placed in that quilt, where each bride's name was written across the center of the patch—in her own hand, if possible. The quilt had a patch which we solemnly believed to be a piece of Martha Washington's wedding gown in the very center, and about it other relics of the costumes of Revolutionary brides. Then there was a fragment of the robe of the Empress Eugenie and that of the Princess of Wales. I could make quite a catalogue of celebrated brides were I to begin, and, as to the brides of Virginia families, they at least were authentic, without a doubt. For a good while Victorine had been very mysterious about two empty spaces. When those were filled, she declared, she would call the quilt finished, not before.

As I helped her pull and pat and draw the delicate thing into shape, I saw that the corners had something written in them, and stooping read in one, "A hope that died," in the other, "A dream that vanished."

"You understand?" asked Victorine. I shook my head.

"Those were to have been filled with pieces of our wedding gowns," said my half sister solemnly. "I meant—I meant"——

She put her handkerchief to her eyes and sobbed. Then she rushed to me and kissed me.

"I would do more for your sake, Persis," she said. "And I only did my duty. This is the last time that I shall refer to myself."

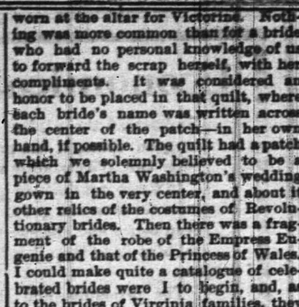
"For my sake?" The speech puzzled me.

"Don't think I regret it," she added. "He was the salt of the earth and true as steel. But my duty was clear, my poor wronged, ill used sister."

I began to wonder if Victorine were quite sane.

We stitched away in silence for some time. Then I said:

"Victorine, would you like to travel? Would you like to go to Europe?"



We stitched away in silence.

"It would be good for you, darling," she answered. "Yes." Her eyes began to shine.

"I think Miss Mull can make a very pretty traveling dress," she said. "Get something showy, make yourself as handsome as possible. As likely as not there'll be a nobleman or so on board the steamer, and they always fall in love with southern young ladies. Before you reach the shores of England, you may be affianced to a duke, and even if his mother is a duchess she cannot object to our family. Oh, dearest, I could die happy could I but see you wedded to a duke." And Victorine clasped her hands.

"A duke! How can you say such dreadful things. What have I ever done to you, Victorine?" I remonstrated. She did not laugh.

"I feel as though my soul were prophetic," she went on; "as though I were clairvoyant or had Scotch second sight. I can picture the scene. I suppose you would be married in Westminster abbey."

"At least I am sure I will not be buried there," I murmured.

"Ever so many bishops—perhaps the queen would be present. Is that court etiquette? I forget. And he would be 6 feet 3. They always are. And his mother, the dowager duchess, and his sisters, plain but aristocratic, and all eyes fixed on you. 'An American bride—is she not beautiful?' I fancy I hear one say. 'From the south,' some one answers. 'Northern ladies never have such eyes.'

"Oh, what triumph! I should like to see him when he hears the news—the false wretch! Why, I can hardly wait to start. I'm so sure you'll come back, Persis, duchess of—what's its name?"

"Really, Victorine," I said, "I should prefer a prince, if all the princes are not married off, and you don't mind."

"Dem Princes! Ike Prince de las' lef' in town, an he done got put in de penny tenshary yes'day," said Emily, her turban arising above the floor as she ascended the well staircase. "No count, poor white trash hull ob dat Prince fam'ly. Gamblin an goin on, an shootin folks an kitin about, seekin who dey kin devour."

Then we both laughed—one can laugh with the heaviest sort of heart sometimes.

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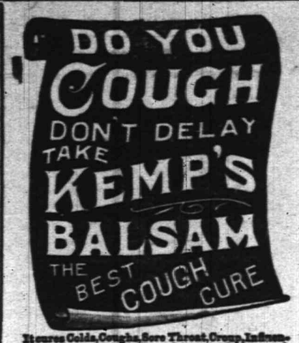

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8 43 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown' Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.
7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.
9 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.
9 51 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazleton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.
12 43 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.
2 09 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Bangor Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton.
5 05 p. m., way to r Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.
6 16 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.
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6 30 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.
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Leave Asbury, 8 27, 8 58, 8, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, 4 50, 5 54, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 20 p. m.
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Fearful Failure of Fifteen Physicians—Serious Surgical Operation Suggested.

For four years I have suffered from a complication of diseases which physicians said were dyspepsia, liver and kidney complaint, nervous prostration and womb disease. No words of mine can describe the terrible pains and distress I have experienced—the dizziness, trembling fears of evil, chills, fever, melancholy, restlessness and numerous other dreadful sensations which I am unable to describe. Have been treated by fifteen physicians, some of whom were sure they could cure me within two or three months, and all of whom have had from two months to three, four or more, as they said was needed. One I tried for a whole year until last May I found myself disappointed, discouraged and about ready to give up altogether, as, after treating me for a year my physician told me I would be obliged to undergo a surgical operation before I could commence to get better. Just at this time I was advised by friends to consult Dr. Starkweather of No. 105 Halsey street, Newark, as they knew of some very remarkable cures which he had performed.

I followed their advice and visited the doctor on May 5. How glad I am that I took this step no one can realize who has not been similiarly situated. The doctor gave me a complete history of my case, describing with surprising accuracy the conditions and symptoms which I had endured for years, but what gave me the greatest surprise and pleasure was when he assured me that there was no need of any surgical operation. Proper means, he said, would overcome my troubles without any surgery. I commenced at once to follow Dr. Starkweather's directions and treatment. Having gradually and steadily improved since that time, as he stated i would, until now I am the wonder of all my friends, while rejoicing in renewed health, strength and spirits. Am constrained by a sense of duty and gratitude to accord the praise due Dr. S. for his gentle, soothing and skillful treatment of my case, and advise all sufferers from whatever cause to consult this eminent physician. MRS. WM. R. MANSER.

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The Great Philanthropist Passes Away This Morning.

His Condition Took a Sudden Turn for the Worse at 10 O'clock Last Night and the End Was Reached at 3:01 This Morning—He Passed Away Peacefully and Without Pain. A Clot of Blood on the Brain, Formed By a Bursting Bloodvessel on Jan. 18, Caused Paralysis and Death—Brief Sketch of a Noble Life.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 3.—George W. Childs, proprietor of the Public Ledger, died this morning at 3:01 o'clock at his residence, at the southwest corner of Twenty-second and Walnut streets, from the effects of a stroke of paralysis sustained by him on the 18th of January. For some time previous to the day he was stricken Mr. Childs was overrun with work. Thursday, January 18, Mr. Childs was sitting at his office at the Ledger talking with Willis T. Steels, his private secretary, and I. F. Shepherd, night editor of the paper. Suddenly Mr. Childs began to slip forward in his chair and would have fallen to the floor had not the two gentlemen sprung forward and raised him up. Mr. Shepherd and Mr. Steels and Mr. Childs himself believed that the attack was nothing more than vertigo, and Mr. Childs laid down and Dr. J. M. Da Costa, his family physician, was sent for. When Dr. Da Costa arrived he found that Mr. Childs had had a slight stroke of paralysis, due as the physicians have since learned to the breaking of a small blood vessel in the head and the formation on the brain of a small clot of blood.

Mr. Childs was removed to his residence, the doctors at the time not apprehending any fatal result as the paralysis was slight and did not greatly affect his limbs.

When the news of Mr. Childs' illness was read in the papers throughout the country on Friday morning, telegrams and letters of sympathy and hope of his speedy recovery began to pour into his family from the most eminent and prominent men and women in the United States and from many in England.

For more than a week Mr. Childs' condition did not grow any worse, but on the contrary showed slight signs of improvement. The clot of blood on the brain was not absorbed, as often happens in similar cases, and after a week paralysis began to progress slowly.

Then Mr. Childs' physicians began a battle against hope. Dr. S. Weir Mitchell and Dr. Charles K. Mills, two of Philadelphia's most eminent specialists, were called in in consultation.

On last Friday night, a week ago, Mr. Childs' condition changed for the worse and became critical. Throughout the past week he has remained in much the same condition, but Thursday and yesterday Mr. Childs showed some improvement and there was a faint hope that he might ultimately rally.

Last night at 10 o'clock Mr. Childs' condition took a sudden turn for the worse, but even then his physicians clung to the hope that he would again rally. In this they were mistaken for shortly before midnight they issued a bulletin announcing that Mr. Childs' condition was very critical. Each succeeding bulletin, until the one announcing the sad news of the great philanthropists death, only told of his rapid approach to the end.

Mr. Childs' death was peaceful and without apparent pain.

Numerous telegrams of condolence were pouring in all morning.

Like Franklin, Philadelphia's greatest printer and publisher, George William Childs was not a native of the city in which his life was passed and which he honored by making it his home. Like Franklin's life, also, his life is a record of successful industry, which raised a poor and at one time friendless boy to the heights of honor and affluence.

In Baltimore, on May 12, 1829, Mr. Childs was born, and in that city he gained his early education. James Parton, the historian, says of him: "He exhibited, even as a child, two traits seldom found in the same individual—a remarkable aptitude for business and a remarkable liberality in giving away the results of his boyish trading."

At thirteen he entered the United States navy and spent fifteen months in the service.

He came to Philadelphia when but 18 years old, nearly penniless and entirely alone and friendless, and went to work as errand boy in a book store at a small salary. He saved from his wages what he could and when 17 years of age began attending the great semi-annual book sales in New York and Boston and here formed many friendships among the publishers of those cities. At 18 he entered into business on his own account, and set up a very modest bookstand. In 1849, he entered the publishing firm of R. E. Peterson and company, the firm name being shortly afterwards changed to Childs and Peterson. Robert Evans Peterson, his partner, later became Mr. Childs' father-in-law.

In 1860, Mr. Peterson retired from the firm of Childs and Peterson, and Mr. Childs entered into partnership with J. B. Lippincott and company, a business connection which continued about a year. Mr. Childs then commenced business for himself on Chestnut street. In 1863 he purchased the Publishers' Circular, an advertising sheet, then published in New York. He remodelled and edited this paper, and issued the first number, under the title of the American Publishers' Circular and Literary Gazette on May 1, 1863. The Circular was a great success from the start, and continued under the charge of Mr. Childs until 1869, when his increasing cares of the publication of the Public Ledger, which he purchased in December 1864, forced him to part with it.

The Ledger was founded in 1836 by three journeymen printers—Messrs. Swain, Abell and Simmons—and had prospered greatly. The Ledger had been founded as a penny paper and had gained a very large circulation, but when the price of white paper increased so enormously as it did during the civil war, the great circulation was absolutely a source of loss, since the white paper on which the sheet was printed was worth more than the printed sheet sold for. Under these circumstances the Ledger, in spite of its popularity, was failing steadily, behind and was published at a daily loss.

It required great courage to purchase a newspaper under such circumstances, but Mr. Childs determined to take the risk and purchased the Ledger for a sum slightly in excess of the amount of its annual loss. This loss, Mr. Childs states, amounted to about $450 on each issue, or about $150,000 a year.

On June 20, 1876, the present Ledger building was completed and formally opened.

The friendship which existed between Mr. Childs and the late A. J. Drexel was closer than that of a brother. Every joy and every sorrow, every success and every failure was shared between them.

As a publisher and bookseller Mr. Childs became intimately acquainted with many distinguished men in the world of letters.

His prominence in the social world of Philadelphia and his unbounded hospitality brought together under his group many eminent men and enabled him to form lasting friendships with very many of the great ones of the world. He has dined and been dined by nobility of Europe and many of our great men. One of his particularly cherished friends was Gen. U. S. Grant.

There is no need of mentioning Mr. Childs' relation with his employees. There is not one of them who has not at one time or another realized his world-wide charity and his helpful and kindly tact.

The good deeds of Mr. Childs, which are unknown to any but himself, are so numerous that they could not be described in a brief sketch. The individual cases of distress relieved by him are simply innumerable.

M'KANE TESTIFIES.

Put on the Stand in Brooklyn in His Own Defense

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Feb. 3.—Interest in the celebrated Gravesend election fraud case against John Y. McKane was unusually interesting yesterday afternoon. McKane taking the witness chair in his own behalf. He was not the least disturbed. In the direct examination he explained the remarkable growth of Gravesend in the past few years and made a general denial of all the charges against him and asserted his innocence of causing the clubbing and arrest of the Gaynor men.

The cross examination was begun at 5 o'clock by Gen. Tracy, who plunged at once into the subject of the government of the town of Gravesend. He invited the witness to explain the indebtedness of the town, but he found much difficulty in exploring the memory of Mr. McKane for facts. Gen. Tracy finally secured a statement to the effect that the town was bonded for about $800,000. Then counsel drew out an explanation of the manner of paying the police by the private checks of McKane. He said that, owing to the rapid growth of Gravesend in later years, it had become necessary to largely increase the police force; that the tax had increased for this purpose from $5,000 a year to $30,000; $24,000 of which was raised by taxation and $6,000 from licenses. Mr. McKane said he was treasurer of the police board, but kept no account of the payments made to the men except those contained on the stubs of his check books. He said that, owing to this rapid increase, the town had run a year behind in the collection of taxes: and that he had personally furnished the money to provide payment for the men.

Death of an ex-Priest.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Feb. 3.—Charles Joseph Koch, D. D., a native of Mayence, Germany, died here yesterday, aged 86 years. In earlier life he was a Catholic priest, being excommunicated when he married his servant girl. He was an author of devotional and educational works, metrical translation of psalms, canticles and lamentations.

Reformatory Investigation.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Feb. 3.—The session of the Elmira reformatory investigation ended last night. It is expected that the next and final sitting will be in New York city at a time to be announced by the committee. Superintendent Brockway will take the stand in his own defense and a score of other witnesses are to be called.

Broke Up in a Row.

LONG MEADOW, Mass., Feb. 3.—The town held its annual meeting fracas over division last evening in the chapel of the old village church on the west side, and for the third time in as many years broke up in a row.

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DOINGS IN CONGRESS

Senate Devotes Another Day to Bonds.

Mr. Quay Promises to Revive the Financial Discussion of the Extra Session—The House Considering the Hawaiian Resolution Censuring the Harrison Administration.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—The resolution of Senator Stewart denying the right of the secretary of the treasury to issue bonds, which became a subject for discussion during the morning hour several days ago, yesterday succeeded in side-tracking everything else, Mr. Vilas occupying the entire afternoon in defense of the secretary of the treasury. Mr. Vilas predicated his remarks to an amendment to the resolution declaring the authority of the secretary to apply the proceeds from the sale of bonds to appropriations made by congress, and proceeded to make his argument from a legal standpoint.

Mr. Quay gave notice of an amendment he intended to offer to the tariff bill, which provides for the free coinage of silver under the act of February 28, 1878, the purchase of silver bullion and the issuance of ten-year treasury notes bearing low interest, all of which promises to renew the financial discussion of the extra session. Shortly after 4 o'clock the tariff bill was laid before the senate and referred to the finance committee. At 5:10 the senate adjourned until Monday next.

House of Representatives.

A lively discussion was precipitated yesterday in the house over a report from the committee on rules setting aside the next three legislative days for the consideration of Mr. McCreary's resolution censuring Minister Stevens and the republican administration for their share in the Hawaiian imbroglio. Mr. Boutelle, rep., Me., endeavored to call up his privileged resolution relating to Hawaii, but the previous question was ordered and the committee's report adopted. In discussing this, however, Mr. Catchings, dem., Miss., who reported the special order, made some caustic remarks about Mr. Boutelle.

While he was explaining the rule to regulate the Hawaiian debate, he said it had not been submitted to the gentleman from Maine, Mr. Boutelle, because the committee knew in advance that "nothing would receive his approval which did not give him free vein to perform his fantastic bedlamite gyrations on the floor."

Amid slight laughter on the democratic side, Mr. Boutelle called the gentleman to order and demanded that his words be taken down and that the gentleman resume his seat.

The words were reported from the clerk's desk, and Mr. McMillan moved that Mr. Catchings be permitted to proceed in order. After some little amount of wrangling Mr. Catchings was permitted to resume his remarks. He had not uttered a complete sentence before Mr. Boutell, under the mistaken impression that Mr. Catchings was again indulging in personalities, interrupted him.

The speaker assured him that nothing objectionable had been uttered, for the reason that the gentleman had spoken only about a dozen words; and Mr. Catchings again proceeded. Again he was interrupted, this time for more reason, for he had said that he, Mr. Catchings, in common with many other gentlemen on the floor of the House, had regarded the gentleman from Maine as afflicted with a species of harmless mania for making an exhibition of himself. Laughter on the democratic side.

Mr. Boutelle demanded that these words be taken down, and he desired the speaker to call the gentleman to order.

Mr. Catchings made a somewhat humorous and sarcastic reply, after which a vote was taken on the resolution and it was unanimously agreed to, and Mr. McCreary, chairman of the foreign affair committee, was recognized. Before he could proceed, however, Mr. Hitt offered a substitute for the majority resolution, which severely criticized the administration's Hawaiian policy.

Coleman Will Case Settled.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 3.—The long and bitterly fought contest over the will of George Dawson Coleman, son of Robert Coleman, of the well-known families of that name in this city and Lebanon, Pa., was brought to a termination yesterday by Register Shields. The register dismissed the caveat filed against the writing and admitted the will to probate by revoking the ancillary letters of administration granted nearly two years ago to J. Hanleton Markel, and granting regular letters to the latter, he being the elect of Mrs. Rosalie Parent Coleman, the mother of the testator and the sole legatee under the will.

Convicted in Italy.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Feb. 3.—The district attorney of Luzerne county has just been notified by Secretary of State Gresham that the two Italians, Giuseppe Bevireno and Vincenzo Villela, accomplices of "Rednosed Mike," had been convicted of murder in the Italian courts. The former was sentenced to twenty years imprisonment and the latter to fifteen. The crime alluded to is the murder of contractors McClure, of Philadelphia, and Finangan, of Quakertown, on the mountains near here in 1889. "Rednosed Mike" was hanged here, but the others escaped.

To Avoid Numerous Discharges.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—The orders directing the top-heavy gunboats Machias and Castine to proceed to Norfolk for alterations, have been revoked and orders have been issued directing that the vessels be repaired at the New York navy yard. This was done to avoid discharging a large number of men and because the Norfolk yard has plenty of work on hand.

Financially Embarrassed.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—The old and well-known house of William Eggert and company, wholesale dealers in tobacco at Cincinnati and this city, has become temporarily embarrassed and has been forced to ask a general extension from their creditors.

Mrs. Mary H. Oxx Dead.

MT. VERNON, N. Y., Feb. 3.—Mrs. Mary H. Oxx, 72 years old, died at the home of her son-in-law, A. L. Hammett, at Pelham Manor, N. Y., yesterday. The deceased was the widow of the late Thomas A. Oxx, one of the wealthiest residents of Newport, R. I.

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A map of ideas needs sound health to carry them out, and a clear, cool brain is better than a shaky one, however brilliant. The men who can work long hours under pressure win success and fame or failure depends oftener on a strong stomach, healthy nervous system and plenty of reserve force than on great intellectual power.

Be well. Get rid of liver and kidney weakness. Paine's celery compound will take away the sickly, depressed, unambitious feeling that comes with dyspepsia, disordered liver and nervous weakness. Paine's celery compound will fill the veins with blood that is red and rich in food for every vital organ. The first noticeable effect of Paine's celery compound is the immediate improvement of appetite and gradual gain in weight; this remarkable remedy sets to work at once to nourish nerve centres and purify the blood of harmful humors. It was the belief of Prof. Phelps of Dartmouth college, the discoverer of celery compound, and he so stated to his classes at Dartmouth college that only when the system is perfectly nourished in tissue, blood and nerve cells, is it possible to drive out the special disorders from important organs like the liver, kidneys, heart and stomach.

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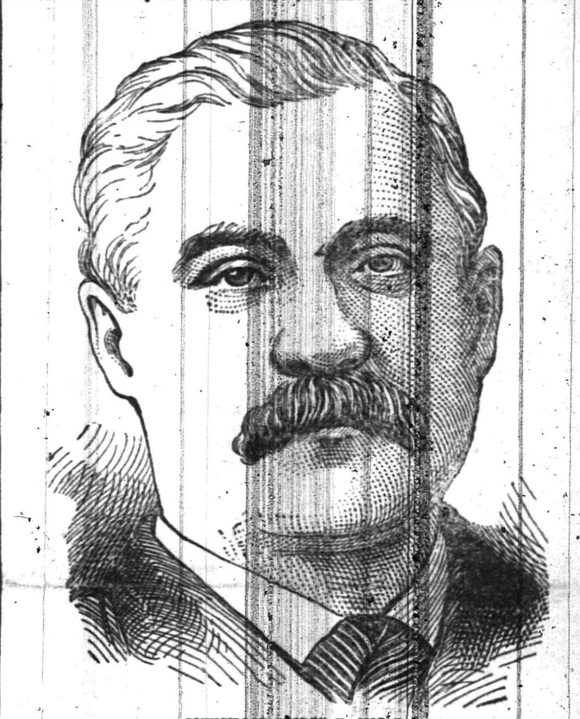

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
Council Chamber,
Boston Nov 28 1893

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I have been troubled with chronic catarrh for years. Ely's Cream Balm is the only remedy among the many that I have used that affords me relief.—E. H. Willard, druggist, Joliet, Ills.

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WALTER-IRVING CLARKE, - Managing Editor.

CIRCULATION EQUAL TO THAT OF THE NEWS AND THE COURIER COMBINED.

Mr. Kellar and Music Hall.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—In the course of his excellent entertainment last night, in Music Hall, Mr. Kellar took occasion to pass severe criticism on the management of Music Hall because of the music furnished.

As press representative for Manager Demarest, permit me to state that the contract made between Mr. Demarest and Mr. Kellar's manager was faithfully fulfilled by both parties to the contract. The contract specified that the manager of Music Hall should provide no music except "piano if required". Mr. Kellar's man did not demand a piano until nearly 7 p. m., when the Stage Manager secured not only piano but player, as promptly as possible, and Mr. Demarest's money paid for them. Mr. Kellar stated that the pianist played as a personal favor and had to be coaxed. What "coaxed" him was $5 cash, of Music Hall funds.

Mr. Kellar could not know the facts except from hearsay, on account of his own late arrival, and he was evidently misinformed by his own manager in an effort of that individual to shield his own neglect.

I am sure that few would have grumbled had so entertaining an exhibition as Mr. Kellar's been accompanied by no music whatever, but were it true that the contract had not been fulfilled by Music Hall, Mr. Kellar had the privilege of taking his share of the box receipts and going home without giving any show, leaving it to Music Hall to refund the admissions.

As to Mr. Kellar's unnecessary statement that good entertainments cannot be obtained for Music Hall, permit me to add that strictly first-class bookings have been secured for the remainder of the season and for next year. "I have the honor to announce", as Mr. Kellar would say, that "Blue Jeans", February 7, is the next attraction, which is sure to draw more people even than Kellar, and that a greater than Kellar is coming, which is Hermann.

I would also state, for the information of those who misunderstand matters, that I am not local manager for Music Hall and have no authority whatever in Music Hall matters except the handling of the Hall advertising. I make this statement simply as press representative. Mr. J. A. Demarest still continues to be the sole lessee and manager, and he has in no way delegated me to take charge of his affairs.

WALTER IRVING CLARKE.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Soup will be sold in the W. C. T. U. rooms tonight from 5 to 8.

—The Y. M. C. A. gymnasium will begin regular class work tonight.

—Have you seen those handsome valentines at Harper's, 411 Park avenue?

—1,000 sheets of toilet paper are sold at 10 cents, at Harper's, 411 Park avenue.

—VanBuren & Timpson have a new sign out at the curb, directing people to their real-estate office.

—The amount taken in at the North Avenue station the first of the month for commutation tickets was $4,300.

—A three-cornered boxing match was held in Car No. 1 as it stood on Watchung avenue, yesterday afternoon.

—A Martha Washington tea will take place in Reform Hall, February 22, for the benefit of the Emmanuel Church.

—Frank Dodge, while skating at Demler's, last evening, fell through the ice. He was assisted to terra firma by a young woman.

—A crowd of bystanders laughed uproariously to see Dog-Catcher Frisbie take a tumble from a Somerset street car this noon.

—Miss Reeside, missionary from among the Indians, will speak in the Park Avenue Baptist Church, Tuesday afternoon, February 20.

—Dennis Sutphen and Edward Kennedy were arrested by Chief Marshal Pangborn this afternoon for violating the health ordinance of the borough.

—J. W. Cramer, one of the Grant avenue family poisoned by eating canned tomatoes Thursday night, returned to his work on the streets today. Mr. and Mrs. George Perrine are still very ill.

—Sebring is offering another lot of all-wool trousers at $1.95, reduced from $3; overcoats, and all winter clothing, are sold at cost. No goods are to be carried over if it is possible to dispose of them.

—A tramp spent yesterday afternoon accosting pedestrians on Crescent avenue near Watchung avenue and asking for the whereabouts of Mrs. Gough's boarding house where he said one of his debtors lived.

—Thirty hackmen are negotiating with Bootblack Joe of the North Avenue station for club rates on a daily shine apiece. They offer $3 a week, but Joe stands firm in his determination to shine for $4 50 or not at all.

—The sentencing of "Count" John K. Van Ness was postponed by the Court in Elizabeth this morning for two weeks. George H. Simpson, the returned fugitive Rahway bank-clerk, pleaded guilty, and March 17 was set for his sentence.

—Rev. Mary F. Whitney, of West Somerville, Mass., was invited to preside over the meeting of the Unitarian clergymen of Boston and vicinity last Monday, and did so with grace and dignity. The address was by Md. Alexander Russell Webb on "Islam".

—A very difficult operation was performed by Dr. Field, assisted by Dr. Frank Searles, on Miss Hattie Bockwell of East Front street, yesterday afternoon. The operation, which was the removal of a tumor, lasted about one hour, and was very successful.

Persons who live in the country should keep Salvation Oil, the infallible antidote for the poisonous stings of bees and wasps.

BY THE WAY.

—A song service will be held in the W. C. T. U. rooms tonight.

—Services will be held at 7:30 and 11 a. m., in Grace P. E. Church, Ash Wednesday.

—During Lent, Friday evening service will be held each week at 8, in the German Reformed Church.

—The young people of the Park Avenue Baptist Church gave an entertainment and sociable in the church last evening.

—At the next meeting of the Borough Council February 16, the annual detailed reports of the committees will be presented.

—Reserve Thursday, Feb. 8, for the rainbow tea to be given by the Ladies Christian Work Society of Trinity Church, in the lecture room.

—A colored man with a card attached to his hat, with the words "A Traveling Mute", had a little difficulty in finding a place to get a meal this afternoon. Sergeant Kiely assisted him.

—Merchant Edward White has partitioned off and handsomely furnished a large space in the centre of his store, where Miss Kittie Daly, noted for her excellent taste and skill, now conducts the millinery department.

—Ex-Sheriff Coddington of Somerville will have surveyors at work on his property, the old Hillman estate, next Monday. He will cut through and macadamize a sixty-foot roadway back from Somerset street, one block above and parallel to Mountain avenue.

—Charles Frulick, the eleven-year-old boy who was caught in the act of stealing a gold watch worth $35 from J. Hervey Doane's store yesterday afternoon, was taken to the county jail by Chief Grant last night. As recommended by Justice Nash, he will probably be sent to the Reform School.

—Mr. McNabe, contractor, of Netherwood, came near losing the sight of his left eye this morning. While working on his building at Watchung avenue and Fifth street, a screwdriver which he was using slipped from his hands, striking him in the eye. He was obliged to stop work and go home.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Walter McGee will give a tea this afternoon at her home on Rockview avenue.

Mrs. Charles Matthews of Grove street is visiting her sister, Mrs. Greenough, of Philadelphia.

W. E. MacClymont will entertain R. F. Fountain and Wm. Hendrickson of Matawan over Sunday.

Letter Carrier Charles B. Stephens who was stricken with the grip yesterday, is not yet able to be out.

Mrs. David McMurtrie, formerly of this city, and now of New York, was in town yesterday visiting friends.

J. E. Simpson, Jr., is confined to his home on Grove street with a severe attack of muscular rheumatism.

Mrs. Wm. F. Hopkins, of Philadelphia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Edward J. Waring, of 57 Willow avenue.

The will of John C. Smalley was admitted to probate in Somerville yesterday. Mrs. Edla J. Kelley, of Newark, is the executrix.

Members of the German Reformed Church enjoyed an orange social in the church last evening, arranged by the Misses Katie and Sadie Blimm, Nettie Kreitling and Jennie Utzinger.

To Send a Barrel to the Poor.

The Missionary Society of Grace M. E. Church held a business and social meeting at the home of Jacob Voehl on Somerset street last evening.

Twelve new members were received, increasing the roll to thirty-five. It was decided to send a barrel of useful articles to the Italian home in New York. A collection was taken up.

Then business ended and pleasure began. Refreshments were partaken of and the company entertained by the presentation of a brief programme. Miss Emma Glenck sang "He is not willing that any should perish" and read "Her Offering". Ezra Loomis sang the solo parts of "Hear Dem Bells" and "Old Black Joe" in which Mr. and Mrs. William Powell joined. John H. Carney kept the guests laughing while he spoke in his famous German dialect.

New Evangelists Next Week.

The text of Evangelist Wright in the First Presbyterian Church last night was Exodus XII: 13. Miss Fellows sang "Paradise", and Mr. Wright sang two hymns. The attendance was so large that the gallery had to be opened. At the after meeting many went to the penitent seat. Mr. Wright will conclude his labors tomorrow night.

Next week A. W. Halsey, of New York, will preach Tuesday evening, and Charles Herald, of Brooklyn, Thursday evening.

Citizens Organized Aid Association—Householders Tickets.

We desire to remind the householders of Plainfield of the tickets issued by the Citizens Organized Aid Association and now procurable at the office of the association, corner of Park and North avenues. One of these tickets may be given to any person applying for relief at the door or on the street, and on presentation at the office, signed by the donor, the applicant's case will be promptly investigated and a proper disposition made of it. If the donor desires to give the relief, he will receive from the agent at the office the result of the investigation. 24-2w

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell. 25c., 50c. and $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Alexander Brown, of Lake street, is seriously ill.

Joseph T. Vail, of 317 Franklin street, is ill with the grip.

A party is to be given to Wilbur Schaeffer next Friday night.

Mrs. Jane Runyon is visiting relatives at 128 Chilton street, Elizabeth.

Mrs. Kline, mother of Lewis Kline, is quite ill at her home on Craig place.

Mrs. Brown, of Allegheny, is the guest of Mrs. F. H. Andrews, of Central avenue.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Bowden, of 955 South Second street, Thursday.

Miss Cooley, of Rockview avenue, entertained a number of friends at her home last evening.

Mrs. Welsh and her young daughter, Dorothy, of New York, are visiting relatives in Washington Park.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sullivan, of West Third street, are proud of their little daughter, born yesterday.

Mrs. M. H. LaBarre and daughter Alice, of Hackettstown, are guests of Mrs. J. C. Garey, 39 Craig place.

Misses Etta and Hattie VanBuskirk, of West Second street, are spending a few days among their falends in Elizabeth.

Abner Bartlett, of 529 West Front street, moved into apartments in the Miller building, corner of Park avenue and East Fourth street, today.

Daniel Adams Allen, son of Mrs. I. P. Allen, of Somerset street, was given a birthday party Thursday afternoon. Thirty young people attended, and had a merry time.

Mr and Mrs. A. D. Thompson leave town next week by Florida Special of the Pennsylvania Railroad. Mr. Thompson intends to look after his lumber interests in Florida. He intends to open up a large tract.

Daniel L. Allen died yesterday at his home in Scotch Plains, aged sixty-one. Death was caused by an attack of the grip. He leaves eleven children, including J. C. and Samuel Allen, of Plainfield. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon. Interment will be in Hillside Cemetery.

The evening sociable at the residence of Albert Eyno at Two Bridges, last evening, was an enjoyable affair. Eighty people were present from Rahway, Metuchen and Plainfield, and dancing was kept up until near dawn. The Committee of Arrangements were C. Eyno, W. Bowers and H. Eyno.

The Misses Hockridge, of East Fifth street, entertained a few of their friends last evening. Dancing and games formed part of the evening's enjoyment, after which refreshments were served. Music for dancing was furnished by Mrs. Buckley. Those present were: the Misses Mills, Lottie Messerschmidt, Mabel Moore, Henrietta Binning, Miss Barnes of Brooklyn; and Messrs. Will Moore, Fred Deitz, Edward Laing, Will Haven, Frank Blatz, Will Morrison, Fred Hockridge.

A very pleasant surprise party was given to Miss Georgie Derby, last evening, at her home on Westervelt avenue, by her young friends. It was arranged by the Misses Martie Anthony and Anna Hazell, and was complete in every respect. Games and other amusements occupied the attention of the young people, and later in the evening refreshments were served. Among those attending were the Misses Mary Hazell, Elsie Smith, Charlotte Cave, Theodore Hazell, Chas. Moore, Harry Lucky, Clifford Smith, Douglass Murphy and several others.

The Heart Club, composed of five Plainfield young women, gave a charming progressive euchre party at the home of Miss Genevieve Daniels, West Eighth street, yesterday. The party sat down to four tables, and when the playing ceased it was found that Miss Helen Burr and Arthur West had won first prizes. It fell to the lot of Miss May Woodruff and Arthur Freeman to secure the booby prizes. After the prizes were awarded, dancing was indulged in. Those present were: Miss Genevieve Daniels, Miss Alice Haynes, Miss Schoonmaker, Miss May Woodruff, Miss Mabel Negley, Miss Gertrude Baker, Miss Helen Burr, Miss Florence Smith; and Messrs. Arthur Freeman, Fred Freeman, Albert Woltman, Meredith Dryden, Laurens VanBuren, Edgar Serrell, Arthur West, Gillmore Drayton.

The many friends of Mrs. Emily M. Butler, wife of W. C. Butler, learned today with deep regret of her death, which occurred last evening at 6, from pneumonia. Mrs. Butler had been ill but a short time, and it was thought she would recover, but the best medical skill and care were baffled. Decedent was a resident of this city for many years, and had a very large circle of friends. She was an active member of the First Baptist Church, and took a deep interest in all its work, especially that of missions. Mrs. Butler was untiring in her efforts to secure the interest of others in both foreign and home missions, and very much was accomplished by her in this way. She was very well known as an earnest worker in the Master's service. A husband and two daughters, Miss Linda Butler and Miss Belle Butler, survive her. Mrs. Butler was in her 69th year. Funeral services will be held at her late residence, 215 East Front street, Tuesday, February 6, at 10 a. m.

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SCRUB and WASH as you will, it is not easy to keep the hands smooth and white in winter time. In fact, the more you scrub and wash, the rougher seems the skin, and you find that the best of soap fails to whiten it. Now if, after washing, you will moisten your hands with LEMON JUICE AND GLYCERINE, the effect will be to soften and whiten the skin, even in the worst weather. Used by hundreds of the "best people" in Plainfield. Originated and sold only by H. P. REYNOLDS, Pharmacist, Park and North avenues.

—Dunellen Methodists and Presbyterians will unite in communion in the Presbyterian Church tomorrow morning. In the evening a union temperance meeting will be held in the Methodist Church.

—"Blue Jeans", to be given in Music Hall next Wednesday night, is one play not marred by the presence of a villain. Its hero has an evil genius in a village lout, spurred to frenzy by a jealous woman, whom he loves. Joseph Arthur, the play's author, has demonstrated in his quaint and really great play that it is possible for a playwright to be sensational and sensible at the some time.

DEATHS.

BUTLER—Entered into rest, Feb. 3, 1894, Mrs. Emily M., wife of W. C. Butler, in her 69th year.
Funeral services from her late residence, 215 East Front street, on Tuesday, Feb. 6, at 10 a. m. 2

THE W. C. T. U.

Will serve

SOUP DAILY

At 11:30 a. m., from their rooms, corner of Watchung avenue and 4th street. (Entrance by the side door),

For 3c. a Quart, or 2 Quarts for 5c.

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This will be continued until further notice. 2 3 tf

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Regular prices. Seats on sale at Leggett's.

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WE have calls for some houses that will rent for $30 to $35 per month; send us a list at once. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung ave. 1 22 tf

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HOUSE WANTED of 7 rooms or more, with modern improvements in North Plainfield; to be west of Somerset street and south of Park avenue. Address M., care Press. 2 2 2

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LOST—A gold link bracelet, between Hulett's Hall and the Crescent Avenue Church. Reward for return to this office. 2 2 3

TO LET—Store with basement; steam heated; excellent location for any business; moderate rent. Miller, 339 Park avenue. 2 2 2

WANTED—A cheap work horse. Address P. O. Box 50, Netherwood 2 2 2

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FOR SALE or to let, house and barn 109 West 4th st. Apply G. W. Force, 111 West 2d st. 2 1 5

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STORE to let, 134 North avenue; 20x60; will divide in two stores if desired. Apply F. H. Martin. 2 1 tf

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HERE ARE A FEW SPECIMENS.

One lot of Dress Goods, at 25c., were 45c. One lot all wool, plaid and striped Dress Goods, at 35c., were 50c. One lot plain, colored, wool Serges, at 40c., were 50c. One lot striped and plaid Dress Goods, at 20c.

One lot Men's wool half Hose, at 17c., were 25c. One lot Men's camel hair half Hose, at 29c., were 35c. One lot Men's natural, all wool, half Hose, at 31c., were 40c. One lot Men's cashmere, half Hose, at 31c., were 35c.

One lot natural, all wool Shirts and Drawers, at 95c., were $1.25. One lot Men's mixed Shirts and Drawers, at 39c., were 50c. One lot Men's natural wool Shirts and Drawers, at $1.39, were $1.75. One lot red, all wool Shirts and Drawers, at 90c., were $1.25. One lot Ladies' Vests and Pants, at 50c., were 75c.

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In a recital of Romantic Piano Music.

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Notice is hereby given that Peter Schultz of the Borough of Dunellen, county of Middlesex and State of New Jersey, hath this day made an assignment to the subscriber of his estate, for the equal benefit of his creditors, and that the said creditors must exhibit their respective claims under oath or affirmation, to the subscriber at his office, 110 East Front st., Plainfield, New Jersey.

ELIAS B. POPE, Assignee
Dated January eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four. 1 18 25 2 1

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No. 2,343. Dividend No. 34.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of four per cent (4) on the capital stock of this bank out of the earnings of the past six months, payable on after Tuesday, Feb. 6, 1894.

WM F. ARNOLD, Cashier.
Plainfield, N. J., Jan. 31, 1894. 1 31 2 3 5

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LIGHTS IN THE BOROUGH.

Contract Renewed With the Edison Electric Company.

At the meeting of the Borough Council last evening it was decided to make a contract with the Edison Electric Light Company to light the streets of the borough for five years at $16 per year for lamp. Councilman Edwards was the only absentee.

Clerk Vetterlein read his minutes of the meeting, January 5, and they were approved.

A letter was read from Dr. E. W. Hedges, Secretary of the Plainfield Medical Association, in which he called attention to a resolution passed at the last meeting of the society. The doctors urged the authorities to take some action toward adopting a system of sewerage. The communication was received and filed.

A request having been made of the Central Railroad Company that they furnish Chief Marshal Pangborn with a pass on the railroad, a section of the rules was cited in a letter from the company to show that a pass could not be issued under the circumstances.

In a letter received from the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company they offered to place a free telephone in Marshal Pangborn's house if the Council would pass an ordinance defining their public privileges and private franchise in the borough. After a short discussion the matter was referred to the Committee on Fire, Water and Lights.

W. E. Brock made a written complaint that the Somerset street line of the street railway had not been run according to the ordinance under which they were allowed to enter the borough. He claimed that for two months but one car had been running at thirty minutes' headway. As the company provides no shelter for waiting passengers at the North Avenue station, commuters were often seriously inconvenienced. The complaint was referred to the Street Committee.

A petition from Thomas E. Warner and others that two lamps be placed on Mercer avenue, one between Grove and Duer streets, and one between Grove street and Washington avenue, was referred to the proper committee. A request for a crossing on Manning avenue, corner of Warren street, was referred with power to the Street Committee. A number of claims were read, and after being certified to by the Auditing Committee were paid.

Collector H. N. Spencer presented his report of taxes collected since his last statement. Chief Marshal Pangborn reported amounts of licenses collected.

Mr. Needham made a report of the work of the Special Committee appointed to investigate the question of sewerage. As the city had decided in favor of the employment of the intermittent filtration system and made surveys and maps, he thought it was time for the borough to consider the subject. It was apparent to all that some better method of disposing of sewerage was needed. Many prospective residents might be turned away from renting or purchasing when they learned of the lack of sewers. If the borough could co-operate with the city a great saving would be effected. He described the success of the approved system in other cities and asked the residents of the borough to consider the question carefully, even though the present Council did not wish to take action in their last meetings.

Mr. Fountain reported that he had ordered two lamps placed on Manning avenue between Somerset street and Westervelt avenue, as had been requested.

A bid was presented by the Plainfield Gas and Electric Lighting Company to furnish 250 or more lights of 25 candle power on the streets for three years, burning 4,000 hours annually, $15.50 a year for each lamp. The offer was made on the condition that the company be allowed to place poles and string wires to supply private houses and stores. The company would accept a contract containing a provision that it might be renewed for seven years more at the end of the three years.

The Dunellen Electric Light Company, through manager Charles P. Sebring, offered to do the same work on a three years contract for $17 per light, and on a five years contract for $16.

Mayor Saunders said that he had inspected the Grove street improvements yesterday morning and found a large part of the filling in completed. He was satisfied that the work was being done well and economically. In a few days, he thought, it would be possible to drive on Grove street from Mountain avenue to Plainfield. The work being done now should be complemented by a layer of broken stone which the Board of Freeholders put on. He said that Street Commissioner Gavin was contributing his services in overseeing the improvements and that he should be allowed a compensation by the borough.

On motion the Mayor and Council were authorized to draw warrants on the Collector for $3,800 to meet four notes.

Dr. Cooley, President of the Edison Company, said that at the January meeting he not been authorized to make a bid of $16. Since that time he had consulted the directors and in consideration of the term of years they made the bid for the first five years $16, and for the second five years at $15.50.

A resolution was offered that the Mayor and Clerk enter into a contract, to be drawn up by the Borough Counsel, with the Edison Company on the terms proposed by them.

Mr. Needham called attention to the private lighting franchise provided for in the offer of the Plainfield company, and favored the adoption of the resolution.

Mr. Neal said the Council was to blame for the poor lighting furnished by the borough company. He would vote against the resolution because he objected to giving any company a five years' contract. It would be much better to let the Edison Company have a year in which to show the kind of light they proposed to furnish if awarded a longer contract.

Mr. Fountain said that the Chief Marshal had not reported a single case of a light being out during January.

Mayor Saunders favored making a contract for five years. If a light burned at less than 25 candle power, the borough should inflict the penalty of twice the price of the lighting not furnished. He did not think that 50 cents should stand in the way of accepting an offer from the home company.

The resolution was adopted, Mr. Neal voting in the negative.

Two lamps were ordered for Race street, one above and one below Warren street.

On motion of Mr. Neal the Street Commissioner was voted half of his usual compensation while overseeing the Grove street improvements.

The ordinance already published providing for the laying and maintenance of stone, brick, or concrete sidewalks within a central district of the borough was read for the third time and adopted unanimously. On motion of Mr. Neal the ordinance was ordered published as provided by law.

On motion the balance due on the fire alarm whistle was ordered paid.

The meeting was adjourned until February 16.

WEST END NOTES.

The Potter Press Works are running till 9 every night, and all Saturday night.

C. W. Tallman is circulating a petition to be presented at the Council meeting Monday night, asking for additional lights on the square in front of the Muhlenberg Hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Scott, of West Third street, last night.

Fred L. Stillman leaves for Westerly to attend the funeral of his father, who died there yesterday morning at the age of eighty-eight.

A dance in Welsh's Hall, Prescott place, was largely attended last night.

The well-trained canaries in W. H. Freeman's Pharmacy attract an appreciative audience every evening.

Hope Chapel bowlers will contest next week for a cup presented by Albert Littell.

WEST ENDER.

Netherwood's Sunny Hour Club.

(From The Sunny Hour.)

NETHERWOOD, N. J., Jan. 23, '94.

Mr. Tello d' Apery:

Dear Sir: I enclose you two dollars for ten additional Sunny Hour badges, which please send to my address, for distribution among the new members of our club recently formed, and of which I have already written to you.

The new names (excepting two, which I will give to you later) are as follows:

Lucille Simmonds, Margaret Lowe, Anita Frafey, Natalie Sullivan, Antoinette Moody, Helen Moody, Marie Finch, Katie Langhorn, all of Plainfield, N. J.

As recently organized, the club has chosen its officers as follows: Georgianna Hoadley Smith, President; Elsie Goddard, Vice-president; Marjory Fleming, Secretary; Antoinette Moody, Treasurer.

Yours very sincerely,

GEORGIANNA HOADLEY SMITH.

P. S.—We hope soon to give you some evidence of our interest in The Sunny Hour.

G. H. S.

A Letter from Mr. McCutchen.

EDITOR UNION COUNTY STANDARD.

MY DEAR SIR: — Please accept my thanks for a copy of The Standard of Jan. 27, which contains so excellent an account of the proceedings at Westfield's Centennial Banquet.

May I, however, ask you to correct the only error in that account which appears to me.

I am therein referred to as Mayor of North Plainfield.

This is a mistake and does so great injustice to North Plainfield's wholly admirable Mayor, William L. Saunders, whose place I could never hope to fill in any respect, even in the columns of a newspaper, that I must beg you to correct your error. I am,

Very sincerely,

S. St. J. MCCUTCHEN.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

The Class of '96 held a class meeting Thursday afternoon. An entertaining programme was provided and at the business session a motto was chosen.

The Senior Literary Class is preparing a dialogue from Shakespeare's Julius Cæsar, with which they will entertain their friends some afternoon.

The High School Lyceum held a "Mining" meeting, yesterday, each member speaking on some subject pertaining to mining. Woltman, '94, was elected president for March and April.

Gift from the Coleses.

The family of the late Dr. Abraham Coles, of Newark, is to present to the Free Public Library of that city one of the handsomest and most artistic works in steel and bronze at the World's Fair. It is the Columbian memorial shield, which was exhibited in the German department of the Liberal Arts Building. It is made of polished steel and bronze, and is about three feet in diameter: the allegorical and historical ornamentation upon it is extremely elaborate.

No Case Against Cooney.

Fireman George Zeisz received notice from the Police Board last evening, that they had decided there was no cause for action against Policeman Joseph Cooney.

—The bookcases and closets for Dr. Lewis's study in the new church are being finished and polished by Woolston & Buckle.

Opera singers and public speakers can keep their voices clear and strong with the family remedy, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

Brief notices will be inserted under this head free of expense, but must be delivered at this office not later than 10 o'clock Saturday morning to insure publication.

Ex-Mayor Place will speak at Washingtonville and Ernest A. Crane at Mt. Pleasant tomorrow evening.

In Bethel Chapel, tomorrow, there will be morning service at 11, Sunday-school at 3 p. m., and evening service at 8.

Friends' meeting will be held at 11 a. m., tomorrow, in the Watchung Avenue Meeting-house. The First-Day school will meet at 10 a. m.

Services will be held in the Church of the Heavenly Rest tomorrow at 11 a. m., when Bishop Scarborough will administer the rite of confirmation.

Masses will be celebrated in St. Joseph's Church tomorrow at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m. Sunday-school will be held at 3 p. m., and vespers at 8 p. m.

Capt. Geo. D. Morrison will address the young men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. rooms tomorrow at 4:15 p. m. There will be singing by the male choir.

In All Souls Church, tomorrow, service will be held at 10:45 a. m. The pastor, Rev. Hobart Clark, will preach. The Sunday-school will meet at 11:45 a. m.

In the German Evangelical Lutheran St. Peter's Church services will be held tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school will meet at 9:30 a. m. Rev. E. Kionka, pastor.

In St. Mary's Church tomorrow masses will be celebrated at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30 and 10:30 a. m. Vespers will be held at 8 p. m. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In the German Reformed Church tomorrow services will be held at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m., with preaching by the pastor, the Rev. F. Koechli. The Sunday-school will meet at 9:15 a. m.

In the Congregational Church tomorrow Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor, will conduct services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday-school will meet at 2:45 p. m. Christian Endeavor service will be held at 7:30 p. m.

The W. C. T. U. room will be open as usual tomorrow for the 9:15 a. m. praise and consecration service, and the Gospel temperance meeting at 4 p. m. will be conducted by Stephen R. Struthers.

In the Crescent Avenue Church services will be held tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., with preaching by the pastor, Rev. Wm. R. Richards, D. D. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In Grace Protestant Episcopal Church, tomorrow, there will be early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m., litany, sermon and Holy Communion at at 11 a. m., evening prayers and children's service at 3:30 p. m.

In the First Baptist Church tomorrow there will be early prayer meeting at 9:30 a. m., and preaching by the pastor, Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes, at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The Sunday-school and Bible classes will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In Warren Chapel tomorrow, services will be held at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. with preaching by the pastor, Rev. Joseph O. McKeivey. Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m. There will be celebration of the Lord's Supper in the morning.

In the Trinity Reformed Church tomorrow the pastor will preach at 10:30 a. m. Subject "What Must I Do to Be Saved?" The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m. In the evening at 7:30 Mitsuye Oi, a native of Japan, will tell of the work of God in his own country.

In the East Third Street Mission tomorrow there will be gospel services at 7:45 p. m. led by Edward Pease. The Christian Endeavor Society meeting will be held at 7 p. m. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m. The evening service will be of special interest.

In the First Church of Christ tomorrow there will be preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor, B. W. Hand. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11:45 a. m., and the Sunday-school will meet at 2:45 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting will be held at 6:45 p. m.

In Grace M. E. Church, tomorrow, Rev. Herbert F. Randolph, pastor, will preach at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The subject of the morning will be "Religion, a Theory, vs. Religion, an Experience". The Sunday-school will be held at 2:30, and Epworth League missionary meeting at 7:10 p. m.

In the First Methodist Episcopal Church tomorrow the pastor, Rev. C. R. Barnes, D. D., will preach at 10:30 a. m. on the subject "The Temptation of Jesus", and at 7:30 p. m. on the subject "The Failure of Christianity". The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 and the Epworth devotional meeting will be held at 6:45 p. m.

In the Park Avenue Baptist church tomorrow the Rev. J. W. Richardson's themes will be: In the morning at 10:30, "Will All Christians Persevere to the End?" In the evening at 7:30, "Not Willing That One Should Perish". The ordinance of Baptism will be administered at the close of the sermon. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In the Church of Our Saviour, tomorrow, the Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector, will officiate. There will be Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m., Sunday-school will be held at 9:45 a. m., litany, Holy Communion and sermon at 11, and evening prayer at 4. Two free stages will leave the railroad station for the church and return, at 10:30 a. m.

In the First Presbyterian Church tomorrow, the pastor, the Rev. Charles H. Herring, will preach at 10:30 a. m. Subject "Crucified with Christ". Rev. F. H. Wright will sing. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m. The Young People's service at 4 p. m. will be in charge of Mr. Wright. At the evening service at 7:45 Mr. Wright will preach and sing.

To Show His Ideas.

Endeavor Day will be observed tomorrow evening in the Trinity Reformed Church. Mitsuye Oi, of Japan, will tell of the work of Christ in that country, and will wear his native costume and show the idols that he once worshiped.

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We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Tradesmen Thrice Downed by the Parks.

Five Park Club bowlers visited the Trade Temple last evening and bowled three games with their hosts. They were beaten by 195 pins in the first game, but were successful in the other two.

B. T. Barnes surprised everyone by scoring 227 in the first game, and then becoming low man in the second with a score of 111. The scores:

FIRST GAME.

B. OF T.		PARK CLUB.	
VanEmburgh	136	Lyman	170
Buckle	154	Thiers, W	135
Barnes	227	Worth	138
Davis	164	Thiers, C	144
Vail	175	Matthews	164
	856		751

SECOND GAME.

PARK CLUB.		B. OF T.	
Lyman	175	VanEmburgh	130
Thiers, W	137	Buckle	178
Worth	145	Barnes	111
Thiers, C	162	Davis	157
Matthews	150	Vail	162
	769		738

THIRD GAME.

PARK CLUB.		B. OF T.	
Lyman	163	VanEmburgh	158
Thiers, W	161	Buckle	160
Worth	149	Barnes	140
Thiers, C	149	Davis	152
Matthews	142	Vail	130
	764		740

The Carpenter Musical.

Andrew G. Carpenter will give his monthly musical tonight, assisted by his pupils, at his rooms in Hulett's Hall. The following programme will be rendered:

Rippling Waves ..... Millard
R. McCollough.
Citizens Galop ..... Voltl
Miss May Conpy.
Les Sylphs ..... Bachman
Miss Edith Hulbert.
Valse di Concert ..... Matti
John V. Beekman, Jr.
Violin Solo 2d Mazurka di Concert .. Wieniawski
Dyckman Winckler.
Sonatina ..... Dussek
Miss Nettie Kreitling.
Polka di Concert ..... Bartlett
John V. Beekman, Jr.
Mazurka ..... Musin
Dyckman Winckler.
Die Lilie des Thales ..... Smith
Miss Hulbert.
Chasse au Leon (4 hands) ..... Hoeling
Messrs. Beekman and Carpenter.

Lyceums Lost.

The Arthur Kulls defeated the C. Y. M. L. bowlers by 34 pins on the young men's alleys last night. Lynch and Whalen led in the Lyceum team with a score of 163 each. The score:

C. Y. M. L.		ARTHUR KULLS.	
Lynch	163	Overton	174
Carty	152	Forbes	168
Kiely	130	Maxfield	141
Mack	128	Blanchard	162
Gallagher	149	Acker	166
Powell	133	Husbands	169
Whalen	163	Darling	130
Galbraith	135	Hand	160
Kenney	140	Whittman	189
Butscher	132		
	1425		1459

The tenth man of the A. K's was not a member, and his score was not counted in the total. The nine men beat the other ten, however.

EX-SHERIFF OF ULSTER COUNTY.

Hon. Davis Winne Owes His Health to Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy.

SHANDAKEN, N. Y.—One of the most prominent men in Ulster county is the Hon. Davis Winne, of this town. His reputation is not confined alone to this county, where he held the office of Sheriff for three years; he was also this district's representative in the New York State Legislature. For years he has been suffering from a complicated case of kidney and bladder trouble and congestion of the liver.

Upon the advice of friends he decided to try Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. He was not disappointed, for in a short while after he began its use, he was in better health than he had been in years before.

In speaking of Favorite Remedy to your correspondent, Mr. Winne said: "It has done more for me than all the physicians I ever employed, and I most unhesitatingly recommend it to any one suffering from kidney or liver troubles, for it will cure them."

Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is today the acknowledged specific for all diseases arising from acidity of the blood, and will cure dyspepsia, rheumatism, kidney and liver troubles, scrofula and eczema.

No man or woman can afford to trifle with health and life. Putting off treatment when dangerous symptoms exist is only slow suicide. To avoid their fatal effect, accept the aid of Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy; it has restored thousands to health and strength.

Reviving Columbus.

The successful manner in which the North Pole eludes polar detectives has prompted some way to suggest exhuming Columbus and startling him out in that line of discovery. But even Chris. could not discover a better place to get good bargains in watches, clocks, jewelry and silver ware than at Collier's, 103 Park avenue.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

New Orleans Mardi Gras.

Low excursion rates from Washington and through sleeper from Plainfield daily. Address L. J. Ellis, 317 A. Broadway, N. Y., or Edward Nelson, ticket agent, Plainfield. 31 6

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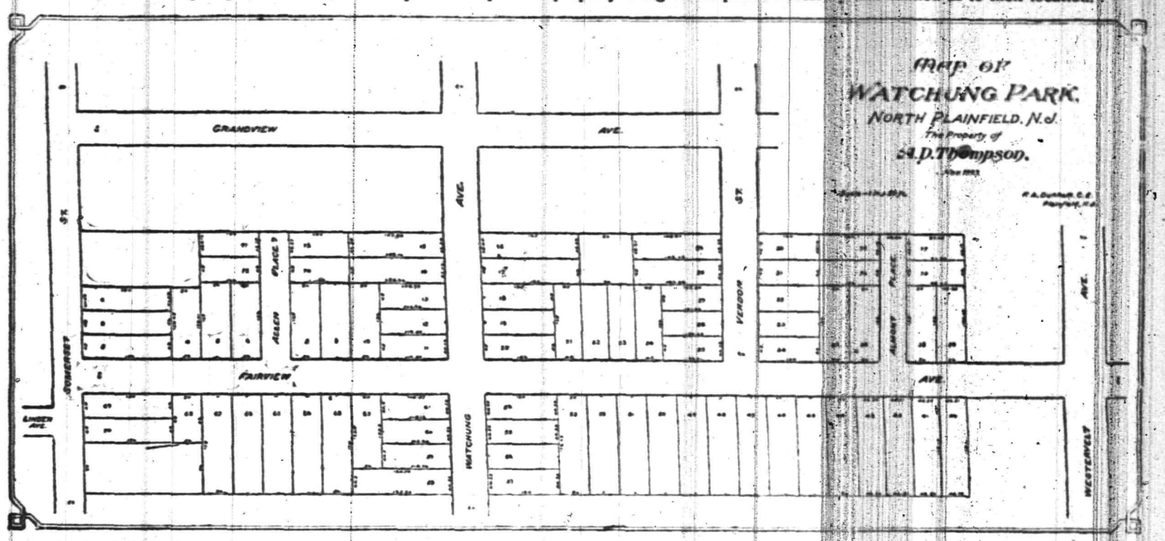
ONLY HIGH GRADE RESIDENCES will be erected. The neighborhood will be restricted, making it as desirable as any in Plainfield.
ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS will be in force by early spring. The work of macadamizing the streets is now being pushed rapidly.
ELECTRIC CARS pass the property. Electric lights, gas and city water will be introduced as soon in the spring as they are needed.
SCORES OF BEAUTIFUL HOMES now fronting on Sandford and Westervelt avenues have been located on the Crescent's ball field.
JUST AS PROPERTY VALUES jumped in Sandford and Westervelt avenues, so they will also increase rapidly in Watchung Park. Those who buy now will reap the benefit of an early investment.
THE LOTS are about 50x150 feet in size, and the printed map of the property will give the public necessary information as to their location.



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TARIFF IN THE SENATE.

Believed That the Wilson Bill Will Pass With Few Changes.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—When the Wilson tariff was taken over to the Senate and laid before that body, upon motion of the chairman of the committe it was at once referred to the finance committee.

"Better have an order made for the printing of the bill as a document," said Mr. Allison, "for, my word for it, there will be a great demand for that document."

"So be it," said Mr. Voorhees, and before the words were out of his mouth Mr. Hoar walked down towards the front and remarked, "Let's have it indexed, too; it will come in handy." The document was ordered as thus amended.

Now that the bill is fairly before the committee much interest is manifested as to whether or not the committee will permit extended hearings to be had on the bill in its present shape. In this connection it is said that Senator McPherson returned to the city for the purpose of assisting in the settlement of this question and that his vote will be cast with the republicans in favor of such hearings. Mr. Voorhees, it is understood, does not look with very much favor upon the proposition to have hearings in as extensive a manner as they were conducted before the house committee on ways and means. He believes the circulars sent out by the committee will do much to obviate the necessity for such work and that unless some important changes have been made there will be no need of extended hearings. Republican member of the committee, while admitting that the circulars will do good and throw much light in the pathway of the committee, do not believe that they will accomplish all that is hoped for, and, holding to this belief, they will, aided by Mr. McPherson, insist that hearings be had.

The probability is, therefore, based upon the judgment of members of the committee who have been giving this subject much attention, that the bill be in committee at least a month. The fight over the income tax promises to be warm and exciting. There are a number of republicans, notably those who opposed the repeal of the Sherman law, who will vote to keep the income tax on the bill for the reason that if it is taken off the decrease in the revenue will, from their point of view, be made up by an issue of bonds. So that, while voting to keep this tax on the bill, these senators will vote against the whole measure on its final passage. So far as can be gathered at so early a day the indications are that the bill will be passed by the senate by a strict party vote, and democratic members of the finance committee asserted to-day that they believed no very material change would be made in it.

EVERYBODY DREW REVOLVERS

Fatal Battle Over the Dispensary Law at Columbia, S. C.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Feb. 3.—Davis Miller shot W. B. Meetze last evening in front of Trial Justice Stack's office, and the wound may prove fatal. Miller was a witness in the trial of R. L. Seal, for violating the dispensary law and gave some evidence against the accused. It is alleged that there is a regular conspiracy in Columbia to intimidate witnesses and prevent their testifying in behalf of the state in prosecutions under the dispensary law.

Meetze questioned Miller after the trial about his evidence and they had angry words. Trial Justice Stack attempted to keep the men apart. Miller drew a pair of pistols and Meetze drew a pistol. There is doubt as to who fired first. Meetze fired one ball through Miller's coat under the arm and another ball tore open the coat sleeve. Miller placed a ball in Meetze's groin. Five shots were fired, three by Miller. A crowd gathered and threats were made against Miller, who had stopped shooting when his antagonist fell. Charles Hendrix, an ex-bar-tender, drew a pistol which was wrenched from him by Sergeant Morehead, who arrested Miller and disarmed him. When the crowd surrounded Miller, Morehead drew his pistol and warned the crowd that he would shoot the first man who interfered with his prisoner. The crowd fell back and Miller was taken to jail. The encounter took place within a few feet of the spot where several years ago Meetze killed Jim Clarke.

Local Weather Forecast.

Increasing cloudiness and rain; warmer.

Sunday-School Festival.

(From The Visitor.)

The Sunday-school Board of the M. E. Church have decided to hold a fair and festival for the benefit of the Sunday-school, in Vincent Chapel, Thursday and Friday evenings, Feb. 22 and 23. The various committees have been appointed, and are now making active preparations. It is desired that all members of the church and Sunday-school will cooperate to make this a great success. Any person who has not been assigned to a committee, and is desirous of assisting, is invited to report to the chairman of either of the committees:

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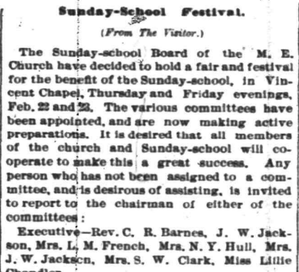

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MISS VICTORINE.

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CHAPTER VII.

Sister and I went to work at our preparations with a will and were soon ready.

One evening I joyfully put away my needle, conscious of having taken the last necessary stitch, and went out for a walk. Lest I should see one of the Summers at their door, I avoided the road and went out by the kitchen way into a green lane that ran between our place and the next plantation—as good a place to pace up and down in as any other. As I came to the melon patch I paused and looked over the fence. There was the spot where Mr. Summers, in his pursuit of me, had fallen flat. What a strange, weird memory it was! Why did I run? Why did he run? It was so unlike him to do so. Why—before I could ask myself another question the sound of feet smote my ear. I looked up. A gentleman with a tall hat on, eyeglasses and a neat gray vandyke beard was coming up the lane at a great pace—Mr. Summers himself and no other. Again terror of an interview possessed me. Again I turned and ran. He ran after me. The race was swift and rapid.

This time I did not double, but kept straight on. Away went my hat, as did John Gilpin's in his famous ride. Had I worn a wig, it must have followed. As it was, my great shell hairpin came out, and my hair, of which I had a quantity, streamed down my back. Still I kept on until, in ducking under a low bough, I met with Absalom's fate and was held fast by my floating locks. To free myself was impossible, and I perforce stood still. In a moment more Mr. Summers faced me. His first speech was fiendish.

"I never was so glad of anything in my life," he said.

I scornfully regarded him in silence.

"Miss Persis," he went on, "some time ago I made you an offer of marriage, and you, without answering, rushed away. Am I to understand that you intend to accept or reject my offer?"

"Of course I reject it," I said fiercely. He breathed a great sigh, apparently of relief.

"It was my duty to ask that," he said. "I should have held to my offer if you had accepted it, of course, but now I want to tell you that I made it under an utter misapprehension. In fact, I mistook you for your sister. You wore her red cloak, and I had left my glasses at home—you know I am near sighted. Until you turned I did not know you, and then you would not let me speak." Then he paused a moment and began to untangle my hair. "Disparity in years, great disparity," he went on, as he carefully freed my tresses, one at a time, "is an obstacle to happiness in marriage—hold that piece of hair, please. I regard you as a little girl, an obstinate little girl, but your half sister—catch that piece—lovely Miss Victorine, I simply adore. You take very little notice for your age if you never saw that for yourself. There, you are free, if you want to run away again."

"Oh, Mr. Summers!" I gasped. "I have been such an idiot! I might have known! I am so ashamed of myself!"

"You have done me a great injury. You have robbed my life of happiness," *he said.* "I *s*hppose you told *your story* to Miss Victorine? She turns from me with scorn and evidently detests me. She has strong feelings, Miss Persis. A girl of your age and temperament cannot comprehend an attachment which could conquer, as regards each other, such strong sectional prejudices as were ours."

"Say anything, Mr. Summers. I deserve it," I said, "but I have never told Victorine anything, and I will undo the consequences of my folly. I am sure it will not be difficult."

"Ah, I am afraid it will," Mr. Summers replied, turning dejectedly away.

As for me, I fairly skipped home again, feeling that after all I might hope to make Victorine happy.

I ran into the room where she sat and knelt down beside her and flung my arms about her waist.

"Vicky, darling," I gasped, all out of breath, "it was a mistake. He took me for you. I had on your red cloak, you know, and he had left his glasses at home, and I ran away, and he tumbled down in the watermelon patch, and he's been trying to explain ever since, and he"——

"What under the blue canopy do you mean, sister Persis?" said Victorine. "Who is he?"

"Mr. Summers loves you, and you only, Victorine," I went on.

She put her handkerchief to her eyes. "I never doubted it," she said.

"Then what does your conduct mean?" I inquired.

"Can you ask?" she responded reproachfully, "when a man has been paying devoted attention to a lady and suddenly, from pure fickleness, proposes to her sister? Could that sister, if possessed of a spark of loyalty, do anything but break with the whole family at any cost to herself?"

"But he did not, Victorine," I said. "It was a mistake."

"Sister, I am compelled to defend myself," said Victorine. "Older, plainer, less attractive than you, doing, I vow, nothing to bring it about, never fancying that I could charm so young a man as Harry Summers and glad to believe that he loved you, fancy my horror when I discovered that it was he who had knelt beside my chair and kissed my hand—he and not the one of whom I dreamed. When I arose from my chair, a letter which he had placed there fell from my lap. Since you fancy me the victim of my imagination, read it." And Victorine put forth her arm, drew her letter case, which lay upon the table, toward her and extracting an envelope handed it to me. A moment more and I was reading this, in Harry's handwriting:

DEAREST, MOST BEAUTIFUL—How often have I tried to speak, but I grow a coward on the instant, and I grow tongue tied. You are so dear to me, so dear—you know that, I am sure, but I do not know your heart, and so I shall find opportunity this evening to give you this note. Will you be my wife, angel? Will you write me just a little word to tell me that I have not deluded myself with false hopes, or even if I have I could bear to hear it thus far better than to read it in your eyes. Yours forever, no matter what may come, HARRY SUMMERS.

"And what did you reply?" I queried.

"Simply this," said Victorine. "'You are both presuming and ridiculous. Miss Carlton.' And of course that was an end of everything between me and that rascal's estimable parent," said Victorine, rising and pacing the floor.

"You are a devoted sister, Victorine," I said.

Then I ran out of the room, and in my own went off into wild and gleeful hysterics, for of course I knew that letter was written to me and no other, and that Harry, supposing as his father did that the red cloaked lady in the garden was sister Victorine, had assumed in the faint firelight that the person asleep in the rocking chair, veiled in my shawl, was myself, and so gone through with the kneeling, the hand kissing and the delivery of his letter to the wrong individual, while his father was performing the same absurd prank in the garden. However, I felt that I could not undertake to explain matters to Victorine, and finally I inclosed Harry's billet doux in a letter, telling the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, and sent it to him by Aunt Emily.

Our little tragedy was fast turning *into a comedy of errors, and I felt that* we should all be happy in the last act.

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"I dunno which of my ladies makes the prettiest bride," said Aunt Emily one day as she surveyed us standing

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together in our wedding dresses, "but dey ain't no conference en dey ole auntie. She steddies and steddies an can't make out what all dat onpoliteness an miserbulness was about. 'Pears like she lay awake nights steddyin."

"It was all northern foolishness, Emily," said Victorine.

"And southern obstinacy," I added.

"Waal, de Lor bress yo' anyway," our faithful handmaiden responded. "G'long, now, an get married. Dey is come for yo'."

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 57, 6 00, 7 16, 8, 8 35, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 05, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30 6 45, 6 16, 6 55, 7, 7 30, 8, 9 00, 9 35, 10, 11 30 P. M. 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 16, 8 35, 9 00, A. M., 12 M., 1 15 4, 5 30, 7, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A. M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.
Leave Plainfield 6 36, 6 58, 7 30, 7 55, 8 19, 9 00, 9 23, 9 53, 10 04, 10 27, 11 34, A. M., 12 06, 1 14, 2 07, 2 53, 3 12, 4 02, 4 25, 5 04, 5 42, 6 04, 7 06, 8 03, 9 32, 10 17, 11 30 P. M. Sunday—4 30, 7 16, 8 35, 9 00, A. M., 12 53, 1 42, 3 30, 5 30, 7 05, 8 30, 8 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 12, 7 45, 8 3 9, 9 00, 10 07, 11 36 A. M., 1 15, 1 36, 2 27 Saturday only, 3 04, 3 36, 4 05, 4 36, 5 05, 5 36, 6 30, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 30, 11 36, A. M., 1 10, 2 38, 4 10, 5 40, 7 20, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.
Leave Plainfield 6 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 43 2 09 3 23, 5 45, 6 36, 8 05, 9 14, 9 54, 10 44, 11 30 P.M. Sundays—8 45, 9 45, 11 30 A.M., 12 06, 1 14, 2 07, 3 23, 5 45, 6 36, 8 05, 9 14, 9 54, 10 44, 11 30 P.M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 30, 7 35, 7 55, 8 40, 9 20, 9 05, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 45, 3 06, 3 35, 4 25, 5 28, 6 35, 8 28, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 4 26, 11 00 A. M., 12 08, 1 18, 5 05, 8 03, 9 08, 8 08, 9 45 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON
Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A.M., 12 43, 2 09, 6 05, 8 18, 6 07, 8 35 p.m. Sunday—5 45, 9 28 A. M. 2 04, 6 05, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 53, A.M., 12 32, 4 04, 7 28 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.
Leave Plainfield 9 54, a m 5 05, 5 14 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.
5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

8 51 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazleton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 45 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 09 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Bangor Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

6 14 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua. Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

8 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

8 17 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 20 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin Williamsport, &c., 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, High Bridge Branch, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 8 27 a. m. 1 14 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.
Leave Plainfield 8 27, 9, 11 24, a. m., 1 14, 4 01, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 9 03, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 27, 9 03, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, 4 50, 5.54, 7.08 p. m. Sunday—8 27, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 27, 9, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, p. m.

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For Trenton 5 43, 8 44, 9 48*, 10 45, a. m., 12 45, 2 09*, 5 54*, 6 38*, 8 17*, p. m., 1 17 night. Sunday—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 09*, 8 17 p. m., 1 17 night.

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Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 4 50, 8 07, 10 25, a.m. 12 12*, 2 10, 4 12*, 5 54, 9 15, p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 10 27 a. m. 12 12*, 4 32 8 49*, 9 15 p. m.

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PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 5.—In many of the churches of the various denominations yesterday the death of George W. Childs was feelingly referred to by the officiating clergymen and his passing away was pronounced a public loss and bereavement.

The arrangements for the funeral of Mr. Childs have not been entirely completed yet, but it has been decided that it shall be held at 1 o'clock to-morrow afternoon from St. James Protestant Episcopal church of which Mr. Childs was a vestryman for many years. Who will be asked to be pallbearers is still undecided as it is difficult to make a choice for the sad honor among Mr. Childs' hosts of friends in this and other cities. Even the question of the place of interment is still a matter of doubt. Mr. Childs had a lot in Laurel Hill cemetery, but to many of his intimate friends it seems appropriate that he should be laid to rest in the same mausoleum in Woodlands cemetery that contains the dust of his friend and companion of life, the late A. J. Drexel. Whichever is decided upon, however, the interment will be private.

The employes of every department of the Public Ledger met in the composing room of the paper yesterday afternoon to take appropriate action on Mr. Childs' death. The meeting was called to order by L. Clarke Davis, managing editor of the paper, who moved that Col. M. Richards Muckle, cashier of the Ledger, preside. Col. Muckle took the chair and after a few feeling and touching words in reference to the object of the meeting, called upon Mr. Davis to address his fellow employes. Mr. Davis spoke eloquently of Mr. Childs' many beautiful traits of character and his sympathetic and kindly relations with his employes.

Speeches in the same vein were made by Wm. V. McKean, the aged retired editor of the Ledger; Mrs. C. F. Hallowell, editor of the woman's department; Dr. Wm. Wilt, for the local staff; Henry S. Stiles, assistant cashier; John W. Keating, for the compositors, and Joel Cook, business manager of the paper. Addison B. Burk, chief editorial writer, presented resolutions that were unanimously adopted expressing the sense of loss felt by the employes of the Ledger in Mr. Childs' death. It was also directed that the Ledger employes attend the funeral in a body.

Messages of condolence are still pouring in to the family. Among those received are the following:

President Cleveland—"Our household lament the death of a true friend, and we extend to you our sincere sympathy and condolence in this hour of crushing bereavements."

Ex-President Harrison—"The death of Mr. Childs will bring sorrow to a large circle of friends and to many who never saw his kindly face, for he has blessed many such. You have my warmest sympathy in this sorrow, the depth of which you only know."

Mrs. U. S. Grant—"Your bereavement is indeed mine, for my last old friend is gone. I, with my family, here, unite in sorrowful sympathy with you."

Gov. Pattison of Pennsylvania—"I have received with such sorrow the sad news of the death of Mr. Childs. His whole purpose in life was given to doing good to mankind. Accept by heartfelt sympathy."

Cornelius Vanderbilt—"I beg to express my deepest sympathy in your great affliction."

"The Model Employer of America."

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—At the regular monthly meeting of the press club, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the New York press club learns of the death of its honorary member, George W. Childs, the distinguished editor and great philanthropist, with feelings of the keenest regret. The death of Mr. Childs is a personal loss to every member of the newspaper profession and a matter of sorrow even to those who had not the privilege of his personal friendship and were not the objects of his benefactions. He was the model employer of America; the wise philanthropist whose unostentatious charities outnumbered those of which the world heard, as a thousand to one, and whose deeds of kindness carried a double blessing, as he made those who received bounties from his hands feel as if they were doing him a personal favor. It is meet that the press club should do honor to such a man who has so honored American journalism throughout the world, and who has repeatedly shown in the most substantial manner his regard for this organization.

Big Six Takes Action.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—At a meeting of Typographical Union No. 6 it was decided to send its president, James J. Murphy, together with four of its vice-presidents, to represent that body at the funeral of George W. Childs. Tributes were paid to the memory of the deceased during the meeting by R. N. Campbell Shryock, Samuel Donnelly, Owen J. Kindelon and President Murphy. A motion to hold in the near future a memorial service in honor of Mr. Childs was unanimously adopted. President Murphy was given power to appoint a committee to prepare a series of resolutions in honor of the dead journalist, which will be engrossed and presented to Mr. Childs' family.

Resolutions By Union No. 101.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—At a special meeting of Columbia Typographical union No. 101, yesterday afternoon, a set of resolutions on the death of George W. Childs were adopted, and Vice President Thomas M. Lawler and Secretary-Treasurer F. E. Padgett were appointed a committee to attend the funeral at Philadelphia.

Trenton's Union Take Action.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 5.—At a regular meeting of Trenton's Typographical union No. 71, resolutions deploring the death of George W. Childs, and extending the sympathy of the members of the union to his family were passed.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

THE INVITATION FAVORED.

Atlanta's Offer to the G. A. R. May Be Accepted.

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 5.—The Constitution publishes letters from many prominent editors of leading papers, republican and democrat's, in the north and west, most heartily approving the invitation which has been extended by the city of Atlanta to the Grand Army of the Republic to hold its annual reunion in 1895 in this city. The expressions are unanimously in favor of the idea, and all comment on the fitness of holding a reunion of the Grand Army at the great center of the battlefield of the south before the ranks of the Grand Army become thinned by age and death.

Hearty letters of endorsement of the suggestion have been received from Murat Halstead, of the Brooklyn Standard Union; Frank Hatton, of the Washington Post; Col. Cowardin, of the Richmond Despatch, and many others.

The communications are all enthusiastic and show the unanimity with which the idea has been adopted by the men who represent Grand Army sentiment on the question. Mr. Halstead, in speaking of the invitation, says: "I fancy the invitation will be accepted as heartily as it is given. It is a fortunate and splendid idea. The interest in such an encampment would be unparalleled. So far as I have been able to consult the veterans they feel greatly attracted by Atlanta's invitation. If you do not want 200,000 of them down there again you had better not continue to urge them to come."

Mr. Hatton, of the Post, says: "It would be an innovation upon past precedents, but there is no reason why the innovation should not be made. It is the Grand Army of the Republic, is it not? Then why should they confine their encampment to any particular geographical section? A second invasion of the south in the name of peace and brotherhood would be an event in Grand Army annals worthy of immortal commemoration and honor."

Tomb of Pius IX.

ROME, Feb. 5.—The commission which has labored so zealously to erect a suitable monument to Pope Pius IX. in the church of S. Lorenzo, outside the walls, intends to complete the work by the month of May in the the present year. The mosaicists are coming from Venice to execute the last parts of the great work. These are the placing of some large mosaic pictures in their allotted spaces and the insertion of the arms of the various dioceses and private donors who have contributed most generously to the work. All these pieces have been already wrought at Venice. Great praise is due to the commission for the economic management of the work. Broadly speaking the expenses are about a million and a half of francs, a small sum if we consider the wealth of mosaic and marble of different kinds which make up the magnificent chapel. Altars are to be erected in the arched recesses on either side of the tomb, these being remains of the ancient catacombs of St. Cyriacs, and having curious fragments of mediæval painting within.

Middle-Weight Championship!

BOSTON, Feb. 5.—An important piece of sporting news relating to the middle-weight championship of America has just come to light. It appears that when Dick Moore issued his challenge to fight any middle-weight in America it opened up negotiations with Col. John D. Hopkins on behalf of Dan Creedon, who was then with Jim Corbett in Florida. These negotiations ended in a match being made a week ago between Moore and Creedon. It was decided to keep the matter quiet until a place of meeting was found. This has now been done and the men will meet in Boston, it is said, inside of three weeks. A well-known Boston sporting man went to New York to meet Col. Hopkins and to settle all the details. The meeting between this pair of middle-weights will settle the question as to which of them shall be considered the American champion in his class.

Helen Gould's Home for Children.

KINGSTON, N. Y., Feb. 5.—Miss Helen Gould has purchased what is known as the Liberty Preston house and lot, at Roxbury, Delaware county, adjoining the Gould Memorial church, for $4,500. She has deeded a strip of the lot twenty feet wide to the reformed society. It is said that Miss Gould will use the house as a home for poor and friendless children of New York city. The exterior work on the memorial church is practically finished, and the work of completing the interior will be pushed so that the dedication can be held in the early summer.

Mysterious Loss of a Warship.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Feb. 5.—Three weeks ago a vessel that had been purchased in the United States to be used as a warship by Gen. Manigat in his proposed attempt to overthrow President Hyppolite, of Hayti, sailed from an American port. Since that time she has not been heard of, and it is believed that she has been lost at sea, probably with all on board of her. Gen. Manigat, who was prevented a few days ago from sailing from this port to meet his newly acquired warship, remains in Kingston.

Made a Baronet.

LONDON, Feb. 5.—Edward Burne-Jones, associate of the Royal academy, has been made a baronet. The same honor was declined by George Frederick Watts, Royal academy.

Crispi Wants More Power.

ROME, Feb. 5.—It is considered certain that immediately after the meeting of the chamber on Feb. 20 Premier Crispi will demand from the deputies plenary power.

Split in British Cabinet.

LONDON, Feb. 5.—Tory papers publish a rumor that there is a split in the cabinet on the question of the continuance of the British protectorate over Uganda.

KING REX ARRIVES TO-DAY.

Many Visitors at New Orleans to Participate in the Mardi-Gras.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 5.—With the day of the carnival festivities at hand the influx of distinguished visitors continues. Richard Croker, the Tammany chieftain, got in yesterday with his family. Mayor Daugherty, of Dubuque, Ia., came down with the Governor's Grays of that city. Gov. Flower, of New York, got in last night. At 10 o'clock last night a reception was held at Washington Artillery hall. A large delegation of the Old Guard of New York are here. The Boston Lancers, 120 strong, arrived yesterday in command of Col. H. D. Andrews. The Continental Guards, in command of Captain Charles W. Brown, were on hand to receive the Boston military. After an exchange of greetings, the Continentals escorted the visitors to the steamer Jesse K. Bell, which was lying at the wharf in front of the depot. A sumptuous breakfast was served on board the Bell. It was 10:30 o'clock before she cast off her moorings and about twenty minutes later the boat was making a landing at the head of canal street. The Louisiana Field artillery, headed by Captain Beauham, were on hand and two detachments fired a salute. The Governor's Grays, of Dubuque, were met by company D, of the Fifth battalion and the Crescent rifles. At the depot there were fully a thousand people assembled to witness the visiting soldiers. They were received with great cheers, and accompanied by the local soldiers as an escort of honor, marched to the military club on Canal street, which will be their headquarters while here. The festivities to-day will be inaugurated by the arrival of King Rex, the Boston Lancers acting as the body guard of his majesty.

To-night the Krewe of Proteus will appear and on Mardi-gras the Rex pageant will appear followed at night by the classic order of Comus.

PRINT CLOTH TRADE.

Decided Improvement Reported at Fall River.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Feb. 5.—The print cloth market here is in a very favorable condition and there are good prospects that most mills will continue running until April. The sales last week were 50,000 pieces, and the excess production of stock on hand was reduced to 50,000 pieces. The large purchasers were printing companies that had not appeared in the market for some months. This fact gives the manufacturers much encouragement, and a belief that there is to be a steady demand for their product, although not on a very profitable basis.

These sales do not effect the fine goods mills directly. They are still running on short time, as are the mills in Taunton and New Bedford. During last week the spinners employed in the fine goods mills were making collections among the operatives of other mills for the purpose of raising a fund sufficent to send a delegation to Washington to protest against the enactment of the Wilson bill as passed by the house of representatives.

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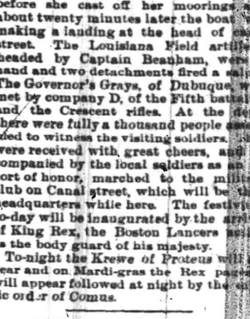

James A. Garfield.

"If the power to do hard work is not talent, it is the best substitute for it." If you are not talented, don't fret, you can obtain power by eating

H-O Hornby's Oatmeal

It is easily assimilated and delicious in flavor. I heartily recommend its use to athletes.
GEO. GOLDIE,
Director Athletics,
New York Athletic Club.

THE H-O COMPANY, NEW YORK.

HIS HEAD CUT OFF

Anarchist Vaillant Guillotined This Morning.

His Courage Stuck to Him to the End—"Death to the Bourgeoisie" and "Long Live Anarchy," His Last Words, Shouted as He Was Being Pushed Under the Knife.

PARIS, Feb. 5.—Auguste Vaillant, the anarchist who threw the bomb in the chamber of deputies on December 9 last, was guillotined at 7:10 o'clock this morning.

Persons living near the Prison de la Roquette watched eagerly yesterday afternoon for signs of the approaching execution of the anarchist. At 5 o'clock Labori, the lawyer who defended Vaillant, visited the condemned man in his cell. He left soon, but returned at seven. The persons on watch near the prison interpreted these visits as meaning the execution would take place in the morning.

About 2 o'clock a mounted messenger from the ministry of justice delivered a sealed packet to Chief Warden Brun, of the prison.

Just after midnight a messenger from the prefecture of police entered the Figaro office and told the group of newspaper men chatting there that the execution would take place at daybreak.

When the reporters started for the prison the sky was black and a fine rain was falling. The boulevards were almost empty at 1 o'clock, as many of the masqueraders had gone home, but the knots of outcasts loitering in the streets soon learned of the preparations being made and hurried to the prison.

At 1:45 o'clock 500 policemen entered the Place de la Roquette by two routes. They placed the barriers to keep back the expected mob. Several hundred persons had gathered, most of them from the lowest quarters of the city. A man of haggard features left the crowd, stepped to the spot where guillotine was to be erected, and, after shaking his tattered sleeves at the crowd, shouted, as he covered his head, "I am more unlucky than he! Pity me!"

Groups of men and women came to the square with increasing frequency. At 2:40 o'clock two battalions of the Republican guards, on foot, preceded by a drum corps, marched up the Rue de la Roquette to the prison. They were followed by a company of mounted guards and were afterward by another battalion of infantry. All took position in the square.

Republican guards continued to march into the square until more than 1,000 of them had been disposed between and around the two prisons.

At 3:45 the crown outside the prison was not large as many had gone away when they saw the guards stationed and to wait until April. The sales last week were 50,000 pieces, and the excess production of stock on hand was reduced to 50,000 pieces. The large purchasers were printing companies that had not appeared in the market for some months. This fact gives the manufacturers much encouragement, and a belief that there is to be a steady demand for their product, although not on a very profitable basis.

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Got None of Kittson's Money.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 5.—In the district court, the suit for half of an alleged dower interest of Mrs. Crevier, in the estate of over $3,000,000 left by Commodore Kittson, was dismissed for lack of proof. Mrs. Crevier based her suit on the claim that she, was Mr. Kittson's first wife. The priest who married her to Mr. Crevier testified against her claim, as also did her brother and son. The latter's testimony showed that Mrs. Crevier had never claimed to have been married to Mr. Kittson.

Sons of Soldiers Given.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5. — The president has appointed Gwynn H. Hancock and George B. Dandy, jr., as cadets at large to the United States military academy. Mr. Hancock is the son of the late Russell Hancock of Mississippi, and a grandson of General Winfield S. Hancock. Mr. Dandy is from Omaha, and is the son of General George E. Dandy, deputy quartermaster general of the army. These appointments exhaust the quota of cadets at large.

Brazil Rebels Capture a Ship.

BUENOS AYRES, Feb. 5.—A despatch from Brazil confirms the report that the insurgents have captured the government transport Itaipu. She was fired on by the insurgent warship Republica to haul down her flag. Admiral Gonclaves, who was abroad the Itaipu, was made a prisoner.

Insurrection in Chili.

BUENOS AYRES, Feb. 5.—A dispatch from Santiago, Chili, says that a number of Chilians who served as officers under the late President Balmaceda, made an attack the other day on the artillery quarters in Santiago. The attack was repelled and five of the assailants were killed. Many arrests were made.

THE DAILY PRESS.

A. L. FORCE, - - Publisher and Proprietor.
WALTER IRVING CLARKE, - - Managing Editor.

CIRCULATION EXCEEDS THAT OF ALL OTHER PLAINFIELD DAILIES COMBINED.

Lorraine is getting ahead. She now has a well organized fire department.

Who said Faint heart never won fair lady? George Faint of Elizabeth has eloped with his pretty niece.

Since State Senator Foster M. Voorhees drank that Westfield water toast he has been laid up with squinancy.

In referring to its unconscious error of calling Samuel St. John McCutchen Mayor of North Plainfield, the Westfield Standard says it probably spoke prophetically. He'd make a good one.

It is a significant sign of the times that the woolen mills at Somerville, in this State, have been running on full time throughout the recent crisis and some time ago declared a dividend of 17 per cent. The company has also just given out a contract for an eighty-foot addition to the mills.

A revival of religion is a good thing for a town, even from the most material standpoint. It means not only spiritual profit but a renewal of interest in whatever one's hand finds to do. A revival of religion means a revival of activity in every walk of life, a revival of trade as well as of truth. It benefits even the worldly minded. Plainfield has entered on a revival season which is daily growing in volume and power.

The Wilson Bill passed the House of Representatives by a vote of 204 to 140. Now the bill will go to the Senate and should be promptly considered and passed in order that the business interests of the country will understand to what conditions they must adjust themselves. It is claimed that the revenue under this bill would prove sufficient for the fiscal year 1895, and its passage will doubtless secure to the Democratic party the honor of putting an end to hard times.

Oh, for Uniformity!

(From The Elizabeth Journal.)

The fact that when Lillian Russell, the divorced wife of two or three different husbands, could not legally marry the fourth husband in New York State, she came over into New Jersey and was legally married, ought to convey the impression that there is something materially wrong with the marriage laws of one State or both. The further fact that plenty of Pennsylvania people, divorced, under age or in some other way forbidden to marry in that State, can come to New Jersey and marry without hindrance, compels the suggestion that there is something wrong with the New Jersey marriage laws. The Philadelphia ledger is of the same opinion, for it says: "New Jersey, in the interest of morality, should pass a marriage license law of some kind. One-fourth of the marriages in that State take place in Camden, the number being increased by Pennsylvanians who are seeking to evade the license law of their own State, very often because they are under age, or already married, or are getting married without the consent of their parents. A license law is no hardship upon honest people, and New Jersey could promote the cause of morality by putting check upon an abuse of authority in performing the marriage ceremony in all parts of that State." New Jersey has many sins of her own to answer for, chiefly political at the present time; but it should not be made a resort of those who cannot lawfully marry in other States, any more than it should be made the stamping ground of gamblers from beyond our borders.

Postmaster Stover.

(From The Summit Record.)

It is generally understood that Congressman Dunn has determined that Rowland M. Stover is to be the next postmaster of Plainfield.

There is probably no better selection possible for the office in question, and no candidate is likely to have a heartier indorsement on the part of his political colleagues.

Citizens of Union County remember with pleasure the magnificent campaign made two years ago by Mr. Stover, under the most adverse circumstances, and the general regret then felt over his defeat for the office of Surrogate finds expression now in the popular approval of his candidacy for the postmastership of his home city.

Nice Judgment and Good Sense.

(From The Westfield Standard.)

Our busy neighbor the Plainfield Press spared a full column for an account of the Westfield banquet, publishing most of Rev. Mr. Cadwell's historical sketch. The Press has a nice judgment as to the value of tradition, and has served posterity by this sensible use of space.

Please Answer by Next Mail.

(From The Washington Star.)

Daisy, Daisy, where is that answer true?
We're half-crazy, hearing those songs of you;
We've waited for months and hollered,
In your bicycle wake we've followed;
You sent it, we fear,
Like a foolish dear,
By a messenger boy in blue.

First Presbyterian Organist.

(From The New Brunswick Home News.)

William H. Clark, whose home was broken up by the death of his wife in Plainfield, has taken up his home with H. S. Boice, on George street. Mr. Clark is still an organist in Plainfield.

Same Here.

(From The Westfield Standard.)

Some fool boys of Westfield are playing a game of blind man's buff with Death by jumping on coal trains again.

An Ambitious Youth.

(From The Dunellen Call.)

One of our local writers is preparing an article for The Call on "Dunellen's Society".

Citizens Organized Aid Association—Householders Tickets.

We desire to remind the householders of Plainfield of the tickets issued by the Citizens Organized Aid Association and now procurable at the office of the association, corner of Park and North avenues. One of these tickets may be given to any person applying for relief at the door or on the street, and on presentation at the office, signed by the donor, the applicant's case will be promptly investigated and a proper disposition made of it. If the donor desires to give the relief, he will receive from the agent at the office the result of the investigation. 24-2w

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—A sociable is to be given by the Thorn Social Clique this evening.

—Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. and A. M., will meet this evening.

—The Victor Wheelmen will give a reception in T. A. B. Hall Feb. 22.

—Plainfield Lodge, No. 44, I. O. O. F., will hold a meeting this evening.

—W. L. Decker of Plainfield has been granted a patent for a velocipede.

—The Camera Club will show a number of slides made by the Orange Club, Feb. 12.

—I. D. and John TenEyck are clearing a ten-acre tract of woodland in Westfield.

—A force of workmen is clearing the snow from Tier's pond, preparatory to cutting ice.

—That great 19-cent sale is continued all this week at Fulper's. Just look at the bargains.

—A popular clerk in a Plainfield dry-goods was the lucky finder of a dollar bill Saturday.

—Hallbek the Hatter now shows the Spring styles, and every young gallant with happiness smiles.

—Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I.O.O. F., will provide a "smoker" for their members and friends this evening.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Church of Christ now numbers 41. It was but recently organized.

—Will Waters of Somerset street, who has been working for Whiting & Co., New York, was laid off Saturday on account of hard times.

—Thirteen received the right hand of fellowship by Dr. Yerkes in the First Baptist Church yesterday morning, at the Communion service.

—Assistant Baggagemaster Jacob Wagner of the Central Railroad was laid off to reduce expenses Saturday night, after many years of service.

—The Past Sachems and one Representative of Miantonomoh tribe will attend the three-day council in Trenton beginning February 22.

—The horse of Hackman Dan Hibbits fell on North avenue yesterday afternoon and broke the shafts and wheel and kicked the dashboard down.

—The annual encampment of the Grand Army of this State will be held in Trenton Thursday and Friday. Several members from this city will attend.

—Mr. Stanley will give an illustrated lecture on Japan, this evening, in Hope Chapel, under the auspices of the Missionary Committee of the Christian Endeavor society.

—Next Wednesday evening, a dance will be given in Friendship Hall, New Market. It is being arranged by a committee of young men, of which Charles Day is chairman.

—The hackmen will petition the Common Council this evening to permit them to solicit customers in the gutter at the North Avenue station and not thirty feet away as at present.

—Daniel Van Winkle, of Central avenue, cut his left hand with a pocket-knife, Saturday, which has caused him considerable pain. Dr. D. C. Adams is looking after the injured hand.

—A horse ran away with a two-seated phæton on Watchung avenue Saturday night, and was stopped at the corner of Front and Richmond streets after the wagon had been badly damaged.

—The monthly musical given by A. G. Carpenter, assisted by his pupils, Saturday evening, was a pleasing affair. All acquitted themselves with credit. The vocal solo by Fred Pope was especially enjoyed.

—While one of the clerks in the employ of Vincent L. Frazee, the grocer, was driving along Seventh street this morning, the horse slipped on some ice and fell, causing an ugly wound on one of his forelegs.

—Edsall says he is now selling, at his great clearance sale, better goods and at a less price than he has ever sold since he has been in business, and that buyers will find a great saving in buying now at this sale.

—William J. Wennas and son, of 27 Vine street, are in charge of the iron work in the new structure of the Manhattan Life Insurance Co., on Broadway, New York, which will be the largest office building in the world.

—The lecture on Japan in Hope Chapel this evening promises to be very entertaining. Plainfield knows how well Rev Mr. Stanley can tell the story of what he has seen, and Mr. Cook, who enlivens the lecture with large stereopticon views, knows his business well. There will be nearly one hundred large views. The admission is only 10 cents.

—The sixth annual masquerade ball of the Gesang and Turn Verein will be held this evening in their hall on Somerset street. The grand march will be at 9, and the music will be furnished by Guttman. The Gesang and Turn Verein are noted for their delightful entertainments and dances, and the committee in charge will do their best to make this surpass all previous efforts.

—H. S. Barnes of Rahway will address the Christian Endeavor society of the First Church of Christ, Thursday evening, Feb. 8. A pleasant time is expected, as Mr. Barnes is deeply interested in the Christian Endeavor work. This society was organized Jan. 4, with 12 active members, and has already increased to 40. A cordial invitation is extended by the society to the public to visit them.

—Justice Nodyne has issued a summons in the case of Dr. Comegys Paul against William Mumford for services. The case of Smith against VanNess has been adjourned till next Saturday morning.

How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. a bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Thomas J. Waldron, of Emily street, is ill with throat trouble.

The mother of Rev. Dr. Richards was much improved today.

Will Woodland, of the borough, is confined to his house by illness.

Miss Maggie Ramsey of Lebanon, is visiting Miss Susie Bose of West Front street.

Miss Edith Tunison, of Elmwood place, who has been very ill for some time, is no better.

City Clerk Maloney of Dunkirk, N. Y., has returned from a visit with F. A. Dunham.

Mr. and Mrs. George Van Ness, of Jersey City, spent Sunday with relatives on Elmwood place.

A few friends will be entertained by Miss Fanny Rafferty at her home on Park avenue this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Putnam, and Frank Putnam, Jr., spent Sunday in Scotch Plains with friends.

Miss M. Elizabeth Eick, of 301 East Third street, has recovered from a severe attack of neuralgia.

The regular meeting of the McAll Auxiliary will be held in the Library tomorrow morning at 11.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. F. Randolph of New York are the guests of Judson Bonnell of East Front street.

Frank Probasco, who is now in the employ of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, spent Sunday with his parents.

Herbert W. Stover, of East Ninth street, moved his family to Fourteenth street, New York, Saturday.

Miss Catherine K line, of Craig place, is very low with pneumonia. Her advanced age makes her recovery uncertain.

Miss Frances E. Wilson, of Jamaica, L. I., spent Saturday and Sunday with her friend, Miss Force, of Duer street.

Frank Putnam, Jr, was 10 months old last Saturday, and in honor of the event he received a very handsome diamond ring.

Miss Miller and Miss Barnes, of Brooklyn, have returned home after a pleasant visit with the Misses Hockridge, East Fifth street.

Miss Young of Three Bridges, formerly operator at the Plainfield office of the Postal Telegraph Company, is visiting friends here.

Miss Phœbe Mills filled the position of soprano in the choir of Trinity Reformed Church yesterday morning and evening, to the delight of all.

Miss Annie J. Bronson contributes a valuable article on "First Principles of Voice-Production" to the January number of Werner's Magazine.

Miss Sadie Grant of Buffalo is enjoying a rest of one month from Chautauqua work, and is visiting her parents, Captain and Mrs. George W. Grant.

Commencing this week Thursday afternoon, Choirmaster Cheeswright will give a series of organ recitals during Lent. After this week they will be given Wednesday afternoons of each week.

George Wharton Edwards contributes a charming series of tales with his own matchless illustrations, to the Century, under the quaint title "P'Tit Matinac'." The first is "The Arrival of the Mail".

W. L. Titsworth and family will move, April 1, from East Fifth street to the house at Watchung avenue and Sixth street, owned by J. B. Dumont and now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Haven.

T. E. Hazell, Nelson Runyon, William N. Runyon, A. J. Moore, Nelson Y. Hull, Ezra Loomis, L. A. Hummer and Charles Hummer constituted the excellent quartette at the Y. M. C. A. men's meeting yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Saums and their young son, Edgar, of Somerville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hodge, of Somerset street. Mr. Saums is a valued employe of the First National Bank of Somerville.

Mrs. Pittinger, formerly Miss Claud Waters of Duer street, died in Philadelphia, after a two-weeks illness. She was buried last week at her home in Hopewell. She will be remembered by many in this city.

Mrs. Carmon Parse will go to Knoxville, Tenn., Wednesday evening, to visit her brother, John Honeyman, and his family. She goes by the popular Central Railroad and Shenandoah Valley Route, and will probably remain there the remainder of the winter.

Lawrence C. Collins, Jr., died Saturday, in his twenty-second year. The funeral will take place from the home of his father, tomorrow morning at 9, and from St. Mary's Church at 10. Lawrence Collins, Sr., the father of decedent, is engineer at Scott's Press Works. This is the fifth death in the family in less than one year.

Miss Streull gave a tea in honor of her guest, Miss Brooks of New York, at her home, corner of Prospect and Hillside avenues, Saturday from 5 to 8. One hundred young people attended. The decorations were of pink roses. Miss Ginna, Miss Hutton of Baltimore, and Miss Brooks, received the guests. Mrs. Daniel F. Ginna and Mrs. Clifton Wharton, Jr., poured tea and chocolate. In the dining room were the Misses May and Margaret Tracy, Miss Kathryn Yates, and Miss Marion Dumont.

THE POSTMASTER'S LETTER.

T. H. EDMUNDSON.

DR. R. V. PIERCE: *Dear Sir*:—I had been an invalid for nineteen years and had all the doctors in our country prescribe for me, but they could not say just what ailed me. When I wrote you giving the history and symptoms, you diagnosed my case as disease of the blood and kidneys, and advised me to try your "Golden Medical Discovery" and "Pellets," and I feel confident your medicines saved my life, and I hope all sufferers from kidney and blood diseases will try your valuable medicine.

T. H. EDMUNDSON, Postmaster, — *Home, Marshall Co., Kans.*

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Grist of the City Court.

Fred Mitchell, colored, and John Hogan were fighting on West Front street Sunday morning, when Policeman Frederickson found them on the corner of New street. He caught Hogan, but Mitchell ran away.

Hogan was accused of being drunk and disorderly in the City Court this morning, and pleaded not guilty. A hearing was set down for 4 this afternoon, when Mitchell will also be tried.

—Rev. Arthur Crane, the evangelist, will conduct special services in the First Baptist Church every evening next week.

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Wednesday, Feb. 7.

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DEATHS.

COLLINS—At Scotch Plains, Feb. 3 1894, Lawrence C. Collins, Jr., aged 21 years, 5 months and 19 days.
Funeral from his father's residence Tuesday morning, Feb. 6, at 9 o'clock at house and 10 o'clock at St. Mary's Church. Friends and relatives are respectfully invited to attend.

BUTLER—Entered into rest, Feb. 3, 1894, Mrs. Emily M., wife of W. C. Butler, in her 69th year.
Funeral services from her late residence, 215 East Front street, on Tuesday, Feb 6 at 1 a. m. 2

ROSES,
Carnations and violets. F. W. MILES, Somerset st., near Johnston's drive.
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WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

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Gowns that were $1.67, now $1.49.
One lot ladies' fast black cotton hose at 19c, were 25c; one lot ladies' wool hose at 17c., were 23c; one lot ladies' black cashmere hose at 21c., 29c., 40c., were 25c., 35c., 50c; one lot men's Scotch wool gloves at 39c., were 50c; one lot men's Scotch wool gloves at 29c., were 35c.
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The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of four per cent (4) on the capital stock of this bank out of the earnings of the past six months, payable on after Tuesday, Feb. 6, 1894.
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A NOBLEMAN OF HIS RACE.

ALL PLAINFIELD STIRRED BY THE INDIAN EVANGELIST'S ELOQUENCE.

His Simple and Powerful Story of the Gospel Inaugurates a Religious Revival that Is Sweeping the Town—With a Song and a Prayer He Wins Scores of Converts at a Time.

So many people felt their way over the slippery pavements to the First Presbyterian Church last night that the roomy sanctuary could not provide seats enough. Not only pews and aisles, but platforms and vestibules, were crowded.

All thought it was to be the farewell service of Rev. F. H. Wright, Indian evangelist.

But it was n't.

It was a glorious and sanctified meeting, but the parting was postponed by unanimous rising vote, and the farewell is tonight.

Not a Patti farewell, but a genuine good-bye this time, for the inspired young Indian who for two weeks has labored so patiently and so earnestly in this church is to begin a series of meetings in Passaic in a few days, and he needs rest before starting in anew.

Mr. Wright effectually silences the old saying "The only good Indian is a dead Indian". He is not only good, but, like Longfellow's little girl, "Very, very good." And he's not only very, very good, but very, very much alive.

Alive to the religious needs of his palface brethren of today.

Alive to the yearnings of the sinsick human soul.

Alive to the service of the Master whom he worships.

You who stayed at home last night because the biting wind swept from the North and the pavement was a glare of ice, you know nothing of the fervor and delight of this Sunday evening service.

But you who forsook cozy parlor and snug fireside and comfortable novel, you who were there, you know.

There was a Texan man in the audience, curious to see a "redskin preacher". He was a man of the world. The meeting affected him powerfully.

"It was a rouser!" tersely and emphatically spoke this son of the plains.

And it was.

It roused every latent spark of manhood and womanhood. It roused troubled hearts from doubt, sinners from despair. It brought a throng of souls nearer to God.

When the great church organ sent its notes quivering out on the air, the burden of the music was plaintive and wistful, like the yearning of a heart.

When to its flute-like melody the Indian preacher added the strong, full tones of his own voice, bursting into song, there was a message in the harmony which appealed to every soul thirsting after righteousness.

For thus he sang:

Believe, oh believe, on His mercy
That flows like a fountain so free!
Believe, and accept the redemption
He offers to you and to me!

Who could help joining in hymn on hymn, after so hopeful an invitation, so blessed an assurance!

And so it was that all voices blended heartily in such grand old Gospel hymns as "All hail the power of Jesus' name" and "What a friend we have in Jesus!"

There was a season of prayer, also, when Rev. Charles E. Herring, the pastor who has so energetically led the people to and through this season of revival, lifted up his voice in supplication for blessing on the assemblage of bowed heads.

Every sentence of the evangelist was a sermon in itself.

This straight-haired, strong-limbed, conventionally clothed, clean hearted young descendant of a vanishing race spake Gospel truths fast as palefaces ear could follow. His words struck to the heart.

This was his text:

But exhort one another daily, while it is called Today; lest any of you be hardened through the deceitfulness of sin.—Hebrews iii: 13.

Simply and forcibly he impressed the truth that Today was the day of salvation. The Spirit was pleading Now. To evade it was perhaps to reject it forever.

Like the alarm clock:

The first time one uses it, it awakens him.

But if he turns over for another nap, the next morning he is still more drowsy when he rubs his eyes at the sound.

In a few days, continuing careless of its warnings, the sleeper never hears the turbulent bell at all.

Just so it was easy—just so it was fatal—to put off accepting Christ.

"I will wait till tomorrow; come Thou yet again"—saith the slothful sinner.

And he turns over once more to sleep.

And that sleep is the sleep of Death.

It is the willing heart I seek—said the preacher.

He had not time to argue with the sinner who was not seeking Christ. His precious breath must not be wasted. It had been given to him to seek and to save those whose hearts yearned for the truth.

And it was such that he warned against the deceitfulness of sin.

Sin deceived by saying "Oh, a little sin does n't count!" Sins that seemed small had great and grave results. A trifling wrongdoing was sure to culminate in a fateful series. God himself had said "The wages of Sin is Death", and though the serpent had beguiled Eve by saying "Ye shall not surely die", God's word had been fulfilled, and by that little yielding of our first mother Sin and Death had entered the world.

Sin deceived by whispering, in the words of its victims, "Oh, I think there's no hell. I think we 'll all be saved."

It was folly to think when one could know—folly to think there was no condemnation when God's Word taught there was. God had said that man should put away his thoughts, for "My thoughts are not your thoughts, nor My ways your ways".

Sin deceived through the intellect.

So-called Science led men astray, and taught again the lesson that "a little learning was a dangerous thing". Men were apt to get too "heady", to try to reason things differently from what their hearts truly believed. That was what made so many impatient when asked why they were unbelievers. They kept their heads rushing around trying to find excuses to satisfy their consciences, and when their sixteen or seventeen excuses fell flat they just got obstinate and said they did n't want to believe.

In this homely and effective way the evangelist talked for an hour, exhorting his hearers to yield to the Saviour, ere their hearts, like the cement so pliant when the wall was first builded, hardened and could not be worked.

And he sang:

Oh, receive him! His mercy is free,
Oh, receive him! He died for thee!
Oh, receive him! He died for thee!

And all the good Christians joined in the affecting hymn, "Come, Sinner, Come!" till it seemed as if the day of the Mills revival were here again.

And what with the sermon, the songs, and the prayers, many were awakened to the consciousness of a newer life, and arose and publicly accepted Jesus Christ as their personal Saviour.

And those who were already Christians arose, too, in re-consecration, to give courage to the converts and help them along to Zion.

And the great bulk of these Christians were found to have been converted before their twentieth year.

What an object lesson!—said the preacher.

It went to show that if one remembered not his Creator in the days of his youth, he was likely to undergo the hardening process and remain outside the Kingdom forever.

With a song of rejoicing the congregation dispersed, save for a band of new devotees who remained behind with the zealous evangelist, pastor and co-workers, for personal Christian counsel and consecration.

All were impressed with the force of the saying which the preacher had uttered, that in these days of trouble, in this time when everything seemed going to wrack and ruin, it was a blessed comfort to cast one's burdens on the Lord, and, trusting to His guidance, work on towards clearer light and higher things.

And all hearts were lighter, and every hope was brighter, because of what they had seen and heard.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY.—"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 50c. Sold by H. P. Reynolds, druggist, Plainfield. 12 6 3m

2,000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from C. W. Maxon, Farina, Ills., says: "I consider your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have been in the drug business fourteen years and can say this I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal satisfaction." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents.

Fragrant, Bright and Pure.

The "Ben Hur" of Lew Wallace, the poems of James Whitcomb Riley, and the "Blue Jeans" of Joseph Arthur, are achievements of three of Indiana's sons of which the Hoosier State may well be proud.

"Ben Hur" has enjoyed translation in a dozen languages.

Riley's verse is welcomed wherever English is spoken.

"Blue Jeans" has won a distinct place in the dramatic history of the country.

Fragrant as the apple blossoms, which its hero showers down upon "June", pure as the sunlight which floods the valley of Rising Sun, bright and sparkling as the river which flows along by the picturesque little town in the "Blue Jeans Deestreeck", the play offers insight into a portion of our country never before reproduced on the stage. Its dramatic value is said to be scarcely less valuable than its didactic influence. The lives, loves and politics of entirely new people to the stage are presented with all the vigor and vitality of actuality.

"Blue Jeans" is sure of a crowded house in Music Hall, Wednesday night.

Wholesome Fiction for Press Readers.

The novelettes that have been appearing each day in the columns of The Press have aroused a desire among readers for more extended fiction, and to gratify the expressed wish of fiction-lovers the publication is begun today, on Page 4, of "A Fight for Millions". This is a story of the times, and possesses all the elements of popularity. In it, love and mystery abound, with an absorbing contest in and out of the courts for a rich legacy and a fight for the possession of an adorable maiden's heart and fortune, in which the plots of a wily politician are checkmated by a wide-awake young journalist. The tale gives a perfect picture of modern municipal politics, and is calculated to interest readers both old and young, male and female.

The Riding Club to Take Charge.

Mrs. W. B. T. Lane and Mrs. Percy C. Ohl have retired from the management of the Crescent Riding Academy, and will move out by Wednesday.

The rink has been leased by the Plainfield Riding Club, of which John I. Holly is leader, and will probably be sub-let to the military corps of George F. Edwards. The club will overhaul and repair the building next summer.

Licenses Tonight.

The liquor-license applications will be reported to the Common Council tonight. The only applicants except those already licensed are William Lee, who asks for a wholesale license, Michael Watson for a hotel, and James Hanson, who desires to continue the business of the late Patrick Day.

Choral Society Postponement.

Owing to unavoidable circumstances, the rehearsal for this week has been postponed to Thursday evening, 8th inst., at Vincent Chapel. N. BUNTON, Secretary.

Opera singers and public speakers can keep their voices clear and strong with the family remedy, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

BAPTIZED A DOG OF RAINBOW HUES.

ALSO A PIG WITH A SILK HAT, AND A DONKEY WITH A HALO.

Dr. Richards of Plainfield Sees Queer Things in Mexico—Billy Goats Sprinkled with Holy Water, and Latin Read to Chanticleers.

From the pen of Rev. Dr. W. R. Richards of this city The Mail and Express published another Mexican letter, Saturday, as follows:

SAN LUIS POTOSI, MEX., Jan. 22—Last Wednesday, January 17, was the day of San Antonio, the Abbot. I am not well informed as to the history or the other saintly claims of this worthy, but his present standing in the community rests on his ability to talk with all sorts of animals—so the story goes—and to make them understand him. Accordingly his day has been set apart for a most extraordinary ceremony, "the baptism of animals", as it is commonly called.

Zacatecas is one of the cities where the rite is still scrupulously observed, and it was my fortune to find myself in that city last Wednesday. The church appointed for this solemn function is not the great cathedral in the centre of the city, nor the fine old Church of San Augustine, a few blocks away—for, to the scandal of all zealous Roman Catholics, that has now passed into the hands of the Presbyterian Mission, and Scripture texts have supplanted the saints and holy images which once adorned its interior; but there is an old church on the outskirts of the city known as the Church of Jesus, and I was directed thither to see this peculiar act of faith.

The set time was at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and as I approached the church about 4:30 I found the people already gathering. Women were carrying cages of birds, bedecked with flowers and bright colored ribbons; children with their arms full of pet cats, or rabbits, or pigeons, or chickens; every living thing tricked out with ribbons, rosettes of pink paper, tinsel, caps, feathers, or anything else that an exuberant fancy might suggest. Then came a boy with a dog, once white, but now painted all the colors of the rainbow; then another with a youthful pig, with a small imitation of the latest style of silk hat on his head. A momentary diversion was caused by an attempt on the part of the dog to eat the pig. Another lad led a donkey with a sort of gold halo on his forehead, and behind them a man led a spirited horse, the only creature that was not decked out with some sort of finery.

A few people, like ourselves, had come simply to see, but most of the crowd which began to fill the churchyard had brought some dumb companion with them. There was a strange sense of incongruity as you saw some poor woman bowing toward the high altar and crossing herself and murmuring her prayer, while the hen in her arms struggled and clucked excitedly, or her parrot gabbled a Spanish oath or two, or her dog or sheep or goat tugged at its string.

But the bell tinkles, and a lad in a surplice brings out a taper and arms himself with a vessel of holy water, while the robed priest kneels before the altar in solemn prayer. One does not know which side of his emotional nature to summon into activity for such a scene. Is this a religious service, or a menagerie, or a fancy dress ball? But the priest has risen from his knees and is walking down the narrow lane that had been left between the kneeling worshipers; over every devoted goat, or pig or pigeon or cat or canary he reads a few words of prayer from his book in Latin, and then sprinkles the creature with holy water. Their belief, as I understand, is that this blessing drives out any evil spirit that might have vexed the bird or beast.

When the last victim has been sprinkled the priest returs to the chancel and the crowd pours out of the church to make room for another similar crowd that is waiting to pour in. And so it was again and again, as long as we stayed; and when we came away, for a mile or more we were still meeting the people trudging up the hill toward the church with the same token of birds and beasts and flowers and ribbons.

It is hard to find words for the sensations caused by such a spectacle. It is ridiculous, of course: a frightened dog struggling away from his holy bath; a cock crowing in the midst of his; the polyglot jargon of the all these winged and four-footed devotees; ridiculous, and yet you hardly want to laugh.

For on the wall above your head hangs the crucifix with its visible agony, and the picture of the Virgin, her heart pierced through with many sorrows. You are shocked at the desecration of a holy place, but, at the same time, there is a pathetic side to it all; the tender regard which these ignorant worshipers show for their pets.

I knew not whether to laugh or cry. I think the people themselves labored under a similar perplexity; it seemed as if they were trying to pray with one side of their face while they grinned with the other.

The adornments of the birds and animals were elaborate and gorgeous, contrasting strangely with the rags of the human worshipers, and yet in many cases there was exhibited an element of whimsical humor—intuitional evidently; a pig or a cock in a small stovepipe hat; a dog in a lady's bonnet and dress, a cat in a night cap.

I seemed to be touching that side of the Roman Catholic religion which used to produce the mystery plays and the wild reveiries of Christmas time, and which has been petrified into the grinning devils on a Gothic cathedral.

At one incident we did allow ourselves to laugh. The donkey was not admitted to the sanctuary, and when the priest came out to sprinkle him he almost showered my athletic friend, who was busily photographing the scene.

There is room for plain preaching of the Gospel in Mexico—that is the end of the whole matter for a matter-of-fact Anglo-Saxon; there is room for some church which will give these people a purer and more enlightened faith.

PLAINFIELD ESCORTED SOUTH.

An Intellectual Audience Entertainingly Told of the Old Dominion.

The intellectual people of Plainfield certainly owe the Monday Afternoon Club a debt of gratitude for its enterprise in securing the services of Prof. John Fiske, and giving an opportunity to all to hear that noted writer, historian and lecturer.

The Monday Afternoon Club has arranged with Prof. Fiske to give three lectures in Plainfield, on three successive Saturday evenings. Last Saturday evening the first of the lectures was given, and a large audience filled the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Church to listen to Prof. Fiske speak on the subject "England's First Colony—The Old Dominion".

Prof. Fiske is a man of large stature and striking personality. Although his voice at times is inclined to become monotonous, yet so interestingly are the facts presented that the hearer loses sight of everything else and notices only what the speaker is saying.

Prof. Fiske treated the subject in his usual exhaustive style, and related many interesting facts concerning the early history of the historic State of Virginia. He told how two companies were formed in England for the purpose of making settlements along the Atlantic coast of the United States. It was by a shipload of men sent out by one of these companies that the first settlement was made in Virginia at Jamestown in 1607. In the history of this settlement the name of the noted John Smith, whose alleged adventure with the daughter of the Indian chief is not credited by some recent historians, deserves the prominent place it occupies. Prof. Fiske showed how consistent the details of this romantic episode really are with Indian customs, and said despite all that had been said to the contrary he believed that the well-known action of Pocohontas in saving Smith's life was not a myth.

In speaking of Drake and the class of explorers he represented, Prof. Fiske said that proper credit had not been given to them, and that their motives had been misjudged. They are termed corsairs and pirates. This is neither just nor true. In order to weaken the power of the Spaniards, who were endeavoring to stamp out free speech and free thought in the Netherland, by a most cruel persecution and so foist upon Europe the old medieval order of things, they were guilty of actions, which, although they seem piratical to us, were but the legitimate usages of war.

Prof. Fiske traced the early history of Virginia, telling how the cultivation of tobacco soon began to absorb all the energies of the infant colony, and to be used as a circulating medium, and how the colonists raised an unsuccessful revolt against the oppressive rule of Gov. Berkeley, under the leadership of Nathaniel Bacon.

The reasons for the formation of that aristocracy for which Virginia soon became noted, were explained. In order to raise tobacco profitably, a large amount of land was required, and many hands were needed to cultivate it. In order to supply the demand, slaves were introduced in 1619. It was but natural that the men who worked large estates and owned many slaves should gradually grow in power and influence and form themselves into that aristocracy which exerted so potent an authority over the State until the Civil War depleted its ranks and blotted out nearly all traces of that once powerful aristocracy.

Prof. Fiske left his hearers just as they were about to enter into that most interesting period of Virginian history, the Revolutionary Era.

Prof. Fiske's subject next Saturday night will be "The Lords Proprietary and Their Domain."

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. P. N. Kline of East Sixth street, has been confined to her home by illness.

Willard Case, a student of Peddie Institute, spent Sunday at his home in this city.

Miss Mary Foote of New York is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Foote, of Putnam avenue.

Twenty-five persons attended a party at the home of Miss Stella Sofield, of New Market, Saturday night.

Miss Lottie Suydam, at her home Saturday evening, gave a party to Miss Etta Tobin, which twenty-five attended.

Miss Ella Haines of Indianapolis, formerly of Netherwood, is visiting Mrs. Robert L. Burnett of Hillside avenue.

Miss Maud Chilton, of Jersey City, was a guest at the home of her fiance, L. W. Serrell, Jr., West Front street, yesterday.

Rev. Franklin G. Warnick, formerly of this city, is now publishing his Mystic Mirror in Matawan, where he is pastor of the Second Baptist Church. He editorially wishes "long reign" to his successor over the Mt. Olive flock.

Sneak Thief Foiled.

A sneak thief tried to enter a second story window of Ernest R. Ackerman's house, 318 West Seventh street, at 7 Saturday evening, by placing a ladder against the house while the family were at supper. The noise he made was heard and he departed when the family came out.

The police have found that the ladder belongs to Charles Stimpson, of 205 West Sixth street, but he loaned it out a month ago to someone he does not remember.

Persons who live in the country should keep Salvation Oil, the infallible antidote for the poisonous stings of bees and wasps.

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A NIGHT IN JAPAN.

Plainfield Christian Endeavorers Inspect Idols and Learn of the Progress Made Beyond the Sea.

The fourteenth anniversary of the great Christian Endeavor movement was observed by the Trinity Reformed Church society, last evening, in a practical manner.

Mitsuye Oi, a native of Japan, and a student of the Reformed Church at Rutgers College, New Brunswick, was invited to tell of the work of God in his own country. He was attired in his oriental costume.

President F. E. Smith sat on the pulpit platform, and read the Scriptures before the address and offered prayer at its close.

The church was well filled with an attentive gathering, many being young people. The Junior Society of the church, accompanied by their President, Mrs. E. A. Meeker, turned out in large numbers, and occupied the front seats of the church; they sang a missionary hymn before the address, Miss M. Berg accompanying them on the parlor organ.

Among the many interesting facts given by the speaker was the statement that only ten years ago he who had been taught to worship idols of wood and stone was awakened to the need of a Saviour, and after listening five months to the teaching and preaching of a missionary he saw Jesus as He is and took Him as his own, and was soon afterwards determined to give up father, mother, sisters, brothers, and a good position he had, and go to America and prepare himself to teach the Gospel to his people as soon as possible.

He spoke of the great progress of Christianity made in Japan during the last twenty years, and the rapidity with which American customs and inventions were being adopted by the Japanese.

Twenty years ago he said it took 30 days for a letter in Japan to travel a distance of 800 miles by means of carriers, who, with mail strapped over the back ran five miles an hour. Today, however, mail travels the same journey in 36 hours. He also spoke of the introduction of electricity, the telegraph, and the telephone, and the doing away of caste distinction.

His talk was especially interesting to and enjoyed by the Junior Society.

Mr. Oi displayed several idols worshiped in Japan, made in the 16th and 17th centuries. Many hearts were quickened by his earnestness, and realized the need of more of the true missionary spirit by contributions of either wealth or voice, together with our prayers, and thus endeavor to lead those that are in darkness to the light.

Many remained after his address and personally inspected the idols and conversed with Mr. Oi.

They're Famous at It.

In addition to a first-class supper, a musical programme has been arranged by the women of Trinity Reformed Church for Thursday evening, in the lecture room of the church. The supper is in the hands of a committee of women who know how to manage such an affair, and a pleasant evening of sociability and good things to eat will be the result of their efforts.

St. Andrews in Grace.

In response to a request of the rector, twelve young men of Grace Church parish met last evening in the chapel to discuss the advisability of forming a St. Andrews Brotherhood. After much discussion the meeting adjourned for one week, when definite plans for work will be reported.

I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for over ten years; had it very bad, could hardly breathe. Some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely. It is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it and with happy results in every case. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my deafness.—S. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

BY THE WAY.

—A horse owned by Joseph Manning, of South Plainfield, fell on Front street, opposite Park avenue, yesterday morning.

—A cock fight in the outskirts of Westfield Saturday night resulted in the victory of Rahway birds who won three out of five.

—At a social in the parish house of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Evona, Saturday evening, the Right Bishop Scarborough and Dr. Fage spoke. Refreshments were served and a pleasant evening passed.

—One of George A. Rockfellow's horses ran away from a West Seventh street residence with a grocery wagon and galloped down Second street shortly after 1 this afternoon. Near Park avenue the rig ran into Patrick Keeley's hack and the horse was released from the wagon the top of which was smashed. The horse went on and was caught by O. C. Holmes near Washington avenue.

Death of Mrs. Catherine Kline.

Mrs. Catherine V. Kline, widow of Jacob P. Kline, died at her home, 28 Craig place, at 1:30 this afternoon.

Mrs. Kline was nearly 81 years of age.

She leaves two sons, P. M. and Lewis A. Kline, of Plainfield, and four daughters, Mrs. Thomas Armstrong, Mrs. Willett and Mrs. A. Swalm, of Plainfield, and Mrs. Starkuff, of Middletown, N. Y.

Funeral services will be held at the house Thursday morning at 10:30.

Continuing the Revival.

The services in the First Presbyterian Church will be continued this week.

Rev. F. H. Wright will close his labors this evening.

Bible readings will be given Wednesday and Friday afternoons.

The leaders for the evening meetings will be as follows:

Tuesday—Rev. A. W. Halsey.
Wednesday—Rev. Arthur Crane.
Thursday—Rev. Charles Herald.
Friday—Rev. W. Austin Harsha.

Chorus and Symphony Orchestra.

At the entertainment given in Vincent Chapel tomorrow evening under the auspices of the Young Ladies Mission Circle, a chorus of fifty voices will sing, and the following members of the Symphony Orchestra will play: C. Mills, F. Goddard, C. Davis, P. Conde, first violins; D. McGee, cornet; F. Fearen, 'cello; S. Smith, pianist.

Whose Apron Is Whose Necktie?

A stageload of Plainfield young people will attend a calico and necktie party at the home of P. Fitzgerald, South Plainfield, tomorrow evening. E. M. O'Reilly will furnish music, and Mrs. and Miss Fitzgerald, Mrs. and Miss Tracy and Miss Gary are the committee in charge.

He's Gone Where He Can't Smoke 'Em Now.

An old house was torn down in Piscataway Friday. Between the weatherboards and plaster was found a 25 pound flour bag full of cigars. The bag bore the name of a man who had lived in the house thirty years ago.

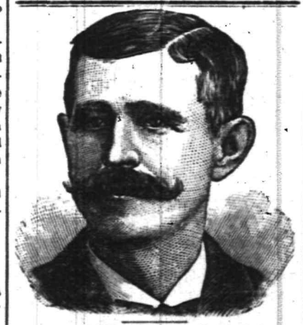
Army Anniversary.

The anniversary exercises of the Salvation Army will be held Feb. 17, 18 and 19. Major and Mrs. Evans, Ensign Wood and staff officers from the headquarters will be present. Recruits will be sworn in the last of the three evenings.

The American Catarrh Cure
Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by I. W. Randolph, 21 West Front st. Price $1.

—The case of VanLiper against Joseph Pike was not brought up in Elizabeth today.

—Veterans Day was celebrated at the post-office by the soldiers who receive pensions today.



A STRANGE CASE.

How an Enemy was Foiled.

The following graphic statement will be read with intense interest: "I cannot describe the numb, creepy sensation that existed in my arms, hands and legs. I had to rub and beat those parts until they were sore, to overcome in a measure the dead feeling that had taken possession of them. In addition, I had a strange weakness in my back and around my waist, together with an indescribable 'gone' feeling in my stomach. Physicians said it was creeping paralysis, from which, according to their universal conclusion, there is no relief. Once it fastens upon a person, they say, it continues its insidious progress until it reaches a vital point and the sufferer dies. Such was my prospect. I had been doctoring a year and a half steadily, but with no particular benefit, when I saw an advertisement of Dr Miles' Restorative Nervine, procured a bottle and began using it. Marvelous as it may seem, but a few days had passed before every bit of that creepy feeling had left me, and there has not been even the slightest indication of its return. I now feel as well as I ever did, and have gained ten pounds in weight, though I had run down from 170 to 137. Four others have used Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine on my recommendation, and it has been as satisfactory in their cases as in mine."—James Kane, La Rue, O.

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Notice to the Public

Having transferred our ice business to Mr. Curtis M. Thorpe, we respectfully request our patrons to make as early settlement as possible of outstanding accounts, and announce that we shall continue our office at 309-315 Watchung avenue for the convenience of our patrons. Still ling for our succe sor's continuance of favors, we thank the public for its patronage of the past.

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ELECTRIC CARS PASS the property. Electric lights, gas and city water will be introduced as soon in the spring as they are needed.

SCORES OF BEAUTIFUL HOUSES now fronting on Sandford and Westervelt avenues have been located on the old Crescent ball field.

JUST AS PROPERTY VALUES jumped in Sandford and Westervelt avenues, so will they also increase rapidly in Watchung Park. Those who buy now will reap the benefit of an early investment.

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For further information regarding prices and terms, large copies of the map, etc., address or call upon

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Economical Women

Understand the wisdom of cleaning and coloring. Even in good times, if the price of one dress can be made to cover two, it's certainly worth trying for.

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When we stop and think of how cheap we have been selling goods during the past month, it does seem funny, and no doubt you wonder why we do it, but when the snow turns into slush it takes either boats or bargains to bring the people out. We are out of boats at present but

Here are the Bargains:

They say White will soon tire of selling best Amoskeag and Lancaster Ginghams for 4½c., but we are still selling them at that price. Same way with Fruit, Dwight, Anchor and Lonsdale bleached muslin. You can still buy them for 7c. per yard.

Our annual sale of muslin underwear for ladies is now on. Two assortments, 25 and 50c—one-third under regular price.

Ladies' Ribbed Vests—One of the best bargains we have ever offered in ladies summer vests is on sale this week. Regular value 25c each; we will sell two for 25c. You will want them later, but now is the time to buy them.

Hosiery—10, 12, 15, 20c. is the price on four specials in children's hosiery. Every one is a bargain and well worth trying.

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A FIGHT FOR MILLIONS.

BY JOHN J. McGINNISS.

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CHAPTER I.

BEHIND CONVENT WALLS.

On the outskirts of the city of Brooklyn stands a convent of one of the Catholic sisterhoods. The building, or series of buildings, shoots upward from an eminence that gives the monastic structure a conspicuity strangely in contrast with the lives of its gentle inmates—some of whom daily visit the city to teach in the parochial schools assigned to their order; others who care for the orphan, making their lullabies—even more tender than a mother's—a soothing, prayerful song of heavenly praise and appeal in reparation for the manifold sins of humanity.

In the convent reception room, in the first year of the last decade of the present century, two lovers sit opposite the superior, Mother St. Gertrude; the three engaged in a conversation which deals with the two young people, and yet the nun takes more than a passing interest in it. She stands in the relation of a mother to the girl.

Mother St. Gertrude is a woman of medium height. She is nearing the half century mark, but the happiness enjoyed in her community has kept the furrows of time from touching the face that looks out from her hood like a Raphaelistic picture of the Madonna in sunshine, and not dolorous. The management of the large institution over which she presides, embracing branch establishments calling for much judgment and knowledge of financiering, necessarily gives her a deeper insight into the ways of the world than the average nun can ever gain.

The greatest saints in the calendar have had the most buoyant of dispositions; the deeds that earned their canonization—acts of startling miracle and surprising mortification—having been drawn from the catacombs of ecclesiasticism, where they had been preserved with the embalmment of—what? Humor, sweet and subtle; fancy, free and florid; humanity, broad and blessed, all exercised in exorcising evil by exciting joy and awakening the people into a new life that leads to the eternal; the holiest of men and women who have walked in the shadow of ascetism, disseminated in their wake the light and incentive to pleasure that kept their memories hallowed until the church placed upon them the aureole of benediction.

Of this type is Mother St. Gertrude, a pleasant woman, with a mind as susceptible to mirth as her heart is to suffering, her interest in all her friends, worldly and religious, not ignoring any feature of their lives.

"Laurence, you know your own mind, don't you?" she asked, addressing the young man. "Isabel thinks you may change, if her ancestry turns out to have been plebeian."

"Nonsense," said the young man. "The aristocrat of today was a barbarian yesterday. The old aristocrat was dethroned and the title confiscated by the savage conqueror who assumed, generally with poor grace, an air of gentility he fancied was in keeping with his stolen grandeur. 'The rank is but the guinea's stamp,' you know."

Laurence Mangan was about 26 years of age, tall, athletic, manly. He was a newspaper man whose caustic articles had made him feared as his honesty had made him respected by the politicians whom he had often thwarted in their designs upon the city and county treasuries. His bearing indicated self dependence—never vanity nor offensive pride. His features were handsome; his character chivalric. A Byronic brow, surmounted by curls that distinguish the sculpture typical of the Greek gods, rose above eyes whose sparkle—or fire, if you will—gave you no better idea of his mental strength than of his physical energy.

Isabel Le Clair, aglow with the health and beauty of 20 summers, looked at him archly, gratified with his sentiments, but apparently still mistrustful, as if something hidden in the future were yet to come between them.

"Laurence," she asked, "are you sure Mother St. Gertrude has told you all?"

"Of course," interjected the nun. "I will repeat it, because I know it will give you more satisfaction."

"You needn't," said Laurence. "Let me assure Isabel that it is herself, not her ancestry, I am in love with. Circumstances may undermine the romance I have built around her birth, but it cannot change her character. The sins of our ancestors, by commission or omission, mar not us, unless we brood upon them, and the false social spirit rejects us through fear of their ebullition in ourselves. But, I believe"— and in the enthusiasm of the moment he stepped forward, lifted Isabel from her chair, and pressing her to his bosom kissed the upturned face—"I believe with the poet Moore:

"Oh, what was love made for, if 'tis not the same
Through joy and through torment, through glory and shame?
I know not, I ask not, if guilt's in that heart,
I but know that I love thee, whatever thou art."

He lifted his eyes to Mother St. Gertrude, who had herself arisen. She had meant to chide one or the other, probably both, but as she looked at the willowy form of her fair protege, heaving with delight, a blush of maidenly fervor making Isabel more beautiful than ever, her chidings failed to find voice, and it was Laurence's words that broke the silence:

"Don't mind what I do, mother; tell your story."

"It isn't very long," resumed the sister. "Isabel evidently came of a good family. She was brought to this institution nearly 20 years ago by her father, George Leland. I was assistant superior then. Mr. Leland said he had a boy, some years older, being cared for elsewhere. We never heard from him but once after. As she grew up, Isabel, not knowing or seeing any relative, took a fancy to the name by which I was known in the world—Le Clair. It was a child's whim. I humored it, just as I have humored her in other things, but she isn't spoiled yet, is she?"

This was intended to rally the girl, who was a little disconcerted and looked from the sister to the lover as the story was being told. In her restless conspection a shrewd eye would detect that she was wondering if Mother St. Gertrude's love for her hadn't conjured before her vision a lineage which the girl could not claim. It could be seen, too, that Isabel was doubting whether Laurence would remain unchanged by the story.

"Mr. Leland said he was going west." The nun added, "Isabel was an infant. Her mother had died a few weeks before her father brought her to us. He would not trust the child, he said, to other hands. Mr. Leland left a few hundred dollars with Mother Xavier, then in charge of this institution, telling her she would hear from him frequently. We got one letter from Denver inclosing a money order. Since then not a line has reached us. I cannot understand it, for his parting from the child was most affecting."

"How long since he wrote last?" asked Laurence, his newspaper tuition involuntarily suggesting the query.

"About 18 years. His letter we have still."

"Did he talk of his plans or purpose, or give any clew that could be followed?"

"No. I take it," said the nun, "that he was not a man who cared to discuss his personal affairs with anybody. His letter was very brief."

"Did he write of Isabel?"

"No."

"Nor of her brother?"

"Not a word."

"Have you ever tried to locate him?"

"We had no way to, without going into print. That we disliked. A few years ago, however, when we felt it was time to make known to Isabel everything, we freely gave her permission to use whatever means she herself would choose, after counsel with us, to get information of her father. Our resources were offered to her. She proposes, or did propose before she and you became such good friends"—and the nun smiled as the two blushed—"that she would go out to the convent of our order in Denver and from that point make her inquiries."

"What do you think of the plan?" queried Isabel, addressing Mangan.

"Not a bad one. But one used to the tranquillity of a convent is hardly qualified to put it into execution."

"That's a reflection on my sex," replied Isabel impetuously. "Have you forgotten history? From the days of Deborah and Judith down to the present, whenever great deeds demand accomplishment, the women of peaceful hours and restful habits have been called upon to bear the brunt of battle, not the men and women reared in a biting atmosphere and inured to hardship. My sex would not be against me, nor would my training be."

"Ask her, Laurence, if she will go to Denver now," jokingly suggested the sister, "since she has been so severe upon you."

"Not unless I go with her," answered Mangan. "I'm lucky that she didn't go there before I fell in—in"——

"In love with her," suggested Mother St. Gertrude, ere he recovered from his hesitancy.

"Well that, if you please to have it so. But I was thinking of other words."

"That would mean the same?"

"Go ahead, mother; don't spare me. You are teasing Isabel as well as me."

Isabel didn't appear as indifferent as Laurence to the raillery of the mother superior. Each sally heightened the carmine of her cheeks and added to her embarrassment. For want of aught else to say or do, she again turned to her lover:

"What would you do under the circumstances?"

"I know what I'm glad you didn't do."

"And that is?"

"That you didn't go to Denver."

"Why?" interrogated Mother St. Gertrude.

"Because she might have been disappointed and in despair drift into another mood—one that might ultimately have enveloped her with the veil of the sisterhood. Sometimes, sister, I'm afraid that you'll yet steal her from me."

"There are reasons why you should have no fear," said Mother St. Gertrude, smiling. "First, our order is unusually strict in regard to its postulants. Now, the acceptance of Isabel could turn out to be a great sorrow to us and a disappointment to her. A few years hence her father may return from the west with one of those immense fortunes people make there almost in a day, by some accidental stroke. He would come here and find his daughter a nun. Yearning for affection from his child, he would rush into print, and what a story you newspaper men would weave around these incidents! Yes, you would actually say that we had coerced Isabel into taking the vows and veil of our community, and that we had conspired to get control of her wealth, if it came to pass that such would be hers by inheritance."

"It may not be right for me to say it, mother," said Laurence in a half humorous way. "But I would help him to get her out from behind these walls, if I knew, as I now do, how lovely she was."

"Stop, Laurence," pleaded Isabel.

"I don't mind him, child," said Mother St. Gertrude. "Laurence has been a friend to this institution. He has been the one newspaper man who has pictured the work of our convent, asylum and schools in words that have inspired public generosity to our aid and made possible legislation relieving us of many little burdens, giving us greater opportunities to make our income fruitful of good. I ought to put up with something from him."

"You forget, mother," said Isabel, "to say how kind you have been to me. I have staid here"—turning to Laurence—"because I wanted to pay as teacher some of the debt I owe for the education and support I have had. Then, again, you know my ambition to find out something about my parentage, fearful sometimes that it may not be all I desire."

"An angel so fair need not worry about that."

"I wanted to tell something else, Mother St. Gertrude," she resumed, turning to the sister, "I would like not to enter another state—you know what

She rested her head upon his shoulder.

I refer to—until I was certain that there was nothing—nothing"— and she was searching for a phrase that would hint more than state her idea—"nothing that would impair bonds imposed at the altar."

"You want to say that you will not marry until you have learned more about your parents," interposed Mangan.

"Yes."

"Now that is a little unreasonable, isn't it, sister?" appealing to Mother St. Gertrude.

"You two must settle that."

"Yes, but what do you think about it?"

"That you two had better do the thinking. I'm partial to Isabel and yet am friendly enough to you to advise you for your own sake not to turn to a judge who is prejudiced."

"I am unalterable in this resolution," Isabel maintained.

"Why didn't you tell me this long ago?" said Laurence. "It is over two years since the commencement exercises where I first met you, later to win your love."

She looked up imploringly, her features requesting him to stop, though her tongue gave not utterance to the thought that played upon her countenance.

"I'm afraid I won her for you," said Mother St. Gertrude. "In recognizing that she was not always to bloom behind convent walls, and urging her to accept the social invitations extended to her by the parents of her old classmates and pupils, I gave you your opportunity. I was going to ask how you succeeded, but I knew it would be your same old answer that 'a newspaper man can generally be trusted to win.' But this is your first and last lovemaking here, isn't it, now?" and she lifted her right hand, the forefinger extended warningly.

"You have come to me as to Isabel's guardian," she pursued. "I have performed my duty and can only say that I'm glad you've won her, for I know that while she is with you she will never forget Mother St. Gertrude."

As she was saying this, she advanced to Isabel, who arose to meet her, and one clasped her arms around the other, both much affected.

"Mother!"

"Child!"

Their feelings were deep, warm, overpowering. Tears alone could give relief. Laurence went to the window and looked out to conceal his own emotions. When he recovered, he turned back, took one hand of each in his and said:

"Since Isabel has said that she would like to hear something of her parentage before she married, that while she has given her heart she will not give her hand until she knows more about herself and her people, I promise not to ask her to kneel with me before the altar until I place in her hands the history of her family."

"You'll do it, if you say so," said Mother St. Gertrude.

"It may be the hardest assignment of my life," he added, "but the prize is so great that my ambition will be fired and kept active by dreams of it night and day until I succeed."

His left hand dropped Mother St. Gertrude's and stole around Isabel's waist. She rested her head upon his shoulder, and Mother St. Gertrude stepped back to the convent corridor that her presence might not rob their affection of its full expression at parting. Later, as Laurence was leaving, the nun said:

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1 19 6-caw WM. E. McCLURE,
Dated Jan. 18, 1894. Attorney.

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For four years I have suffered from a complication of diseases which physicians said were dyspepsia, liver and kidney complaint, nervous prostration and womb disease. No words of mine can describe the terrible pains and distress I have experienced—the dizziness, trembling fears of evil, chills, fever, melancholy, restlessness and numerous other dreadful sensations which I am unable to describe. Have been treated by fifteen physicians, some of whom were sure they could cure me within two or three months, and all of whom have had from two months to three, four or more, as they said was needed. One I tried for a whole year until last May I found myself disappointed, discouraged and about ready to give up altogether, as, after treating me for a year my physician told me I would be obliged to undergo a surgical operation before I could commence to get better. Just at this time I was advised by friends to consult Dr. Starkweather of No. 105 Halsey street, Newark, as they knew of some very remarkable cures which he had performed.

I followed their advice and visited the doctor on May 5. How glad I am that I took this step no one can realize who has not been similiarly situated. The doctor gave me a complete history of my case, describing with surprising accuracy the conditions and symptoms which I had endured for years, but what gave me the greatest surprise and pleasure was when he assured me that there was no need of any surgical operation. Proper means, he said, would overcome my troubles without any surgery. I commenced at once to follow Dr. Starkweather's directions and treatment. Having gradually and steadily improved since that time, as he stated I would, until now I am the wonder of all my friends, while rejoicing in renewed health, strength and spirits. Am constrained by a sense of duty and gratitude to accord the praise due Dr. S. for his gentle, soothing and skillful treatment of my case, and advise all sufferers from whatever cause to consult this eminent physician. MRS. WM. R. MANSER.

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Attempt to Lynch a Negro at Lebanon, Ind.

At Three Different Times Was the Rope Thrown Around the Wretche's Neck By the Frantic Woman, But Each Time He Was Rescued—An Exciting Day for Mob and Officials.

LEBANON, Ind., Feb. 6.—Desperate but unavailing efforts were made all day yesday to lynch Frank Hall, a young negro, who last Sunday assaulted Mrs. Mary Akers.

Hall was arrested and brought to this city, but there being danger of mob violence Judge Neal issued an order for his removal to a place of safety, and he was taken to Indianapolis for the night. Yesterday morning he was returned here so that a preliminary examination might be had. Meanwhile a crowd of angry men gathered in the streets and the chances for a lynching were favorabe. His preliminary hearing was had at the jail at noon, and at 2 o'clock the sheriff and deputies emerged from the building to take him to the court house for a final hearing.

The prisoner having signified a willingness to plead guilty and the appearance of the party was the signal for a determined onslaught by a mob of fully one thousand people who had been all morning hovering about the jail. The mob was led by Mrs. Addie Taylor, a woman whose daughter was assaulted about three months ago by a travelling doctor. Since then Mrs. Taylor has been half crazed and the excitement seemed to drive her to a wild frenzy. With the mob at her heels the woman rushed wildly upon the sheriff's posse, dragging a rope already fixed with a noose. The astounded officials drew their pistols, but before they could act, Mrs. Taylor had, with remarkable dexterity, cast the noose over the negro's head and in another instant the mob was dragging him across the court house yard. With quick presence of mind, one of the deputies cut the rope and Hall was rescued.

The crowd blocked the way. Mrs. Taylor tied another noose, another rush was made and again the struggling wretch was dragged several feet. He was rescued again, but the same performance was again gone through before he could be safely landed in the court house. There he pleaded guilty and was at once sentenced to twenty-one years.

Judge Neal implored the mob to subside and disperse but his words were unheeded. The prisoner was locked in the judges' chamber until 5:30 o'clock. At that time the sheriff with fifty deputies made a rush through the crowd and got the prisoner safely on the southbound train before the mob had time to rally. Rally it did without delay, however, and a dash was made for the train, but the deputies guarded the platforms with drawn revolvers and the train pulled out with the negro unharmed. He was taked to Indianapolis and lodged in jail there.

NEW JERSEY LEGISLATURE.

Gov. Werts Refuses to Receive Bills Passed By Republican Senate.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 6.—The legislature met at 8 o'clock last night. No steps has been taken to settle the senatorial muddle. The republican members of the joint committee on erased bills waited on the governor early in the evening with the four bills passed by the house and republican senate last week. The governor refused to receive the bills or give any sort of receipt for them, on the ground that it had not been determined yet which senate was the legal body. The committee left the bills lying on the governor's desk and retired. Judge Cross reported the facts to the house.

The house ordered the following bills to a third reading: Prohibiting telegraph companies from transmitting race track news, and revoking all licenses heretofore granted to race track courses.

The republican senate was in session less than half an hour. The bills passed by the house last Wednesday were advanced to the third reading when the body adjourned till to-day.

New Jersey Editorial Association.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 6.—The New Jersey editorial association held its annual meeting at the State street house yesterday. Major Yard presented his report which showed cash on hand, $8,345.98 and $199.87 as the expenditures of the year. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, E. C. Stahl, of Trenton; vice-presidents, James D. Carpenter, Woodbery; Joseph C. Kingdom, Mt. Holly; S. G. Kempson, Perth Amboy, J. M. Somerson, Belvidere; F. E. Gibson, Dover; Alex. Schleisenger, Jersey City; H. D. Winton, Hackensack; J. P. McDonnell, Paterson; secretary, Charles Bechtel, Trenton; treasurer, James S. Yard, Freehold; executive committee, S. Chew, Camden; A. A. Vance, Morristown; L. S. Hyrer, Rahway; E. D. Stokes, Mt. Holly; James S. Yard, Freehold.

Torpedoes for Brazil.

BOSTON, Feb. 6.—A special from Providence R. I., says: Thomas Phillips & Co., of this city, have contracted with a New York ordnance and ammunition company for 25 Howell and 50 Whitehead torpedoes for use in Brazil. The contract calls for an immediate deliwery, and the works will be kept exceedingly busy.

Charter Election at Geneva.

GENEVA, N. Y., Feb. 6.—In the charter election yesterday the democrats elected the assessor, collector and one trustee, while the republicans elected the treasurer and one trustee.

TO HIS FINAL REST

George W. Childs' Funeral This Afternoon.

The Largest Ever Witnessed in the Quaker City—Sorrowing Visitors Come from Many Points to Assist Philadelphians in Their Last Sad Duty to Their Late Beloved Fellow-citizen—The Honorary Pall-bearers.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 6.—The grief-stricken people of Philadelphia together together with a sorrowing multitude from all over the state of Pennsylvania and from numerous points outside the state are this afternoon performing the last sad duty to one whose memory is dearly cherished. All that is earthly of the late George William Childs is being borne to its final place of rest.

The funeral is one of the largest ever held in Philadelphia. In addition to the large list of personal acquaintances of Mr. Childs, thousands of people in every walk of life who did not know him personally seem to feel his death as a personal bereavement and hundreds of them strived to gain admittance to the services at the church. Besides the personal friends of the dead philanthropist and the general public, numerous organizations and societies are represented by delegations at the funeral. The vestry of St. James church, of which Mr. Childs was a member, is in attendance in a body. The employes of the Ledger assembled in the composing room of the Ledger office at noon and marched to the church in a body. During the service the Ledger was closed so that all the employes could attend. The officers, faculty and woman's advisory board of the Drexel institute went together to the church. A special train leaving New York at 9 o'clock brought about thirty members of the Press club of that city, a delegation of New York editors and publishers, a delegation from New York Typographical union No. 6, and a delegation from the International Typographical union. A committee from the Boston Press club came on from that city.

In addition to the above delegations there are present from the following organizations: The George W. Childs chapter of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers; the Presbyterian Ministerial association; Typographical Unions Nos. 1 and 2; the Horticultural society, and numerous other societies.

Bishop Potter came on to officiate at the funeral. He made the address at the church. The regular burial service were read by Bishop Whitaker, Rev. Dr. Blanchard, rector of St. James church, and Rev. Dr. Bodine, rector of the Church of the Saviour. The late A. J. Drexel was a communicant at the latter church.

The following are the pall-bearers:

J. Pierpont Morgan, of New York; John R. McLean, Washington; Cornelius Vanderbilt, Chauncey M. Depew, Gen. Horace Porter, Judge Edward Patterson, Col. Frederick D. Grant and Hon. John Bigelow, of New York; Enoch Pratt, Reverdy Johnson, General Felix Agnus and Charles F. Mayer, Baltimore; E. P. Wilber, Dr. James MacAlister, Frank Thomson, Judge Henry Greene; Judge Craig Biddle, Frederick Fraley, Henry N. Paul, John Lober Welsh, Ferdinand J. Dreer, George C. Thomas, William M. Singerly, L. Clarke Davis, Richard C. Dale, Clement A. Griscom, William V. McKean, Eugene Delano, Isaac H. Clothier, Charles E. Warburton, J. M. Wilson, Richard M. Cadwalader, Joseph G. Rosengarten, John Russell Young and Col. M. Richards Muckle, of Philadelphia.

United Press on Mr. Childs' Death.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—At the executive meeting of the United Press, held in this city, the following was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That in the death of George W. Childs the American press loses one of its noblest and best beloved leaders; and we desire to convey to the friends and relatives bereaved the expression of our sincere sorrow and sympathy.

Blinded By Cigarettes.

KINGSTON, N. Y., Feb. 6.—Cigarettes are said to be the cause of the total blindness of Frank Fitzgerald, of Mariborough. He is a blacksmith and was suddenly bereft of his sight while working at the forge. He was an inveterate cigarette smoker.

30 Below in the Adirondacks.

LITTLE FALLS, N. Y., Feb. 6.—The thermometer at Fulton Chain, in the Adirondacks, registered 30 degrees below zero at midnight. Yesterday was the coldest day experienced in many years.

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ANOTHER DAY OF TALK

Two Subjects Occupy the Time of Congress.

Senate Listens to Federal Election Law Repeal Discussion—A Vote This Afternoon—Debate on Hawaiian Resolution in the House—Mr. Boutelle Gets a Chance to Be Heard.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The house bill to repeal the federal election laws will probably reach a vote in the senate late this afternoon. Debate occupied most of yesterdays session and all of this morning.

Mr. Chandler (rep. N., H.) leading off with a speech against the bill, and Mr. Frye (rep., Me.) illustrated the necessity for such laws by what he called the "twice told tale" of the Tammany election frauds in the presidential election of 1868, the wholesale naturalization of foreigners, the "repealing" and the wholesale false registering. He asked Mr. Palmer (dem., Ill.), whom he had sought out for his special antagonist, whether such a system of dishonest practices did not justify the existence of the federal statutes which the bill proposed to repeal; but the Illinois senator refused to make such an admission. The discussion was participated in by several senators.

House of Representatives.

The entire day in the house was given to a discussion of the Hawaiian resolution. The only break in the regular order was a brief speech by Mr. Morse (rep., Mass.), for which he was specially called to order by Mr. Outhwaite (dem., O.), for asserting that the "cockcrow of the house and senate were under the control of their master, the president." These words were taken down and declared by the speaker to be unparliamentary. Mr. Morse thereupon withdrew them. The speakers were Messrs. Johnson (rep., Ind.), Patterson (dem., Tenn.), Oates (dem., Ala.), Boutelle (rep., Me.), Black (dem., Ill.), Van Voorhis (rep., N. Y.) and Griffin (rep., Mich.). Mr. Boutelle, at last, gaining the opportunity to air his views on his pet subject, took due advantage of the occasion.

He began by defending the actions of Minister Stevens and said that his greatest crime was that he had always at heart the interest of the American government and the American people. No one could ever bring that charge against the president. (Republican applause). And one might search the records to show where the sycophants and parasites of a president had ever gone to such an extent in upholding a president as the democratic party now presented.

He then went into the history of the American Hawaiian policy, going back to 1850, showing that under the administrations of both parties the policy of closer relations with Hawaii had always been advocated.

He then took up the charge of Stevens's complicity in the revolution and showed that he could not have anticipated a revolution on the islands, for on January 4, 1893, Minister Stevens set sail with one daughter on the cruiser Boston for a ten days cruise, leaving his wife and another daughter in Honolulu. "Does anyone believe that any man would leave his wife and daughter in a city where he expected a revolution to occur?" asked Mr. Boutelle. The idea was absurd.

Mr. Boutelle arraigned the one-sidedness of the resolutions reported by the committee on foreign affairs. The executive of the United States had been untarnished up to the 4th of March, 1893, but then was inaugurated a policy of concealment and duplicity which had lowered the respect with which foreign nations regarded the United States. Then the president had sent a minister to Sanford B. Dole, president of the provisional government, bearing in one hand a letter expressive of friendship and good will, and in the other an order of assassination. "I would like to see a man stand up on the other side of the chamber," he continued, warming up to his theme, "and admit that he would take that commission to go to Sanford B. Dole and make a speech in which he is addressed as 'my great and good friend,' and then go around and endeavor to restore the deposed queen. (Republican applause.) I pause for a reply," he said. "Not one of you will answer. (Renewed republican applause). You cannot make that thing heroic in this age; you cannot do it. (Laughter and applause). "Only the president and an apostate secretary of state had brought this degradation on the nation. But even that was not enough. Not only must we send a spy to uproot American institutions and American influences in an island which is the key to the Pacific ocean, but we must also degrade our American navy by putting it in the hands of a Georgia politician, in order to get some one who would give the order to 'haul down the American flag.' That order was unconstitutional; when that order was written the constitution was violated; and the man who wrote it made himself liable to impeachment at the bar of the house of representatives. The secretary of the navy, writing to the admiral of the American fleet, (Admiral Skerrett) a man who had before carried the American flag ashore at Honolulu amid the plaudits of the American people—told him that he must confer freely with Mr. Blount, a private citizen of Georgia, and Mr. Blount, taking advantage of the first opportunity which had ever presented itself to him, gave the order to that gallant admiral to 'haul down the flag.' Oh you are making a splendid record for yourselves," he cried sarcastically as he turned toward the democratic side of the house.

Mr. Black (dem. Ill.) took the opposite end of the argument and delivered a speech scintillating with wit. He did not attack the course of Minister Stevens, nor did he defend the actions of Minister Willis, but replied to some assertions made in Mr. Boutelle's resolutions reflecting on the president.

Exonerated for Killing a Hotbed.

NORRISTOWN, Pa., Feb. 6.—E. A. Kunkel, who shot and killed Amos K. Wing, the highway robber at Valley Forge, on Saturday evening, has been exonerated by the coroner's jury. He was released on a habeas corpus proceeding and admitted to bail.

Normannia Arrives at Belfast.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—The Hamburg-American steamer Normannia, which was damaged by a tidal wave on Jan. 2, during her trip from New York, has arrived at Harland's dock, Belfast, where she will be repaired.

BEAR THIS IN MIND.

It Sounds Like a Remarkable Experience.

BUT IT IS IN REALITY NOTHING OF THE KIND.

It Certainly Reads, However, Like a Wonderful Thing.

Things are happening every day which appear wonderful. Here is an occurence which as one reads about it certainly appears extraordinary to say the least. Yet it is nothing but what is happening daily and hourly, only this particular event has been brought a little more prominently before the people.

The great and peculiar interest of this event lies in the fact that it concerns everybody, because it describes exactly what occurs in the lives of so many of us.

The facts are given by Mrs. M. D. Perkins, who resides at 100 G St., south Boston, Mass., and can be easily substantiated by anybody.

"I hardly know how to tell it," began Mrs. Perkins, "but I was completely run down and could not eat, for the sight of food made me sick. I did not sleep at night, and was as tired in the morning as when I retired at night.

"My head and back ached all the time. I was completely exhausted if I tried to do my housework, and could not walk without being dizzy. I was excessively nervous and very weak.

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"Then I began to take Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, and I do not say enough in its praise. I have not felt so well for years as I do at the present time, thanks to this splendid medicine.

"I can now eat well and sleep soundly, waking mornings strong and refreshed. I do my housework which is now a pleasure instead of being a burden as formerly. My weight has increased about 12 pounds in the last two months. I have taken no other medicine but Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, and I would recommend any one afflicted as I have been to by all means use this wonderful remedy."

This case was probably just like yours; it is just like thousands of others who have been or are being cured by this wonderful health restorer, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. If you will use this medicine, which is purely vegetable and harmless as well as sure in its effects, you also will also be cured.

Doctors and druggists recommend it to the people because it is a physician's prescription, the discovery of Dr. Greene, of 35 West 14th street, New York, the famous and successful specialist in curing all forms of nervous and chronic diseases. The doctor can be consulted free of charge, personally or by letter.

Harvard Wants a Captain.

BOSTON, Feb. 6.—The Harvard athletic committee has refused to ratify the election of B. C. Waters, '94, as captain of the eleven for next year. This was just what everybody expected, for only a few days ago the committee officially announced that it did not propose to confirm the election of any graduate to the captain of a Harvard university team. It confirmed the election of Wiggin on the nine because there was absolutely nobody else to take the place, at least nobody who could make a good captain.

New York Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—So far as the forward appearance of the dry goods market has indicated at the opening of the week, decidedly quiet conditions have prevailed. The attendance of buyers has been moderate, and their operations have not displayed any greater degree of spirit than has been recently noticeable. In some measure the mail orders have helped amends for the languid spot business, these being fairly numerous and in one instance of fair individual volume.

Accused of Murder.

WARREN, N. H., Feb. 6.—Mrs. Hattie Symonds, a widow aged about 55, and living about a mile from this village on the back roads, so-called, and Miss Pet Ploude, aged 46, her boarder, are under arrest charged with the murder of an old Frenchman named Joseph Riendeau, or Joseph LaRento, who recently came from Canada and who mysteriously disappeared from Mrs. Symonds house about three weeks ago. Evidence only of a circumstantial nature has so far been discovered.

Very Serious Charge.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Feb. 6.—There was a sensation in the police court yesterday when a large number of prominent citizens were called to answer to the charge of not removing the snow from their sidewalks. Rev. Henry Tuckley, of Trinity church, had his case continued, but Rev. David Allen Reed and Rev. George M. Evans paid a fine of $3, as did about forty other citizens.

Accepts a Brooklyn Call.

BOSTON, Feb. 6.—Rev. L. A. Banks, D. D., has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Hanson Place church of Brooklyn, N. Y., and will enter upon his duties there about April 1. The church has the largest membership of any Methodist society in the world, and Dr. Banks's salary will be $5,000 per year.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M., meet this evening.

—Valentines and novelties are sold at Harper's, 411 Park avenue.

—Writing paper is sold by the pound, at Harper's, 411 Park avenue.

—The Epworth League of the Grace M. E. Church will give a sociable soon.

—The Climax Gun Club will have its monthly shoot tomorrow afternoon at 1.

—Cornelius Taylor bowled 225 in a practice game on the Dunellen alleys last evening.

—Sergeant Kiely was off duty today because of a bad cold. Policeman Giese was in his place.

—B. T. Barnes is making a great record at bowling. Last night on the Board of Trade alleys he made 213 in practice.

—Efforts are being made to secure John H. Carney to appear at the Clothes-Pin Sociable in Warren Chapel, Thursday evening.

—Petrie & Wood, who succeeded Charles H. Lyman in the real estate and insurance business, have sold out to Lyman & Brett.

—The Foresters moved today from the Sons of Temperance Hall to the Knights of Pythias room and will hold their first meeting there tonight.

—Fifty young women in costume, representing the nations of the earth, will sing in native dialect at the entertainment in Vincent Chapel this evening.

—City Treasurer Titsworth was busy today making out warrants for the eighty-two bills, amounting to $2,500, ordered paid by the Council last night.

—Congregationalists from Bound Brook examined the organ in the new Seventh Day Baptist Church this morning with a view of buying one from the maker.

—Judge McCormick this morning reserved his decision in the appeal of the suit of Charles K. Moore against Rev. J. P. Taylor, from Justice Mosher's Court.

—The City Court hearing of John Lynch, the hackman, who was arrested by Policeman Giese last Friday for violating the hack ordinance, was postponed for a week this morning.

—The Dunellen bowling team will go to Greenville tonight and bowl the Lincolns of Newark. Each team has won a game and this one will tell the story. The new alleys of J. Edenger will be used.

—The annual election of officers of the Plainfield branch of the New Jersey Building and Loan and Investment Company will be held in Republican Association rooms, East Front street, tonight.

—An entertainment for the benefit of the unemployed will be given by children in the Congregational Church Thursday night. It is entitled "The Small Boy (with His Toot) and His Musical Friends".

—The honor of having the hen who first hatched a setting of eggs this season belongs to Michael Weber, of East Third street, who found this morning that nine chickens had been hatched in a nest of eleven eggs.

—Thomas Schaefer, the lightning drum major, will give his friends an evening sociable at his residence, 456 Orchard place, Friday evening, Feb. 9. A good time is expected by all. Music will be furnished by N. H. Guttman.

—Ash Wednesday will be observed in the Church of Our Saviour, Rev. S. P. Simpson officiating, as follows: Holy Communion, 7 a. m.; morning prayer, litany, Holy Communion and sermon, 10:30 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:45.

—The fresh shipments of oranges which Captain William Hand receives each week direct from Florida find ready purchasers among Plainfield residents and storekeepers. Their quality is unsurpassed, and by buying in large qualities the Captain is enabled to sell at low prices.

—A young man named McCarty, in the employ of Eddy, the butcher, while grooming a horse yesterday, was violently kicked in the side. His watch was more injured than he was. Dickinson, the jeweler, will repair the watch, and $1.75 will be the cost of the kick.

—The young women of the Mission Band of the Seventh-Day Baptist Church held their first public meeting yesterday afternoon in the form of a Japanese tea. The parlors were decorated with Japanese effect and were well filled with members of the Band and their friends. A musical and literary programme was presented.

Never Hard Times for Tax Collector.

Tax Collector Johnson has prepared a statement of collections for the past month and compares the last four Januarys as follows:

1891—$16,296.76.
1892— 7,065.48.
1893— 6,462.09.
1894— 9,816.69.

The amount in January, 1891, was enlarged by the payment of over $5,000 by Job Male.

Has No Interest in The Call.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—I wish to deny through the columns of your valuable paper that I am connected with the so-called Sunday Call, financially or otherwise, as was rumored about town yesterday. GILBERT SUTPHEN MARTIN.

For cure of rheumatism, neuralgia, cuts, sprains, burns, stings, chilblains, sciatica and lumbago, use Salvation Oil.

—A free stage will leave the North avenue station for the Church of Our Saviour and return tomorrow at 10 a. m.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell; 25c., 50c. and $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good. Price 50c. Sold by J. D. Mallinson, 205 North Ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

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GOOD OFFICIALS RE-ELECTED.

No Change in the City's Salaried List—Water Company Brought to Terms—Office of City Auditor Abolished, and the Clerk Paid Extra for Doing His Work—Other Municipal Matters.

The Mayor last night reported to the Common Council his nominations of city officers, and they were confirmed, and salaries were fixed, as follows:

Corporation Counsel—Craig A. Marsh, $1,000.
Street Commissioner—R. A. Meeker, $1,750.
Overseer of the Poor—A. Vanderbeek, $400.
City Physician—M. S. Simpson, M. D., $365.
Members of Board of Health—H. B. Newhall, L. W. Serrell, George W. Endicott, M. D.
Chief Engineer—T. O. Doane, $700.
1st Assistant Engineer—James A. Martin, $300.
2d Assistant Engineer—John W. Murray, Jr. $100.

POLICE.

Regular—George W. Grant, Christian Frederickson, Charles Giese, Thomas McCue, Jos. Cooney, Patrick Kiely, Patrick J. Flanagan, Wm. J. Mattox, James Saunders. Salary of regulars, $60 a month; of Chief, $90.

Special—S. R. Hope, Thomas Clarkson, Wm. Mundy, John Flynn, John Hartpence, Benjamin Allaband, George R. Rockfellow, Jacob Kriney, Wm. Dagnall, Chas. J. Lang, Cadwallader Jones, Wm. R. Mattox, Edward Shimer, Nicholas Myers, Morris Higgins, Vincent W. Nash, Louis Bond, David F. Stewart, Henry Angleman, Andrew Mulr, Edward Maynard, James H. Frisbie, Martin Vanderwer, Joseph Galbraith, Frank Vanderhoof, Chas. E. Post, Edward Martin. [Salary of specials, 25 cents an hour while on duty.]

Pound Keeper—Fred Wenzel.
Dog Catcher—James H. Frisby.
Pound Master—William H. Kitchen.

Other salaries were fixed as follows:

City Clerk, $700; and $300 for doing city auditing; City Treasurer, $700; Tax Assessor, $1,000; Collector, $1,500; City Judge, $600; Janitor, $50, and $3 for each extra meeting; Fire Department drivers, $50 a month; engineers, $75.

A number of applications for increase of salary had been considered by the Finance Committee, but it was felt that the necessity for economy precluded any advance. Messrs. Frazee and Westphal argued and voted for increase for the fire department drivers to $60 a month apiece, but to no avail.

Various petitions for street lamps, and walks, and other privileges, were referred to the appropriate committees. Those reported with power were: For an electric light on Muhlenberg place. For a fire-alarm box at Watchung avenue and East Third street. For a fire-alarm box at Clinton avenue and West Second street. James T. Closson was made an Exempt Fireman.

The following liquor-license applications were received and ordered published: Wallace V. Miller, John E. Beerbower, John J. Goff, Jacob Blimm, Michael F. Watson, Daniel J. Crowley, Fred. Caspar, John Rafferty, E. P. Thorn, James Connecly, Alexander D. Finley, Chrrles Smith, J. J. Sullivan, James Hanson, F. Linke, Wm. H. Lee.

The overseer of the poor reported the poor-house in improved condition, but renewed his recommendation for a farm. He asked for greater discretionary powers in the administration of temporary relief.

The Board of Health reported excellent sanitary condition of the city. The deaths for the year were 257, of which 10 were by violence. There had been 114 cases of communicable diseases, chiefly diphtheretic. The births for the year were 141 males, 129 females.

The bill of John Tier, for the boat lost in the freshet of years ago, was ordered returned for investigation. It is claimed that Chief Doane used the boat for the city in getting to people's houses.

Mr. Erickson reported that the Water Supply Company had at last agreed to put four-way hydrants and lay pipes as orderid, and as they showed a disposition to fulfill the contract with the city it was decided not to withhold payment of the bill for back service any longer.

Advertising was ordered for 2,000 feet of hose, and shades were ordered for the bedrooms in Headquarters.

$725 was voted for repairs to the old engine and hook and ladder house into which the Alerts are to move April 1.

It was decided to re-macadamize Grant avenue from Front street to Fourth, the city and the street railway company each to pay one-half the cost.

A substitute for the original Fire Marshal and Building Ordinance was introduced and tabled.

The Council adjourned to Feb. 19 to act on the liquor licenses.

Miss Smith's Case Against Lederer.

In the Court of Common Pleas in Elizabeth yesterday the case of McNabb against Stout was postponed to a date to be decided upon by counsel.

The case of Annie Miller against Joseph C. Allen on contract was postponed indefinitely.

The case of B. D. Drake against Benjamin Elliott was put off till next term.

This morning the appeal of Fred Conde from the decision of Justice Nodyne, who allowed Mary H. Pullan $40.50 damages from Conde, was dismissed with costs, on motion of Judge William A. Coddington, as no representative of Conde appeared. The alleged scalding of a pet dog by Conde began the suit.

The wages case of Elizabeth C. Smith against Isaac Lederer was settled out of court. The damage case will probably come up next term.

—Engine No. 391 tried to haul a coal train that extended from Liberty street to Grant avenue yesterday afternoon. Couplings were broken twice, and finally the cars were divided into sections, which were taken separately.

How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

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PARTICULAR MENTION

E. C. Perkins entertained a few friends at dinner last evening.

T. C. Lathrop of Elizabeth was visiting friends in town today.

The Press was in error in stating that Miss Lottie Suydam gave a party Saturday night.

Mrs. George C. Evans gives a progressive euchre party at the Park Club-house this afternoon.

Walter R. Wilson, representing the Clark Thread Works of Newark, is in town for a few days.

The condition of E. R. Vail, of Greenbrook, father of Charles E. Vail of this city, remains unchanged.

A progressive euchre party is to be given by Mrs. James T. Scott at her home on West Seventh street tonight.

Miss Hattie M. Powelson, of West Fourth street, is enjoying herself for two weeks with friends in Hopewell.

William R. Clarkson, owner of the post office building, and until recently a resident of East Front street, was in town today.

Mrs. F. W. Clark, of Fanwood, left for Rochester, yesterday, whence she will make an extended trip through the West with Mr. Clark.

George F. Brown, who has been such a sufferer with rheumatism of the eye, was able to go out Saturday for the first time since his illness.

The correct hour for the funeral of Mrs. Catherine Kline is 1 p. m., Thursday, at the residence of her son-in-law, Alexander Willett, 28 Craig place.

Col. Thomas Wentworth Higginson will lecture on "The Birth of American Periodical Literature" in the Casino, Monday evening, Feb. 26.

Charles Noe Daly, U. S. Consul to Guelph, Canada, spent a short time with friends in Plainfield yesterday. He will return to his post tomorrow.

Christopher Angerbauer, of 155 Sixth avenue, New York, has returned to his work in Brokaw Bro's establishment, after a vacation of three weeks.

A. W. Rand has retired from the business at 140 West Front street, having transferred it to his son, Robert C. Rand, who now offers a full line of valentines.

Mrs. A. M. Powell of this city is a delegate of the N. J. Woman's Suffrage Association to the National Woman's Suffrage Convention, to be held in Washington this month.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Vanderbeek go tomorrow to Thomasville, Ga., thence to Tallahassee Fla. Mrs. W. R. Codington is ill, and will not leave Plainfield until Monday next.

Funeral services were held over the remains of Mrs. William C. Butler at the house, 215 East Front street, at 10 this morning. Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes was assisted by Rev. Dr. K. P. Ketcham and Rev. Mr. Chandler. The interment was made this afternoon in St. Mark's Cemetery on Second avenue, New York.

Miss Fanny Rafferty entertained her friends at her home on Park avenue last evening. No pains were spared to make the evening one of enjoyment. During the evening those present listened to several pleasing solos by Miss May Flanagan, Miss Keeley and Charles Ward. Music for dancing was furnished by A. G. Carpenter. A bountiful supper was served which all enjoyed. Among those present were: The Misses Keely, Casey, Carney, Flanagan, Kittie Daly, Mary Daly, McIntyre, Sheehan, Galbraith, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kenny, Mr. and Mrs. David Kenny, John Powers, William Kiely, John Daly, Thomas Hughes, Mr. Cahill, Mr. Traynor, Charles Daly, James Daly, John Keely, Mr. Ward, Charles Ward, Mr. Cashin, George Tobin, P. L. Keefe, of Plainfield; Dr. Burnett and Mr. Wolffe, of Elizabeth. Messrs. Charles Ward and Cashin gave a drama entitled "Secrets of the Dark Room" which was very amusing.

HOLDS FOR $20,000.

School Board Refuses an Offer for the Wadsworth Property.

An offer of $250 more than the School Board paid for the Wadsworth property was received last night, and refused. The price paid was $13,000. The Board holds for $20,000. The Easter vacation was set for March 23 to April 2. The summer vacation from June 22 to September 4. Christmas vacation is to begin December 21. Commencement was fixed at June 21.

Park Club Dance.

The dance at the Park Club house last night was a charming and successful event. The good condition of the floor and the excellent music aided in making dancing a delight. From 8:30 to 1 a. m., all was a whirl of gayety. The usual North Plainfield constituency was swelled by a number of Plainfield visitors. The patronesses were Mrs. Henry McGee, Mrs. Walter McGee, Mrs. S. St. J. McCutchen, Mrs. George Rogers.

—Warren Engine Company, No. 1, will hold their regular meeting this evening. All the members are requested to attend as business of importance is to be transacted.

A BAD TEMPER

—generally accompanies a torpid liver and indigestion. An in-door life often brings on this condition; there follows anæmia, or lack of blood, frequently another worse effect—that of Dyspepsia. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the restorative tonic and liver invigorator which will positively cure just such cases.

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A Full Assortment.
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Senate Lodge, 3543, Knights of Honor.—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Thursday evenings of each month in Stillman Building, No. 212 West Front street, at 8 p. m.
E. C. Pease, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter. 2 6 tf

MUSIC HALL,
Wednesday, Feb. 7.
Tennyson's
"And there stole into the city
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Scents of the fragrance of the play that
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Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents) Cash must accompany ads

WE have calls for some houses that will rent for $30 to $35 per month; send us a list at once. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung ave. 1 22 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family. Apply 423 LaGrande avenue.

TO LET—Seven room house furnished; improvements; city water; central location. E., care Press. 2 6 2

TO LET—3 or 5 rooms. Apply 117 Elmwood place. 2 6 4

FOR RENT—At 23 Pearl st., 7 room house. Inquire 54. 2 6 3.eod

LOST—A diamond earring on 7:58 train or in Plainfield on Wednesday morning. Reward at this office 2 5 2

$5 REWARD for return of gold link bracelet, lost between Hulett's Hall and the Crescent Avenue Church. Return to this office. 2 5 tf

WANTED—House, 5 or 6 rooms; centrally located; possession April 1. Address Z., care Press. 2 1 tf

FOR SALE or to let, house and barn 109 West 4th st. Apply G. W. Force, 111 West 2d st. 2 1 5

TO LET—10 room house; modern improvements; 127 East 5th st. Apply Wm. H. Brower, 432 Watchung avenue 1 31 tf

MONEY wanted on bond and mortgage or A 1 property at 6 per cent. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

AN elegant brick and brown stone house for sale or exchange for Plainfield property, on Halsey street, Brooklyn. Edward Love, corner North and Watchung avenues. 12 30 tf

FOR SALE—"The Medical and Surgical History of the Late War"; 4 rare vols. Address Books, care Press. 1 20 tf

175 BUILDING lots for sale; prices from $175 to $2,000 each on easy terms. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

WHAT have you got for sale or to let? Send a full list to the two hustlers. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

MONEY wanted to invest on gilt-edge Plainfield mortgages. Chas. A. Reed atty., National Bank Building. 10 29 tf

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We will give you 3 lbs dried peaches, 19c., 6 lbs best currants, 19c., 3 lbs best raisins, 19c., 4 lbs good rice, 19c., 3 qts green peas, 19c., 3 qts soup beans, 19c., 3 qts lima beans, 19c., 1½ lb box best cocoa, 19c., 5 cakes best sweet chocolate, 19c., 3 lbs best mince meat, 19c., 4 lbs best jelly, 19c., 3 lbs soda crackers, 19c., 4 lbs best dates, 19c., 6 lbs oat meal, 19c., 5 boxes Bixby's best blacking, 10c size, 19c. Given away free—12½ lbs. best flour, one-half gallon jug filled with syrup, 25c.
At Fulper's, 207 West Front Street
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At $3.99, were $5.50; at $8.50, were $12; at $11, were $16.25.
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Gowns that were $1.67, now $1.49.
One lot ladies' fast black cotton hose at 19c., were 25c; one lot ladies' wo l hose at 17c., were 23c; one lot ladies' black cashmere hose at 21c., 29c., 40c., were 25c., 35c., 50c; one lot men's Scotch wool gloves at 39c., were 50c; one lot men's Scotch wool gloves at 29c., were 35c.
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For 3c. a Quart, or 2 Quarts for 5c.
Also by the bowl served at the table.
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The 5 and 10c. store.
ALLEN'S, 202 WEST FRONT STREET.

107 PARK AVENUE,
Ladies' Kid Button were $3.00, now $2.50; ladies' pat tip button were $2.50 now $2; misses' st gt button were $2, now $1 50; men's cork sole bals were $6 now $5; men's cork sole bals were $5, now $4; men's wint r Russia bals were $5, now $3.50; men's patent leather bals were $5, now $4.
A few other ods and ends that are big bargains. Come while we have your size.
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Second quarter opens Friday, Jan. 26, 8 p. m. Those desiring to enter address Hulett's Music Store or at hall Tuesdays and Fridays 3 to 5 p. m.

A DANCE AT THE INN.

Votaries of Terpsichore Have a Joyous Time.

(Special to The Press.)

VAN COURT INN, ROSELLE, Feb. 5.

Another one of those delightful dances for which the Inn is becoming noted took place this evening. The event was private, and the ball room was secured for the occasion. The affair was under the management of Messrs. Miller, Patterson and Howe. The patronesses were: Mrs. John J. Howe, Mrs. A. W. Patterson, Mrs. M. F. Moore and W. H. Peddie. The *jeunesse doree* of New York, Brooklyn, Roselle, Elizabeth and Cranford were largely *en evidence*. The following participated in the joyous event:

Messrs. J. A. Miller, G. Benedict, Hope, Lane, Hill, G. H. Miller, Ward, Cleveland, Blauvelt, Moore, Howe, Mulford, Berdan, J. Benedict, Patterson, Earl, Pope, Gruet, Smith, Provost, Smith and Misses Compton, Wolf, Stone, Denton, Marlor, Atkins, Berdan, Smith, Hubbard, Price, Hayes, Smith, Hunt, Smith, Gaston, Stout, Deforrest, Howe, Field, Richards, Pope, Field, Smith, Stout, Deforrest, Howe, Field, Richards, Pope, Field, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Hope, Mrs. MacQuoid.

It was a charming affair, and all went merry as marriage bells. The lovely participants were resplendent in their exquisite costumes which were dreams of beauty. The music was excellent and the votaries of Terpsichore seemed immeasurably happy, as well as others present. Refreshments were served during the Proprietor Clarence H. Hale, who is always happy when ministering to the comfort and welfare of his guests, left nothing undone to that end. At midnight the sweet strains of "Home, Sweet Home" announced the fete ever, all pronouncing the event a glorious success and hoping soon to meet again under the same happy auspices.

The Inn is fairly filled with guests, and others are expected. It may be truly said that the Van Court Inn is an ideal home in the fullest acceptation of the term.

J. A. H.

WEST END NOTES.

It would be a benefit to the West End if the Health Department would make an occasional visit through that section of the city. It is a matter which should be attended to at once.

Rev. F. J. Stanley lectured on Japan in Hope chapel last evening under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society's Missionary Committee. The chapel was crowded and the lecture was greatly appreciated, especially as it was illustrated by an assistant with a stereopticon.

Frank Shapple, Jr., of South street, has given up the newspaper business and accepted a position with D. H. Patty, of Geneva, N. Y.

Since the last boom in the Potter Press Works, Billy Rankin has been working from Monday morning till Sunday. Billy is the right man in the right place, as his fellow workmen can testify.

It is said in the West End that before many weeks a new hose carriage will be obtained. A company of twenty-five men is about to be formed.

WEST ENDER.

He Took the Cake.

C. H. Rugg was genuinely surprised last night, when his friends gathered at his cozy home on East Second street and congratulated him on rounding the half-century stake in a busy and useful life. It was a merry gathering, and all were heartily sorry when the time for parting came. Henry Liefke presented a mammoth birthday cake to Mr. Rugg. Master Ford joined in the entertainment with his clever recitations, and Miss Florence Rugg presided at the piano with her accustomed grace and charm. The invited guests were as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen VanHorn, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bignaman, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Ford and son, Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel H. Woolston, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Liefke, Mr. and Mrs. John Chandler and daughters Lillie, Fannie and Nettie, Mr. and Mrs. U. B. Crane, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. VanEmburgh, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thorn, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Lunger and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. VanDyke and daughter Maud, Mr. and Mrs. Burton D. Bigelow, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Connolly, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. VanFleet and Mary Van Fleet, Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Bird, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hulick, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Yeager, son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Alpaugh, Mr. and Mrs. James F. Buckle, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Carey, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Blair, R. Corlell, Misses Corlell, Wallie Corlell, Miss Benedict, Mrs. Crawford, Miss Nellie Crawford, Misses Laning, Miss Lewis, Miss Higgins, L. G. Pocock, D. Dunavan and L. Dunavan.

The Davis Reception.

George Davis gave one of his delightful annual receptions to his pupils and friends last evening in Hulett's Hall. The Professor felt well rewarded for his pains, as everyone of his pupils showed the result of his careful training in all of the latest dances, to the excellent music of Davis's orchestra. Among those present were: Miss Bridge, Miss Gavin, Miss Moore, Miss Mills, Miss Laturn, Miss Westphal, Miss Feytel, Miss Fell, Miss Hughes, the Misses Hockridge, Shroder, Dowd, Myers, Mrs. Canfield, Mrs. Rugg, Messrs. N. Titsworth, F. Smith, F. Randolph, D. E. Gavin, J. Gavin, Wood, Moore, DeMeza, McLaughlin, Burnham, Owens, Rugg, Blair.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY—"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 25c. Sold by H. P. Reynolds, druggist, Plainfield. 12 6 2m

2,000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from C. W. Maxon, Farina, Ills., says: "I consider your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have been in the drug business fourteen years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal satisfaction." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents.

THE SCHARWENKA RECITAL.

Great Master and Favorite Pupil Delight a Plainfield Audience.

The audience in the Casino last night, at the piano recital of Xaver Scharwenka and his favorite pupil Miss Lavinia French, was fully appreciative of the treat provided.

Throughout the programme, Scharwenka exhibited his wonderful mechanical ability, as well as artistic feeling and versatility. Perfect ease, freedom and evenness of finger technique, firm touch and resonant chord playing, are some of his characteristics. Beethoven's Sonata, the first number, brought out his marvelous technical skill, and was played with a vigorous originality. Perhaps the most pleasing to all, and which was proved by the enthusiastic recall he received, was his rendition of Schubert's Impromtu and Mendelssohn Rondo Capriccioso, which were played with that elegance of finish and polish that seemed to mark his interpretations.

The pleasing and delicate touch, particularly in Impromtu, were quite beyond ordinary criticism, while Chopin's 5th Nocturne, which he played as an encore, was exquisite.

For Miss French The Press prophesies a brilliant future. Her playing of Brahm's au Liszt Polonaise demonstrated patient study and mastery of the instrument. She shows the same vigor and perfect freedom of effort as her teacher, a fact which was particularly noticeable in the numbers arranged for four hands, Herr Scharwenka and his pupil playing exactly as of one mind.

Chopin's Ballade in A flat as played by Miss French was superb. Its beautiful melody and peculiar rhythm were well brought out and fully justified the applause given.

Of Scharwenka's compositions, those arranged for two hands were interesting, the Walzer being a very charming bit of writing, and the composer and pupil making it sparkle with brilliancy as played by them.

A RIDING PARK NEXT.

After Returning from Bermuda Mrs. Ohl Will Make a Novel Venture.

Equestrians are assured of another feature for their enjoyment this coming summer, as Mrs. Percy C. Ohl, who was the first to give Plainfield a riding academy, will on her return from a contemplated trip to Bermuda and several weeks rest, open a riding park on her premises, Pemberton avenue.

Hurdles, ditches and turf track will be arranged. A competent teacher has been engaged, and Mrs. Ohl hopes to be able to resume her classes.

The assured support from her many pupils and friends is of sufficient encouragement to warrant a novel riding park that Plainfielders can be proud of.

Friends will note with pleasure that Mrs. Ohl's retirement from the saddle is only temporary.

Her efforts in promoting the love art of equestrianism should receive substantial aid from all those interested.

Both Mrs. Lane and Mrs. Ohl, on retiring from the Riding Academy, express their thanks to Charles Hand for his courtesies during their occupancy of the building.

Chicken Case Settled.

The case of Mrs. Henrietta Stahl against Policeman Charles Giese came up at Elizabeth yesterday, but had been settled by the time the jury was ready to be sworn in.

The origin of the trouble was that Mrs. Stahl's chickens intruded upon the garden and flower beds of the policeman. He sued for $50 damages and at a jury-trial before Justice Nodyne, June 20, last year, was granted $5 to pay for the loss the chickens caused.

The case was appealed through Lawyer Walter L. Hetfield and by him compromised satisfactorily with Giese yesterday. Judge William A. Coddington was the policeman's counsel.

Look Up His Subject in These.

The Free Public Library contains the following books on the subject of Mr. Fiske's second free lecture:

Adams, H. B., ed. Maryland, Virginia and Washington.
Allinson, E. P., and Penrose, B. Philadelphia, 1681-1887.
Browne, W. H. Maryland, the story of a palatinate.
Cooke, J. E. Virginia.
Doyle, J. A. English colonies in America, v. 1.
Fisher, G. P. Colonial era.
Fiske, J. Civil government in the United States.
Johns Hopkins university studies, v. 10.
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Lodge, H. C. English colonies in America.

Queen City Smoker.

Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., initiated a new member last evening. When the time for the good and welfare of the order came, cigars were passed and a pleasant hour was spent in talking and smoking.

The smoker was the first of a series which will follow each weekly meeting in their West Second street headquarters. The officers expect to make these affairs so enjoyable as to attract new members and bring out the more indifferent members.

Honeyman's Private Tours.

Special party for Florida, including visit to Lake Worth, Indian River, the Oklawaha, St. Augustine, also Newport News and Old Point Comfort. Starts from Plainfield February 14. Absent sixteen days. Small, delightful party. For circular, call at office of Honeyman's Private Tours, 181 North avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 2 2-eod-td

The American Catarrh Cure

is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and does not produce bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by J. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.

A GIRL IN A MALE ATTIRE.

She Was the Star of the Evening at the Great Masquerade Ball.

The sixth annual masquerade ball of the Gesang and Turn Verein took place in their hall on Somerset street last evening. The hall was crowded with merry dancers, who had gathered expecting an enjoyable evening. And they had it.

The grand march began at 9, and was led by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meyer. It was conducted and completed in a most excellent manner. Many handsome costumes were worn. Those of the committee were all alike, and extremely handsome.

The affair was a great success, and the committee deserve high praise for the great care they had taken for the happiness of all. The music was good, and it was nearly dawn when the last strains of Guttman's orchestra died out.

Following is a list of many of the pretty costumes:

Two little girls in blue—Misses Mary and Lizzie Muldowney.
School girl—Miss Delia O'Connor.
Circassian girl—Miss Kitty O'Connor.
Star-Spangled Banner—Misses Minnie Kiely and Josie Herold.
Circus girl—Miss Mamie Kiely.
Barber—H. McComas.
Jockey—Miss M. Campbell.
Negro dude—T. Austin.
Dudes—Harry Dreier and Walter Gibson.
Prince—F. Sheppard.
Negro—George Vreeland.
Clown—Wm. Fiering.
Buffalo Bill—Wm. Kiely.
Chinaman—J. Egan.
School girl—Miss Katie Mulhearn.
Spanish Cavaliers—Fred Miner and W. Bagley.
Cinderella—Mrs. C. McIntosh.
Uncle Sam—C. McIntosh.
Flower girl—Miss Lizzie Dunham.
School girl—Miss Carrie Drake.
Fireman—P. Blimm.
Sailor boys—W. Gray and A. Hoffman.
Machinist—A. McComas.
Bootblack—Wm. Kline.
Tambourine girl—Miss K. Sutterlein.
George Washington—I. Pierson.
Indian—J. Dixon.
Salvation Army Boy—J. Schlick.
Prince—W. Pierson.
Orphan Boy—Miss C. Sutterlein.
Flower Girl—Miss Jennie Waters.
Lottie Collins—Miss Mamie Waters.
Buelah and Mark—Misses Annie Burke and Mamie Moore.
Cinderella and the Glass Slipper—Mrs. Theodore Smith.
Actresses—Misses Mamie Diem and Annie Fiering.
Yellow Prince—J. Powers.
School Boy—C. Schantz.
King Charles II—Jules Boutes.
Louis XV—Patrick Casey.
Queen—Miss Lucy Rafferty.

The chief attraction of the evening was afforded by Miss Mamie Moore, who was dressed in man's attire. She made a great impersonation, and the many efforts to find out her identity proved fruitless till unmasking time came.

GIVE THE MINORITY A CHANCE.

That's What Miss Spence Advocates, and She Does It in a Charming and Ardent Way.

Mrs. C. H. Spence of Australia lectured before the Monday Afternoon Club yesterday afternoon, on her favorite topic of "Proportional Representation." She is an ardent advocate of this system by which the minority in an election is represented as well as the majority, and gave an interesting and convincing account of the practical working of her method. She is a very spicy and witty speaker, and the quaint humor of her digressions and the fervor and animation of her main discourse made the afternoon a most enjoyable one to the large audience who attended.

One entertaining feature was the mock election held, at which the members were permitted to vote by the new system for six legislators. The diversity of political opinion was shown by the fact that the successful candidates were Grover Cleveland, Benjamin Harrison, McKinley, Julia Ward Howe, Susan B. Anthony and Frances Willard. Regret was expressed on all sides that the gentlemen were not present to hear Miss Spence's arguments. We are happy to announce that another opportunity will be given to both men and women of hearing this gifted woman, for she has been engaged to lecture in All Souls Church next Thursday evening, the 8th. She has been received with much interest all over the country, and deserves the attention of Plainfield's thoughtful people.

From Apple Blossoms to Deadly Saw.

In "Blue Jeans", the play which will delight Music Hall patrons tomorrow night, Joseph Arthur goes further than any other living playwright in introducing realism.

Pigeons flutter about the stage, a real orchard showers down apple blossoms, a horse and pet bull are led on, and a substantial fence is shown on which two politicians may talk and over which a village lout vaults to escape the anger of a jealous woman.

In the first two acts shoes are mended, wood is sawed, a part of a barn is painted, bread is kneaded, lamps are filled, and potatoes are pared.

In the third act the audience is confronted with a working country saw mill, with three discs of steel shooting showers of sawdust from pine planks a half-foot thick, immediately prior to the sensation of the play when the inanimate body of one of the players is placed upon the carriage to the saw with the prospect of fearful destruction imminent.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

FAREWELL SERMON BY MR. WRIGHT.

But the Revival Spirit Is Left by the Indian Evangelist, and the Work Goes on Under Other Hands.

A church filled with Plainfield people—Christians who brought their unconverted friends to hear, new converts who wanted to learn more of their Master, and persons aroused to their real condition by the preacher's previous exhortation—greeted Rev. F. H. Wright at his farewell service in the First Presbyterian Church last evening.

His sermon was a final plea to sinners to accept salvation, and an answer to their excuses for delay and doubt.

Hymns full of the revival spirit were sung while the people gathered. Miss Blanche Fellows sang a solo, "I have a home on high". To the charms of her rare vocal talent Miss Fellows added a depth of religious feeling that intensified the meaning of the words to the hesitating sinner. The evangelist sang "The Christian's Good-Night". Rev. A. I. Martine, of Dunellen, prayed.

Mr. Wright took for the lesson the parable of the host whose invited guests excused themselves at the last minute and had their places filled by poor people from the highways. He said that those who had attended the meetings and were still resisting the Holy Spirit were making the same excuses that the guests made of old, and which men have been making ever since.

Those who say they are not worthy to be Christians were reminded that God's invitation includes "everyone that thirsteth". God is the only one able to judge of a man's worth, and He calls all men.

People say there are so many hypocrites in the church that they can't join the company, but God considers religion a personal matter. No one refuses to enter a desirable profession because there are pretenders in it. Hypocrites exist everywhere, but their presence should not influence the actions of others in personal matters.

The man who will not accept salvation because he fears he will not hold out departs from his natural course in every other venture he may make. He who advances the claim of hypocrisy in the church is simply not willing to be saved, and the unwilling man cannot be converted.

Those who felt they could not give up certain things and become Christians were told of the testimony of many who found that sacrifice was easy when the Spirit was in them.

Men say they are too sinful to become Christians. Christ came into the world to save sinners. Paul rejoiced because he, "the greatest of sinners", had been saved. Only men who have been down in the lowest depths of sin can fully appreciate God's mercy. We want mercy, not justice, at God's throne.

The fact that there are mysteries unexplained in the Bible should make no one hesitate. We don't understand how we live, yet we hardly give the matter a thought. If we cannot understand the workings of Nature, how can we claim we ought to know all of God's plans and ways.

Throughout his sermon Mr. Wright emphasized the thought that whoever is willing can be saved, and that the offering of the excuses mentioned was a sign of unwillingness.

After the service, cards were passed through the audience for signers to declare their desire to be Christians, and their church preference, while the hymn "What Hast Thou Done for Me?" was sung. Mr. Wright sang "God be with you till we meet again".

Nearly all stayed to the after-meeting, many expressed their desire to enter the Christian life, and all were incited by the last words of the Indian preacher to greater love and faith and work, of, in and for God.

Rev. A. W. Halsey will preach tonight

—Those unfortunate Plainfielders who were unable to see that most interesting of the World's Fair sights, the Midway Plaisance, will have an opportunity to see part of it transported to Vincent Chapel this evening. The singing will be the same, but the dances will be omitted. Take your World's Fair guide books, and help fill the treasury of the Young Ladies Missionary Society.

—Mrs. Bremmer, living on Somerset street, returned to her home late last night and proceeded upstairs to her room. She thought she had reached the door, but instead she slipped and fell down the back stairway, inflicting a scalp wound and receiving several bruises on the body. Dr. Carman was called and made the woman comfortable for the night. Today she is doing very nicely. No serious results are anticipated.

Treatment of Eczema and Salt Rheum.

These two complaints are so tenacious that the readers of The Press should know of the success obtained by using Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. Where all other treatments have failed, it has made a complete cure.

Perhaps no more horrible case of salt rheum was ever reported than that of Wilbur L. Hale, Quartermaster of Pratt Post, G. A. R., Rondout, N. Y. Several physicians utterly failed to render him any relief; finally one of the physicians suggested that Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy be tried, and steady improvement followed its use, and a permanent cure resulted.

It is used with similar success in cases of scrofula, nervousness, kidney and liver complaints and in all diseases brought about by bad blood and shattered nerves.

Plainfield Lodge Forging Ahead.

A large gathering of Odd Fellows was present last evening to witness the initiation of two candidates into the mysteries of the order. Noble Grand Schleif is untiring in his efforts to please, and Captain Tallman is doing his utmost to place Plainfield Lodge, No. 44, in the front rank for team work. It certainly is a pleasure to the members to witness such devotion, and they fully show their appreciation by the large attendance.

New so-called remedies spring up every day like mushrooms; but the people still cling to Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

New Orleans Mardi Gras.

Low excursion rates from Washington and through sleeper from Plainfield daily. Address L. J. Ellis, 317 A. Broadway, N. Y., or Edward Nelson, ticket agent, Plainfield. 31 6

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In this Young Lady?

Your interest will increase to positive affection if you read about her in Our New Copyrighted, Illustrated Serial,

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ANOTHER RAHWAY MYSTERY.

The Discovery of a Woman's Clothing on the Ice Points to a Crime.

(Special to The Press.)

RAHWAY, Feb. 6—This morning as Charles Tice, a tinsmith, was going to his place of business he noticed, in crossing the Irving Street bridge, a piece of muslin, and looking down into the water saw an object resembling a body.

He began an investigation, and found a brown silk dress, a white apron and a light calico wrapper.

The dress was torn in fragments, as was the white apron, but the calico wrapper was intact.

After securing these things he reported his find to Chief Crane, who went to the scene and began an official investigation, finding a heavy blue flannel petticoat at the middle of the archway of the bridge. The water is eight feet deep.

The river is covered with ice, making the investigation progress slowly.

The police are positive that another mysterious crime has been committed, but so far they have no clews to work on.

MAY BE A MURDER.

Donovan So Badly Beaten That He Has Concussion of the Brain.

(Special to The Press.)

ELIZABETH, February 6.—Daniel Donovan, a laborer, 22 years old, living at Elizabethport, was assaulted by strangers, who attacked him at the corner of West and Rector streets, last night. While he was on his way home he was severely beaten, and at Chambers Street Hospital, whither he was removed, he was found to have concussion of the brain. He was also severely cut on the head. The police of the Church street station are looking for his assailants.

CATHOLICITY IN UNITED STATES.

Statistics for 1894 Show a Considerable Increase in Members.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The Catholic directory for 1894 which has just been issued, gives the statistics of the Roman Catholic church in the United States. Every diocese furnishes its own figures. The Catholic population in many of the dioceses is approximated, and in the absence of exact figures, the compilers of the directory are unable to say just how many Catholics there are in the United States. The directory gives the number as 8,902,033, but Catholic authorities claimed last year that there are at least 12,000,000.

The country is divided into fourteen ecclesiastical provinces, each of which has one archdiocese and several dioceses. The dioceses number 72. There are 17 archbishops, including Cardinal Gibbons, and 71 bishops.

In all the archdioceses and dioceses there are 9,717 priests, 7,231 of whom are secular clergymen and 2,486 regular clergymen, that is members of the orders such as the Jesuits, Franciscans and Redemptorists. These priests preside over 8,722 churches and 5,704 chapels and stations, places where a resident priest is not stationed. There are 8 universities and 92 secular seminaries, in which 3,076 young men are studying for the priesthood.

The priests of the religious orders have 61 seminaries that are educating 1,457 candidates for the regular priesthood as members of their orders. There are 172 high schools for boys, 608 high schools for girls and 3,732 parochial schools, which are attended by 765,388 children. In 238 orphan asylums 29,526 orphans are cared for. The charitable institutions number 753. The total number of children in Catholic institutions is 860,356.

A Catholic statistician has made an investigation, which shows that in 1776 the Catholic population of the colonies was 25 000 in a total population of 3,000,000, or 1-120 of the whole.

There were in 1790 30,000 Catholics, or 1-107 of the whole population; in 1800, 100,000, or 1-53; in 1810, 150,000, or 1-48; in 1820, 300,000, or 1-32; in 1830, 600,000, or 1-21; in 1840, 1,500,000, or 1-11; in 1850, 3,500,000, or 1-7; in 1860, 4,500,000, or 1-9; in 1878, 7,000,000, or 1-6.

The official census in 1890 of the United States shows the entire population to have been 62,885,548, while the Catholic population was estimated at 12,000,000.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. These conditions disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

PERSONNEL OF THE NAVY.

A Bill in the Senate to Increase Its Efficiency.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—Mr. Hale, by request, has introduced a bill in the senate to reorganize and increase the efficiency of the personnel of the navy. It limits the active list of the line to twenty rear admirals, sixty-five captains, eighty commanders, 135 lieutenant commanders, 260 lieutenants and not more than 216 junior lieutenants and ensigns. This number is not to include officers appointed to the active list of the line from the volunteer service. Upon reaching the head of any grade they shall, after examination, be eligible for promotion for the first vacancy in the next higher grade and the numbers vacated by them shall not be considered vacancies or filled. The number of ensigns to be appointed each year is limited to not to exceed forty, and three years work as ensign shall, after examination, cause ensigns to be eligible for promotion. A list of "applicants for voluntary retirement" is provided for for captains, commanders and lieutenant commanders who have served thirty years.

The grade of commodore is abolished from the active list of the navy and officers on the active list of the several staff corps of the navy entitled to the relative rank of commodore are given the relative rank of rear admiral.

NO PROSPECT OF SETTLEMENT.

Citizen's Committee Report on Bridgeport's Traction Strike.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Feb. 6.—The citizen's committee has formally presented its report of the conference with the Traction company for the purpose of reaching a settlement of the strike. After citing the claims of both sides the committee say that they believe the men were misled by designing persons in the matter of the reported discharge of employes. They are of the opinion that the men honestly believed that the company intended to replace them by Newark men, but the committee say the men were misinformed. The committee also say they are surprised that the company will not recognize the union, as the latter would prove a benefit to the company. There is no prospect of the strike being settled. The patronage of the company is still very light. The strikers discussed the report at a meeting to-day.

Suspicious of the Elmira Reformatory

BUFFALO, Feb. 6.—Judge White, of the superior court, yesterday afternoon sentenced Wm. Lavelle, a young man convicted of the crime of burglary, to the Elmira reformatory. In pronouncing sentence, Judge White said he was averse to sending prisoners to the reformatory, but as the board of managers of that institution had exonerated Supt. Brockway of the charges of cruelty, he considered that there was no other course open to him. This is the first prisoner sent to Elmira from here since the exposure of Brockway's alleged cruelties began.

Ready to Meet Depositors.

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 6.—The New Hampshire Trust company of Manchester has realized sufficient cash from the assets in its savings department to pay out between this time and April 1 one-third of its entire deposits if called upon to do so. The necessary authority has been obtained from the supreme court to begin payments. While the order gives the company until April 1, if necessary, to make payments, the officers will anticipate that time, and make immediate payment to such of its depositors as are in urgent need of funds.

Calais' (Me.) Great Day.

CALAIS, Me., Feb. 6.—The people in St. Croix towns closed their schools, suspended business and devoted yesterday afternoon to celebrating the disappearance of one of the last remnants of the dark ages—the toll bridge. Calais and St. Stephen combined and purchased one of the principal toll bridges connecting the two cities, which was thrown open for free use yesterday. At 1 o'clock cannon boomed, bells rang, whistles tooted and, notwithstanding the bitter cold, two monster processions paraded the streets.

Strike Against Double Work.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 6.—The weavers at Lymansville are again on strike and the mill is shut down. Agent Soucke desired his weavers to run two looms each. They objected, for the reason that they feared that by dividing their time and attention between two looms they would make poor cloth and the fines would cut their wages even lower than the 10 per cent. reduction they had agreed to accept. The Riverside mill people are talking about putting one men on two looms.

Decision in a Church Case.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Feb. 6.—The master, H. M. Graydon, his just completed his report in the Williamstown Evangelical Lutheran church case. He declares that the Indianapolis conference was the lawful one and that its findings and decision in the East Pennsylvania conference of 1891 are binding on their civil courts. This is considered a victory for the Bowman-Fisher faction. The report will be filed this week. It is a voluminous document.

Suspected of the Petty Murder.

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 6.—Confined at police headquarters is Benjamin Gleitzman, who, the police claim, is held on suspicion of being involved in the murder of Elizabeth Petty, who was found dead in her house a day or so after Christmas. The only reason given for suspecting Gleitzman is that he disappeared about that time and that he was well supplied with pocket money when he returned a few days ago.

Capriri's Parliamentary Dinner.

BERLIN, Feb. 6.—Count von Capriri's parliamentary dinner, which preludes the final struggle over the Russian commercial treaty, was held last evening at the chancellor's palace. Emperor William was present and talked almost constantly with other guests.

Cold Weather in Mohawk Valley.

FORT PLAIN, N. Y., Feb. 6.—The weather in the Mohawk Valley is the coldest of the season. In some places the thermometer registered 30 degrees below zero at midnight last night. At Northville, Fulton county, it was 30 below and at Breadalbin 28 below.

To Entertain Gov. Greenhalge

BOSTON, Feb. 6.—Gov. Greenhalge will be the guest of the New York Republican club next Monday night at Delmonico's, where he will speak to the toast "Republican New England."

I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for over ten years; had it very bad, could hardly breathe. Some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely. It is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it and with happy results in every case. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my deafness.—E. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

Notice to the Public.

Having transferred our lumber and coal business to Mr. Curtis M. Thorpe, we respectfully request our patrons to make as early settlement as possible of outstanding accounts, and announce that we shall continue our office at 325 Watchung avenue for the convenience of our patrons, soliciting for our successor a continuance of favors, we thank the public for its patronage of the past.

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THE NEW WATCHUNG PARK, with its new streets and avenues, will be among the handsomest residence sections in this pretty suburban place.

ONLY HIGH GRADE RESIDENCES will be erected. The neighborhood will be restricted, making it as desirable as any in Plainfield.

ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS will be in force by early spring. The work of macadamizing the streets is now being pushed rapidly.

ELECTRIC CARS PASS the property. Electric lights, gas and city water will be introduced as soon in the spring as they are needed.

SCORES OF BEAUTIFUL HOUSES now fronting on Sandford and Westervelt avenues have been located on the old Crescent ball field.

JUST AS PROPERTY VALUES jumped in Sandford and Westervelt avenues, so will they also increase rapidly in Watchung Park. Those who buy now will reap the benefit of an early investment.

THE LOTS are about 50x150 feet in size and the map of the property printed in these columns on Wednesdays and Saturdays will give the public necessary information as to their location.

For further information regarding prices and terms, large copies of the map, etc., address or call upon

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Understand the wisdom of cleaning and coloring. Even in good times, if the price of one dress can be made to cover two, it's certainly worth trying for.

In times not quite so good, when it is hard to spare the price for even one gown, dyeing solves the problem. It's a heap better and cheaper to pay two dollars for coloring the old blue dress than it is to pay ten dollars for a new black one.

The principle—and the practice too—is the same in men's clothes—try it.

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Perfectly Ridiculous.

When we stop and think of how cheap we have been selling goods during the past month, it does seem funny, and no doubt you wonder why we do it, but when the snow turns into slush it takes either boats or bargains to bring the people out. We are out of boats at present but

Here are the Bargains:

They say White will soon tire of selling best Amoskeag and Lancaster Ginghams for 4½c., but we are still selling them at that price. Same way with Fruit, Dwight, Anchor and Lonsdale bleached muslin. You can still buy them for 7c. per yard.

Our annual sale of muslin underwear for ladies is now on. Two assortments, 25 and 50c—one-third under regular price.

Ladies' Ribbed Vests—One of the best bargains we have ever offered in ladies summer vests is on sale this week. Regular value 25c each; we will sell two for 25c. You will want them later, but now is the time to buy them.

Hosiery—10, 12, 15, 20c. is the price on four specials in children's hosiery. Every one is a bargain and well worth trying.

Housefurnishings—We are constantly adding many new and useful articles in our housefurnishing department, and 'twill pay you when in the store to look through this department. There is everything in crockery, glass and tinware, wood and willowware, etc.

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CHAPTER II.

SCHEMES IN THE LEGISLATURE.

"Another stroke and the heritage of Isabel Le Clair is mine, and not a single soul in the world shall ever know it. The governor of the state of New York signs the bills, and I become a millionaire! A millionaire! What am I saying? A multimillionaire I will be! And she will never dream that my millions are hers by right."

So spoke Francis Raymond, lawyer and politician, leader of his party in the county of Kings, which embraces Brooklyn.

We find him a visitor at Albany, the capital of the state. He is not there many hours before he is surrounded in his suit of rooms in the Delavan by senators, assemblymen and others whose influence is potent for good or bad in state and municipal government. He seldom visits Albany, except when more than usually interested in some legislation, and his word goes a great way, for he is a man of power. Hence the number and the character of his guests.

A man about 40 years of age, his commanding position has been won by shrewdness that has allowed him to pose as a public spirited citizen, while selfishness has really dominated all his actions. He is the controlling power behind one of the leading daily newspapers in his city—The Trumpet—and he secured for it, through special legislation, a large income for publication of corporation and other legal notices that guaranteed it support from the start.

The rival papers—there were three of them—could find no fault with this, for he very generously included them in his scheme at the expense of the taxpayers. This was a trick learned from the Tweed ring in New York, which paid over $3,000,000 for work that $70,000 covers now in the publication of the The City Record. In this way public opinion, as represented in the press, was at a low ebb and, as a result, the people were not disillusioned of the idea that the new order of things was anything but an honest, aye—magnanimous—deed of public officers who wanted to keep their constituents posted on their actions!

"Our city has grown rapidly," said Raymond to the legislators around him. "Our buildings are scattered over an area of 32 square miles and our population is close to 800,000. We have neglected the creation of parks, 'the lungs of the city' some one has styled them, and the people demand these improvements. I am up here to have a bill presented appointing a commission of three to outline a system of parks connected by a boulevard, to appraise and condemn property, with another measure giving the city officials authority to issue bonds to meet the expenditures. I have here the reports of public meetings suggesting and approving this, and as our county alone has to stand the cost there should be no objections."

He knew there would be none. A state convention of unusual importance would meet shortly after the close of the legislative session. His own delegation, by virtue of its numerical strength, would be much sought after and courted. Francis Raymond was known to be very modest at conventions. He never sought a state nomination for himself or his county, except when it was expedient to have a candidate for other purposes than nominating. In other words, he would invariably withdraw his man on assurances of legislative favor that would increase his patronage in his own district and strengthen his hold upon the local government and the party machine.

Thus are dictators made, clothing themselves with powers that only a revolution can set aside.

Next morning the bills were introduced in the senate and assembly. They were reported from the cities committee at the evening session, again read and passed, and were well on their way to the executive chamber to receive the signature that would make them the law of the land, before Francis Raymond thought of leaving Albany.

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He was not a bad looking man either. His exterior—dark features, with straight hair and imperial mustache and eyes almost coal black—might have suggested the nature of the man. But his suavity, his diplomacy, his erect carriage and general bearing repelled the suspicion that he was anything but a prince of good fellows.

"And Inez Mortimer," he mused, "expects me to make her my wife. What nonsense! I have millions in my hands. I need assume no burdens and throw aside the admiration and regard of many pretty girls for the love of one. I will not do it either! Her brother Phil I have made registrar of arrears, where he can enrich himself under my counsel. He will not complain, and I guess will reconcile her. I ought to make love to Isabel Le Clair, though, and marry her, just to ease my conscience! My conscience, I'm afraid its gone! Ha! Ha! That fellow, Mangan, confound him, is favored in that quarter! But time will tell whether he stands a show with me!"

He laughed. It was a hearty outburst, so sudden that it startled himself. He stood silent a few minutes, thinking whether or not his utterances had been as clear as his musical cachinnation—it was musical, for his vocal chords had been tuned by elocutionary art, and they sounded in harmony at all times, even in moments of greatest excitement.

"It is all right," he said to himself reassuringly. "No one will ever catch me telling how I know Isabel's history and acquired wealth that should be hers. All the papers are destroyed, she has not a living relative, and her property is all mine, and all mine by law. Just to think that her father's $50,000 investment in farm lands 21 years ago is worth millions today! Well, maybe I ought to marry Isabel, after all."

There are many men in public life today who think nothing of appropriating public funds to their own uses, and yet in private matters they are scrupulously honest. They would put their arms, metaphorically speaking, elbow deep into the city treasury, but wrong an individual they would not.

Raymond was not so sensitive as this, but the enormity of his injustice to the girl had touched him. He was never likely to relinquish his design, but he was moved by the beauty, the accomplishments and the utter helplessness of his victim. He had unconsciously been driven into a new field of philosophical speculation. Money, in his eyes, atoned for everything. Others could have place; he sought profit. As he himself lived, he judged his neighbors, and gold was to him a magic talisman to soothe away all pain. It must be such to others! Would he share his wealth with Isabel and in this way make atonement? Such a thought, possibly, prompted him to conclude his soliloquy with the remark:

"I'll think it over."

CHAPTER III.

A STIR IN A NEWSPAPER OFFICE.

The loud voiced gong that rang the alarms of fire in the office of the Brooklyn Daily Bugle had struck 12—the hour of midnight. The office is not what the readers of the paper have pictured it—the traditional title of sanctum sanctorum lifting it to a dignity in public imagination that it could not claim even under the latitudinous license of journalistic pretension.

The plate glass windows of the building facing the city hall are covered with gilt letters. The handles on the massive front doors are oxidized. The counters in the business office are of polished mahogany, and the railings from the cashier's desk to that of the advertising clerk are of heavy brass, of beautiful design, and shining almost like gold. Round the walls are elegant lithographs, so artistically framed and so neatly arranged that they seem to be the original masterpieces of which they are but copies.

Let us look behind the partition, running from floor to ceiling, that separates the richly decorated business office from the editorial and reportorial rooms, and shuts out from them light and air. The rich dress of the newspaper Cinderella turns into rags; not even the rubbing of Aladdin's lamp could work a stranger metamorphosis. The entrance is by a narrow hallway, such a hallway as you would find in a tenement where travel has worn the softer wood and the knots, refusing to sink beneath sole leather, stand up in gnarled determination to upset the unwary.

Entering a side door, the uninitiated is staggered by the sudden transition from the business palace to a miserable, stuffy, dingy apartment, where the intellectual force of the paper is both annalizing and analyzing the history of a day and molding the policy of decades, as the great presses in the basement below are about to awaken to breakfast on tons of paper while all the world is asleep.

Away off in the farther corner of the room is a boxlike arrangement formed by running two sides of a half partition up against the walls, completing the quadrangle that makes a private office for the managing editor. At a desk near the door of this little office is seated the night city editor. Two gas jets light a long table in the center of the room, where a number of reporters are seated, turning out stories of murder, suicide, fire, romance and intrigue that, after a few touches of the blue pencil, will read tomorrow like the classic productions of a feuilletonist who, unlike the reporter, is not hampered by facts nor hastened by time.

Against the walls are a few common desks of rude construction, and each has a gas jet to itself. At one sits the telegraph editor. The others are reserved for those who have risen to the distinction of department men, or specialists, to whom some particular feature of the paper, from religion to sports and politics, has been assigned. At one of these is Laurence Mangan. There has been a rush of big stories, the finishing paragraphs are awaited in the composing room, some articles must be cut down, the facts compressed into lesser space, for newspaper columns are not elastic. Mangan is pressed into duty as a copy reader.

"What do you think of that, Mangan?" asked the night editor, as he handed him a telegram from Albany announcing the passage at the evening session of the legislature of the bill appointing a commission to plan a system of city parks for Brooklyn and another to bond the city for the amount required.

"Think of it," he replied; "why, it is a conspiracy. It can be converted into a public benefit, but it is most likely to become a public swindle. These commissioners are Francis Raymond's men, and you can depend upon it he owns some property he wants to dispose of at a big price, or he knows people who own such and will pay him handsomely to get rid of it, if they themselves can get an advance above the current realty value. However, it will not do to say that now."

"Let us have a good story," he said, for every article is called a story in newspaper circles.

"Mangan," called out the managing editor, who had overheard Laurence's criticism, "when you finish that, I want to see you."

"All right," he responded.

Mangan went to his desk, and the paragraph of telegraphic matter in less than half an hour was an article no reader of The Bugle would overlook. It reviewed the origin of the movement, in which The Bugle played a prominent part, suggested the probable features of the new parks, outlined the prospects of pleasure and enumerated many little details of the system that would stir young and old into blissful anticipation of enjoyment, until, as Goldsmith said:

Those gentle hours that plenty bade to bloom
Those calm desires that asked but little room,
Those healthful sports that graced the peaceful scene,
Lived in each look and brightened all the green.

The article was finished, the head written, and after he had placed it on the desk of the night editor Mangan stepped into the office of the editorial chief, whose desk was covered with proofs which he had been reading.

"I heard your criticism of Raymond," the managing editor began. "I think you have not libeled him. Now, I want you to follow up this matter, go to the bottom of it, hunt up all the records, and whether or not your suspicions about Raymond are confirmed give us a page story, and I'll have an artist illustrate it. It is a subject in which there is great interest, and we'll run it on a Sunday, just as soon as you can get it ready."

"I don't care to do it," said Mangan.

"Why?

"I was going to ask leave of absence tomorrow for an indefinite period, and failing to receive it to tender my resignation."

If Laurence Mangan had had the least idea of Raymond's design and its inspiration, that assignment would have been accepted with alacrity. As it was, he knew nothing of its possibilities to him.

"What's the matter?" he was asked.

"I'm going west on private business. It is imperative."

"We've always treated you squarely," said the managing editor. "It was due you, of course, but here, in a matter of great importance, right in your department, you leave us just when we want you most. It isn't fair."

"What's the matter, old man?" asked the managing editor.

"Not fair?"

"No."

"May I go when I turn in this story?"

"Yes," was the reply, "and your position is always open to you while I am here."

"Then I'll do it, just to leave no reason for any one to say Laurence Mangan ever went back on his paper or his friendships."

"What's the matter, old man?" asked the managing editor, observing that Mangan acted like a man who was taking a long farewell of old scenes and old friends.

Mangan was certainly affected. He had decided to inquire into Isabel's antecedents, go west to discover, if possible, her father or some account of him that would clear up the mystery. He felt that if he failed he might never return, unless Isabel relented. A number of weird thoughts went whirling through his mind.

"I'm all right," he said to his chief. "I was a little put out to think that you accused me of not being fair."

"Fair! Everybody knows you're fair," was the editor's conciliatory answer. "Now, I'll show you I'm fair, too. I'll put another man on your department, and you just stick to this story until you have it all in hand."

"Thank you; good night," said Laurence.

"Good night. Take care of yourself," was the parting salutation.

"No fear of that."

Mangan stepped out into the dimly lighted hall and made his way to the street, bound for his lodgings. He looked up at the city hall clock. It was after 1. The morning was cold and a biting breeze was sweeping the thoroughfares. He buttoned his overcoat about him and glancing again at the time remarked:

"Well, I'll get up early, and if I don't give Raymond a shakeup before I leave town it is because he is a more honest man than I give him credit for, even if he is not as high minded and pure a citizen as the ring organ paints him!"

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8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazleton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

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TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 7.—W. S. Howland, of Denver, a brother-in-law of Miss Frances Davenport, the young lady who eloped from Elkhart, Ind., a few days ago with H. S. Sackett, a silhouette artist, formerly of Washington, D. C., arrived in Topeka last night and took charge of the young woman and will probably take her to Denver with him. C. J. Niggemyer, a Chicago policeman, also arrived this afternoon for the purpose of taking Sackett back to Chicago on a charge of larceny pending against him there. It is claimed by Miss Davenport's friends that Sackett is a hypnotist; that his influence over her is due to this power. If the young woman will consent to remain here and prosecute Sackett, he can be sent to the penitentiary under Kansas laws for betrayal.

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Mrs. J. R. Beardsley, and Miss Florence Davenport, of Elkhart, Ind., aunt and sister of Miss Frances Davenport, who eloped with H. A. Sackett, have retained counsel. If the couple were married Mrs. Beardsley says she will prosecute Sackett for bigamy, as he has a wife and three children in New Jersey. Sackett will be brought back and tried for embezzling $450 from the Monarch Cycle company.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Feb. 7.—Chief of Police Smith has received a telegram from the chief of police of Chicago, asking if H. Sackett was married. Sackett is the man who recently eloped with Miss Frances Davenport, daughter of the late Senator B. L. Davenport, of Elkhart, Ind. Sackett was here for some time, working as a silhouette artist. He was married and had with him here his wife and two children. Word to that effect was sent to Chicago.

JERSEY'S SENATORIAL MUDDLE

Republicans Refuse to Consent to the Arrest of Skirm.

TRENTON, N. J. Feb. 7.—The republican senate met again yesterday afternoon, but adjourned for the week without transacting any business. They refused to consent to the arrest of Senator Skirm, in order that the imbroglio might be transferred to the courts, and then the democrats began considering the advisability of arresting him anyhow, under the belief that he would be compelled to go to the supreme court for his release and that no writ of habeas corpus would be granted until the whole matter had been ventilated and the legality of the democratic senate passed upon. So far, however, the arrest has not been made.

Frozen to Death in Oklahoma.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Feb. 7.—The body of Walter Shaller, of Woodward, has been found in the Cheyenne and Araphoe reservation where he had been hunting. He froze to death during the recent blizzard. Word has just reached here of a family of five whose name is unknown, living in the wester part of the strip, the mother and two children perished and the father and a son were so badly frozen that it is feared they will die. They were living in a mere shanty with no fuel on hand and lay for some days after the storm before being discovered.

Meeting of Boston's Unemployed.

BOSTON, Feb. 7.—Another meeting of the unemployed was held on Boston common yesterday afternoon, when nearly 1,000 gathered around the soldiers monument and listened to speeches from several speakers. Those who addressed the crowd were H. I. Swift, Mrs. Merrifield, Mrs. Gunning, P. F. O'Neil and Rev. M. A. Casson, of Lynn. The addresses as a whole were temperate, those of Mrs. Merrifield and Mr. Casson being most anarchistic. A parade was made after the meeting with 1,000 in line.

Bills to Be Reported Favorably.

ALBANY, Feb. 7.—The senate cities committee will report favorably the following bills: Senator Bradley's, providing for the election of aldermen in Brooklyn by wards; Senator Guy's, three bills for the care of the trees in West End avenue and for the completion of Riverside and Cathedral parks, New York city; and Senator Robertson's, incorporating Sing Sing city.

Customs Receipts from Exhibits.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Collector Clark, of Chicago, reports that up to Jan. 30, customs receipts from foreign exhibits at the World's fair aggregated $835,385, and expenses in collecting the same, $217,622. At the date named, 48,273 foreign packages had been shipped or were ready for shipment, and 17,287 foreign packages were now prepared for customs inspection.

Druggists Will Stop Cutting Prices.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—At the special convention of the International Retail Druggists' league, held yesterday afternoon at Terrace garden, resolutions favoring the Detroit plan, designed to stop the sale of patent or proprietary medicines at "cut" rates by dry goods houses and not a few druggists, were adopted.

Guilty of Manslaughter.

NEWBURGH, N. Y., Feb. 7.—The jury in the case of Thomas Rogers, charged with manslaughter in the second degree in having caused the death of John Keelan Christmas eve, returned a verdict of guilty, with a recommendation for mercy.

FOY ON THE STAND.

Amusing Testimony in the Trial of Dan Coughlin.

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Andrew Foy, accused by his wife of conspiring with Daniel Coughlin and others to murder Dr. Cronin, and under police suspicion since May, 1889, is the star witness for the defense of those who have testified so far.

He was sharply questioned and his answers were given in a listless manner. Some of the questions put to him and his replies were:

"Did you, Andrew Foy, have anything on earth to do with the death or disappearance of Dr. Cronin?"

"I guess not."

"Did Dan Coughlin, to the best of your knowledge, have anything to do with this man's death?"

"No sir, to the best of my knowledge."

Court—You say "I guess not," as to the question regarding yourself. What do you mean by it?

"Well, I will correct that if you like. I am positive of it."

"Have you refused to give your wife a cent because she testified against you?"

"Certainly."

"How many children have you had?"

"We had fifteen altogether, so my wife tells me." (Laughter).

"Did you ever compose a poem entitled 'Martin, Dan and I,' glorifying the men who killed Dr. Cronin?"

"No, but I have seen such a poem. I am not a poet."

TO STOP FILIBUSTERING.

Democratic Congressmen Considering a Rule Providing for Fines.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The leaders of the majority of the house have had under consideration for some time the framing of a rule by which filibustering may be still further discouraged. They have not yet decided upon the phraseology of the rule, but their idea is to fine representatives who indulge in this practice. There was exhibited on the floor of the house today the draft of a rule to the following effect:

Upon a roll call which does not show a quorum voting, a previous call of the house having demonstrated the presence of a quorum in the chamber, the house may, upon the suggestion of any member, direct the clerk to certify to the sergeant-at-arms the names of representatives shown to be present and not voting, and their pay for that day shall be withheld.

Howland is Surely Alive.

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 7.—The mystery attending the disappearance, on December 29th, of Arthur P. Howland, of Boston, has been apparently cleared away by positive information that Mr. Howland is alive. W. F. Ellis, formerly Mr. Howland's partner, who is now in this city, admitted that he had received a telegram from Mr. Howland within a few hours. It was sent from a town in New Jersey and was signed "A. D. Vance." Mr. Ellis assumed that Mr. Howland's wife had also heard from him by this time.

McKane's Defense a Farce So Far.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Feb. 7.—McKane's defense has degenerated into a farce. A dozen of McKane's workers at Coney Island have so far been put on the stand. The number of these witnesses and the admissions they made on cross-examination showed that their employment as copyists was for the purpose of keeping Mr. Gaynor's men from getting at the lists. The spectators were convulsed with laughter at times, and Justice Bartlett rapped for order repeatedly.

Clarke Potter on Trial.

NEWPORT, R. I., Feb. 7.—The trial of Clarke Potter, alias William Stetson, alias Thomas Williams, alias "Bill the Brute," alias Pop Howard, for burglary at J. W. Ellis' residence here August 17th, was continued to-day. Every seat in the court room was occupied. Potter's force of witnesses, gathered from various parts of the country, by whom he expects to prove an alibi, has been increased now to a dozen.

Released Under $25,000 Bail.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Morris Spiegel, the wholesale liquor dealer, who was sentenced to state prison on Dec. 27, 1892, for presenting a false claim for insurance money and was last week committed to the tombs to await the decision of the court of appeals in his case, has been admitted to bail in the sum of $25,000.

Accused of Killing Her Husband.

DENVER, Feb. 7.—Mrs. Allie Block Carr has been arrested upon a charge of complicity in the murder of her husband, Harry Carr, a well-known attorney of this city. Bessie Sherwood, a close friend of Mrs. Carr, "Teddy" Dolson, Jim Tracey and a man named "Dutch" are also held for examination.

Sealing Vessels Off for Behring Sea.

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 7.—A report from Victoria, B. C., states that 51 sealing vessels are on their way to the hunting grounds. It is understood the United States government will commission four naval cruisers to assist the revenue cutters in the patrol of Behring sea.

You hear a great deal about oatmeals as good as H-O.

Do you ever hear that H-O is as good as some others?

KING REX GOES HOME

Close of the Mardi Gras Festival at New Orleans.

The Grand Carnival Terminates Early This Morning With the Ending of Two Big Balls—Thousands of People View the Pageant of the Krewe of Comus.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 7.—The climax of the carnival festivities was reached last night when fully 100,000 people thronged the streets, a goodly number of whom were masked, to witness the gorgeous pageant of the Krewe of Comus. The subject portrayed was one with which all are familiar—fairy stories of all nations, collected under the title of "Once upon a time." The cars were all ingeniously arranged and depicted. The grand balls of both Rex and Comus, the one at the Royal palace and the other at the French Opera house, were held last night and their termination in the early hours of this morning was the end of the carnival until next year.

The Albany Burgess corps left at midnight on their special train for home. They will stop in Washington where they will be given a reception by the president. The Boston lancers will not start for home until Friday.

His majesty, Rex, was in full possession of his royal carnival city during the entire day and New Orleans turned aside from business to pay homage to the king of mirth. Mardi Gras is a legal holiday in the state, and all the banks, exchanges, public buildings and stores were closed. There were present in the city many distinguished strangers who watched the parade from the clubs and other points of vantage along the route. The visiting soldiers took no part in the procession but were enjoying the novel sights on the streets.

Rex, this year, took from the great poems and story tellers of ancient and modern times material to make up the theme of literature illustrated by his pageant. There were 19 floats in the procession.

M'LAURIN FOR SENATOR.

Mississippi's Democratic Caucus Deadlock Broken.

JACKSON, Miss., Feb. 7.—A. J. McLaurin, of Rankin county, was last night nominated by the democratic caucus to succeed Gen. E. C. Walthall, in the United States senate. The friends of Taylor, Campbell and Lowry held a conference in the afternoon to determine which is the strongest man. After several ballots Taylor developed the most strength, which resulted in the withdrawal of Lowry and Campbell, and the 67th and last ballot was taken. It resulted: McLaurin, 73; Taylor, 2.

As the delegates were not pledged to abide by the action of the conference, and so only the names of McLaurin and Taylor were mentioned.

Tanner Undergoes Another Operation

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—An operation was performed on Corporal James Tanner's stumps at the Seney hospital yesterday afternoon by Drs. Geo. R. Fowler, R. B. Delateur, W. F. Campbell and R. B. Cameron. The reamputation consisted of the removal of two and a half inches from each stump where they were pressed by the artificial limbs. Mr. Tanner seemed somewhat exhausted after the operation. He is now resting very quietly.

Solving an Old Railway Mystery.

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 7.—Detective John Gregory is at work on a clue furnished him recently by an old woman named Margaret Grace which he thinks will solve the mystery surrounding the murder of Mary Dorman in March, 1888. William Keech was strongly suspected at the time, but was never actually charged with it. Mrs. Grace's story makes his guilt seem more certain. Keech's whereabouts are unknown.

Rhode Island Odd Fellows.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 7.—The grand lodge of the state of Rhode Island I. O. O. F., at its annual session here, chose the following officers: Grand master, Jos. E. C. Farnham; deputy grand master, Geo. F. Mackinnon; grand warden, Admiram J. Cushing; grand secretary, William H. T. Moseley; grand treasurer, Stephen O. Randall; grand representative, Peter J. Trumpler.

Coal Company's Earnings.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 7.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Huntington & Broadtop Mountain Railroad and Coal company was held yesterday. In his report President Janey showed the net earnings for the year to have been $372,603, an increase of $2,335 over the amount earned in 1892.

A Woman Bookmaker Arrested.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Mrs. Albertina Eichhorn, a Swiss widow, 58 years old, is was arrested at her home and locked up charged with making books on races. Mrs. Eichhorn's place, which has been in operation since last Friday, has been thronged ever since that time.

In a Receiver's Hands.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—David M. Ripley has been appointed receiver for the firm of Copeland & Bacon, manufacturers of hoisting machinery in this city, with branches in Philadelphia and Chicago, in proceedings to dissolve the partnership.

Weekly Payment Law Violated.

ALBANY, Feb. 7.—Factory Inspector Connolly has decided to bring action against the Genesee Salt company of Livingston county, of which a Mr. Piffard is president, for violations of the law providing for weekly payment of employes.

English Pilgrims Start for Jerusalem

LONDON, Feb. 7.—The English pilgrims to Jerusalem, under the leadership of the Rev. Dr. Lunn, have started on their journey.

Troops Leaving Sicily.

ROME, Feb. 7.—Three battalions of troops which went to Sicily on the outbreak of the recent troubles there have returned to their former garrisons.

Deposits for the New Bonds.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Deposits to date at the sub-treasury for the new government bonds amount to $61,144,850.75.

MANY WEARY MOTHERS.

TIRED WOMEN WHOSE NERVOUS ENERGY IS NOT ENOUGH.

The Sense of Exhaustion that Paine's Celery Compound Readily and Permanently Cures—The Experience of Mrs. Butler as She Tells It.

There are many weary mothers and tired young women who never have nervous energy enough to carry them through the day.

A sense of exhaustion comes from protracted in-door labor, the absence of pure air and sunshine.

To meet the needs of these spendthrifts of nerve force and vitality, Paine's celery

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compound has been prepared. New strength, new life and new health comes to the whole system.

Paine's celery compound is the result of the life-long study and experience of one of the ablest physicians of his day, Prof. Edward E. Phelps, M. D., LL. D., of Dartmouth college.

His experience was one of the largest, his scientific knowledged surpassed that of any practitioner of this generation.

Prof. Phelps first prescribed Paine's celery compound, the remedy that gives strength to the weak, that makes the sick to be well, that gives food to the nerves, that enriches impoverished blood, that cures rheumatism, kidney complaints, liver troubles and all diseases that arise from an impaired nervous system, the remedy that is incomparably the greatest in the world.

Thousands it has made well. Here is what Mrs. E. D. Butler of Cleveland, O., says:

"I have used Paine's celery compound for headache and it gives immediate relief. I had used several kinds of headache drops and powders, and at last tried Paine's celery compound which helped me at once. I think it is the best remedy for the nerves that I ever tried, and I have used several kinds."

To Be Favorably Reported.

ALBANY, Feb. 7.—The senate finance committee will report favorably on the following nominations made by Governor Flower: Manager of the Western house of refuge for women at Albion, Mrs. Ellen W. Ramsdale; manager of the Thomas asylum for orphan and destitute Indian children, Mrs. Lilly Lord Tift; manager of the State industrial school at Rochester, Beecker L. Hovey; trustee of the Middletown State hospital, Timothy C. Allen; manager of the Buffalo State hospital, William S. Tremaine of Buffalo. These nominations will probably be confirmed in the senate to-day.

Three Times a Bigamist at 18.

HENDERSON, Ky., Feb. 7.—Mrs. Cora Livers has been convicted of bigamy by the Simpson county court at Franklin, Ky. She is but 18 years old and has been married to the fourth husband within the past two years without having secured a divorce from any. She is the daughter of a prosperous farmer of Macon county, Tenn., and eloped with and deserted all of her husbands except No. 4, a young druggist of Franklin, Ky., who is exerting himself to obtain her release.

Shipping Pulp to England.

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 7.—The arrival of the big Norwegian steamship Gerald marks an important event in Maine's latest and most important industry, the manufacture of paper pulp. The Gerald has been chartered to carry 1,200 tons of pulp to Fleetwood, Eng., from the Moosehead Pulp company, whose plant is located up in the Moosehead region.

Governor and Mrs. Flower Receive.

ALBANY, Feb. 7.—Governor and Mrs. Flower held the annual reception at the executive mansion last night. Several thousand invitations had been issued and few regrets were received. The governor and Mrs. Flower were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Lieut. Governor Sheehan, Mrs. John B. Taylor and Mrs. Frederick T. Halsey.

Killed Himself in Prison.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 7.—Dr. Frederick Meisterfeldt, a notorious malpractitioner, committed suicide yesterday by hanging himself in his cell at the Eastern penitentiary, where he was serving a seven years' sentence for causing the death of a young married woman on January 6, 1893.

West Point Cadet Injured.

WEST POINT, N. Y., Feb. 7.—Cadet William Kelly, of Texas, a third class man, while going through the hurdle exercise in the riding hall yesterday afternoon, fell from his horse and was severely injured.

Prohibition Victory in Ontario.

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 7.—Returns from all parts of Ontario, giving the vote on the recent prohibition plebiscite, show a total majority in favor of prohibition of 21,730.

One of the Crew Lost.

BOSTON, Feb. 7.—Fishing schooner Unique, just arrived, reports loss overboard of her crew, Frank Kennedy, during a terrific storm on Jan. 31.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Dr. Cooley is cutting ice on his pond near the Sanitarium.

—Valentines in endless variety; Harper's, 411 Park avenue.

—Several weddings are privately announced to take place in April.

—A large force of men worked all night long cutting ice on Tier's pond.

—J. H. Wilson is gathering ice and carting it to New Market for storage.

—The regular meeting of the Board of Trade will be held tomorrow evening.

—Edsall's store in the new Babcock Building has been promised by March 1.

—An entertainment will be given by the Victor Wheelmen in St. Mary's Hall, the evening of Feb. 22.

—The officers of the Epworth League will hold a cabinet meeting at the home of Dr. Barnes tomorrow evening.

—The remaining half of the old engine house on the property next to the new Babcock Building is being torn down.

—Edward C. Mulford broke ground this morning for a new house on East Fifth street opposite the Bryant school.

—A bicycle rider who rode on the sidewalk on West Front street last evening was fined $1 in the City Court this morning.

—The Central Railroad are cutting down the embankment on East Third street, and the sidewalk will soon be in shape for use.

—Ice cutting is carried on day and night on Lake Hopatcong. Eighteen car loads of ice went down on the Long Branch road yesterday.

—Don't eat at home tomorrow night, but instead go to the rainbow tea in Trinity Church. Such decorations, such merry-making, and such lots to eat!

—The Plainfield Cold Storage Company have ordered 6,000 tons of ice from Lake Hopatcong. According to word received yesterday, it is now eight inches deep.

—Warren Engine Company, No. 1, had a regular meeting in the engine house last evening and transacted the routine business. Refreshments and story-telling followed.

—Young W. E. Vail found the pension papers of Samuel K. Doty on West Front street, between Plainfield avenue and Lafayette place, yesterday afternoon and returned them to the veteran.

—An axle on one of Boice, Runyon & Co's lumber wagon broke on West Front street near Madison avenue yesterday afternoon. Both tracks were blocked and the electric cars delayed for twenty minutes.

—A man came from New York on the 8:48 train this morning with a large dish of honey for the Hotel Netherwood. He placed it upon the seat beside him and it fell to the floor and broke. He said his loss was $20.

—The Christian Endeavor society of the Park Avenue Baptist Church will observe Endeavor Day, Friday evening, by holding appropriate exercises. They will follow the programme given in the Golden Rule, and an interesting time is promised.

—The Epworth League is arranging to give at the regular meeting on Friday evening, February 16, a unique entertainment entitled "The Festival of Days" in which each day of the month will be represented by a member of the League in costume.

—Two drunken tramps visited Fanwood yesterday afternoon and endeavored to get into several houses in which only the women were at home. Each would knock on one door of a dwelling at the same time. They were unsuccessful and went west.

—Andrew Vanderbeek, who has been making his home in the country for some time past, was in town yesterday on business which may bring him and his family back to this city. He was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Miller, East Fifth street.

—Trainer Peter Osborne drove a two year old trotting colt owned by Philip Sheridan a quarter in forty seconds on a half mile track last week. The sire of the colt is J. Wesley Johnson's $3,500 Stamboul. A match may be arranged with one of Michael Quinn's fast colts.

—Justice Charles K. Moore, of Fanwood, has issued summons to be served by Special Constable Henry Cook on the delinquent taxpayers of the township, to have them appear before him in regard to payment of taxes in Excelsior Hall, between 9 a. m. and 6 p. m. next Saturday. Those who do not comply will be liable to arrest.

—Persons who are afflicted with headaches or pain or itching in their eyes or who cannot see well should not hesitate to call on Leech, Stiles & Co., the famous Philadelphia Eye Specialists and successors in Plainfield to Queen & Co., at 7 East Front street, from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. tomorrow, Thursday. Examinations are free and all glasses ordered are guaranteed.

—The changing of the switch at the corner of Somerset street by the conductor every time a westbound Front street car reaches that point is liable to cause an accident. When the car stops the conductor runs forward and the car starts as he throws the switch. The rear platform is left unguarded, and a passenger who steps on, not knowing the car will start suddenly, runs a risk of being thrown down. A woman narrowly escaped falling this morning, but managed to retain her balance.

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure only 1c a dose; 25c, 50c, $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 208 North ave., opp. station.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation; 25c, 50c, $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 208 North ave., opp. station.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn, says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life: I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble; 50c. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 208 North avenue, opp railroad station.

SAVED THE SHANTY.

Rescued from Fire, Only So Torn Torn Down in the Spring.

A fire on East Front street early this morning destroyed the contents of a store and imperilled the lives of two families.

R. Frucht keeps a series of stores, 220, 222 and 224 East Front street, in the lower part of an old two-story shanty owned by Jacob Voehl. He shows select stock of shoes, stoves, soft drinks, stationery and dry goods. His more valuable stock is kept in the store at 220, and over this he dwells.

Mr. Frucht went to Philadelphia last night, leaving his wife home with two children. Mrs. Frucht was awakened shortly before 3 this morning by the cries of the baby and awoke in a room filled with smoke. She ran out with the children and alarmed the colored family who live upstairs over the other stores.

A colored man named Belmont was aroused and ran to the fire department headquarters, shouting as he went. He hammered on the doors and the drivers came down the poles and hitched the horses.

Meanwhile Policeman Cooney had heard the sound of breaking glass from Watchung avenue as the store front blew out. He sent an alarm from Box 12. The gong sounded just as engine, hose wagon and truck No. 2 left the house.

As they had answered a still alarm, and the volunteers were not yet around, the firemen could do nothing at first as the drivers had their horses to care for. The store was filled with flames. Alert Hose Co., No 1, followed with an extra man, others began to arrive and three lines of hose were stretched from the four-way hydrant opposite the First Presbyterian Church.

The fire was soon extinguished, but the place was still full of smoke, and Chief Doane, who came up in Liveryman Roberts's wagon, had the windows of the second story smashed to be certain that the fire was out. Two lengths of hose belonging to Company No. 2 burst.

It is supposed that the fire started from a large brass hanging lamp, the bell of which probably fell and allowed the flame to ignite the ceiling or to overheat the oil.

The goods in the store were almost totally destroyed. They were insured for $1,500 in several companies, through M. M. Dunham. The walls of the store were burned badly in several places and the front and the cornice ruined. Mr. Voehl has carried no insurance on the building for several years. A month ago he arranged to have the house torn down in the spring and three brick store and flat buildings erected.

BY THE WAY.

—The local ice crop is 7 inches thick.

—Account books of all kinds; Harper's, 411 Park avenue.

—Iona Council, Daughters of Pocohantas, will meet tonight.

—The liquor license applications are published on Page 4 today.

—Frank W. Runyon's house on West Fourth street is being painted.

—Fred Conde says that the name Fred Conde in a court case yesterday should have been Jacob Conde.

—The ground floor of the new Babcock Building is being temporarily enclosed, preparatory to plastering.

—Marvin C. Valentine, meat marketman, has leased the burned-out restaurant on Park avenue and is moving in now.

—Car 2 of the street railway ran off the track at the West Front street switch this afternoon. Car 3 drew it on again.

—W. T. Kirk bought a five-year-old chestnut mare at the auction in the American Institute Building, New York, yesterday.

—The game scheduled between the Dunellens and the Lincolns of Jersey City for last night in Greenville was postponed.

—A pony being led by a boy had an attack of blind staggers at the corner of Madison avenue and Fourth street yesterday afternoon.

—Justice Nash today issued a summons, returnable Feb. 19, in the case on contract of Howell against Sebring. The case in tort of Smith against Weber will be heard Feb. 14.

—The Library Directors last night voted to ask for $3,000 as the annual appropriation, to replace worn out books, and to procure $2,000 additional insurance on its Babcock Estate property.

—The club cab from Dunster's livery stable broke down at the corner of Washington avenue and Front street this morning and several commuters had to walk to the 7:58 train. The car track was responsible for the broken wheel.

—An evening sociable will be held in the Fanwood Club House, on South avenue, near the Fanwood station, Tuesday evening, February 20. The committee consists of Messrs. W. S. Harrison, Clarence Lambert and H. L. Randolph. Sam. Frazee will furnish music.

—After a year of persistent effort by Street Commissioner Meeker, the Jersey Central Railroad Company has begun the building of a stone wall along the embankment at East Third street and Watchung avenue. It will be 100 feet long, and 7 feet high, of broken ashler. The next improvement will be sodding the embankment.

—Rev. Arthur Crane will be the evangelistic preacher in the First Presbyterian Church tonight. Last night's sermon was by Rev. A. W. Halsey, on St. John 3:16. The result of his earnest pleadings was a number of converts. These meetings continue in power and results. If you have n't been, go.

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The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Roan was quietly celebrated by a family gathering at their home with Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Flanagan, of 522 West Fifth street, last night. The evening was pleasantly passed by the representatives of three generations and marked well the end of half a century of married happiness. The march to supper was led by Mr. and Mrs. Roan, and was accompanied on the piano by their granddaughter, Miss Margaret Flanagan.

Among those who were there were: Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Flanagan, Peter Flynn and daughter Miss Margaret Flynn, Mr. and Mrs. John Flynn, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Carney, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Flynn, Mr. and Mrs. John Moynihan and Miss Kathie Moynihan, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gardiner of Hornellsville, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. James Conneely, Mr. and Mrs. Tettemer of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. John Millett of Newark, and the Misses May, Margaret, Kittie, Lizzie, Loretta Flanagan and Miss Mary Loftus.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

John Valiant of Craig place is on a business trip to Chicago.

Dr. Voorhees of Somerville was in town yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Apgar, of Elmwood place, is confined to his home by illness.

The widow of the late Dr. South is visiting friends in this city.

John Kyle of 409 Watchung avenue was reported to be much worse this afternoon.

Rev. F. H. Wright, evangelist, left town yesterday on the 3:12 train for New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Townsend Fellows of Albany are visiting Mr. Fellows's mother and sister at 87 Duer street.

Thomas H. Keene, the famous tragedian, will appear in Music Hall, Feb. 15—probably as Richard III.

Engineer Davis, who runs a Buffalo express on the D. L. and W. Railroad, was visiting friends in town yesterday.

Capt. P. E. Stuart has returned to his home on Richmond street, after a four-months trip to Para, Brazil, and Cuba.

Mrs. Alexander Grant, a teacher in the Third Street Mission, will entertain her class of girls at her home on Third street this evening.

Choirmaster Cheeswright of Holy Cross Church will give a free organ recital tomorrow afternoon at 3, and one every Wednesday thereafter.

Mrs. Effie M. Compton, of 319 West Second street, was reported to be in a critical condition this morning, although she passed the night very favorably.

Dr. F. Fleischauer, a partner of Druggist A. M. Hebard, came to town today with his family. He will occupy a house on LaGrande avenue near Franklin place

Rev. N. H. Whittlesey who has been appointed by the National Council of Congregational Churches and present the cause of ministerial relief will speak in the Congregational Church this evening.

George Snediker, who is attending school at Pennington, was taken ill with the grip over a week ago, and his parents went to the school and brought him to their home, 110 Grove street. He is now nearly well.

Wm. M Stillman has become owner of the Ryerson brick building on Somerset street, through the purchase of a mortgage held by the Rev. Edward Embury estate. The price paid is $7,000, which is considered low.

Ten tables were occupied with progressive euchre players in the Park Clubhouse yesterday afternoon. The party was given by Mrs. George C. Evans, and was a charming affair. Smilax and palms made artistic decorations. The prize-winners were: First—Mrs. Hopkinson. Second—Mrs. Lincoln. Third—Mrs. Faber.

The Euchre Club had its first meeting last night at the home of Mrs. J. T. Scott. Four tables were filled, and after spirited play the prizes were awarded as follows; First—Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Kaufman. Second—Geo. C. Evans and Mrs. S. St. J. McCutchen. Booby—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Roome. The Club will meet every two weeks, at the homes of the members.

Miss Jemima Hillyer of 103 Duer street, aged more than 80, was found on the floor of her bed room, at 8 yesterday morning, suffering from a slight stroke of paralysis. Dr. Carman was promptly called, and is doing all in medical power. She will probably be taken to the Hospital. The patient is one of Dr. Yerkes's congregation, and a teacher in the First Baptist Sunday-school.

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for the young girl just entering womanhood. She is especially sensitive, and many nervous troubles, which continue through life, have their origin at this period. If there be pain, headache, and nervous disturbances, of irregularity of monthly functions Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription should be judiciously employed.

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DEATHS.

KLINE—In North Plainfield, Monday, Feb 5, 1894, Mrs. Catharine V Kline, in her 81st year. Funeral services from the residence of her son-in-law, Alexander Willett, No. 28 Craig place, Thursday, Feb. 8, at 1 p. m.

ROSES,

Carnations and violets. F. W. MILES, Somerset st., near Johnston's drive. P. O. Box 695. 1 11 1m

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WANTED—A roomy house within 10 minutes walk of station; will lease if satisfactory. Address with terms and particulars, H., care Press. 2 7 2

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WANTED—A competent white girl to do general housework. Call at 91 Rockview avenue. 2 7 2

FOUND—2 electros of bicycle; copyrighted, '94. Call at this office.

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Gowns that were $1.67, now $1.49.

One lot ladies' fast black cotton hose at 19c, were 25c; one lot ladies' wool hose at 17c., were 23c; one lot ladies' black cashmere hose at 21c., 29c., 40c., were 25c., 35c., 50c; one lot men's Scotch wool gloves at 39c., were 50c; one lot men's Scotch wool gloves at 29c., were 35c.

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For 3c. a Quart, or 2 Quarts for 5c.

Also by the bowl served at the table. This will be continued until further notice. 2 3 tf

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Ladies' Kid Button were $3.00, now $2.50; ladies' pat tip button were $2.50 now $2; misses' spring button were $2, now $1 50; men's cork sole bals were $6 now $5; men's cork sole bals were $5, now $4; men's winter Russia bals were $5, now $3.50; men's patent leather bals were $5, now $4.

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There is no better time to build a house than now. Men want work; you can build cheaply and at the same time help others. 1 10 tf

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Second quarter opens Friday, Jan. 19, 8 p. m. Those desiring to enter address Hulett's Music Store or at hall Tuesdays and Fridays 3 to 5 p. m.

DELEGATES FROM EVERY CLIME.

Vincent Chapel the Scene of a Cosmopolitan Gathering.

If any one had stepped into Vincent Chapel last evening he would have come to the conclusion that nearly every nation of the earth had sent a delegate decked in all the finery of native costume, to a convention, which at the request of the Young Ladies Mission Circle, was giving a novel form of entertainment known as the "Plea of the Nations".

Fifty young ladies dressed in a native costume sang, recited and gave tableaux for the benefit of an audience which filled Vincent Chapel and were much amused at varied and unique costumes. Every country was represented, from the Esquimeau in her snow white furs to the dusky inhabitant of the wilds of tropical Africa. The two delegates from China and Hindoostan, Miss Mulford and Miss Davis sang sweetly in their native tongue. Conde's Symphony Orchestra was present and scored a decided hit. Each of the selections was encored, and many compliments were paid to these rising young players.

Harold Greenleaf, a young man in leather leggings and large white collar, recited in a most unaffected manner and aroused much amusement by the way he emphasized his words.

The solo by Miss. Mulford was very enjoyable. By special request she sang again later in the evening and appeared to better advantage. She was accompanied by Mr. Mulford.

Miss Anna Teale, the talented elocutionist, gave one of her charming selections and as a result was encored.

A few tableaux were given. The one entitled "Our Sisters" took best and was repeated.

The evening's entertainment ended with the singing of "America" in which the audience joined.

Below is the programme:

Processional and Chorus.....Fifty Voices
Song in Hindoostanee.....Miss May Mulford

PLEA OF NATIONS.

Florence Barnes.....Columbia
Edna French.....Indian
Mary Lucky.....Mexico
Mary Linbarger.....South America
Hattie Smith.....Esquimau
Sadie Blimm.....African
Bertha Moore.....Ceylon
Lulu Packer.....Micronesia
Lucy Davis.....China
May Mulford.....Hindustan
Gussie Newman.....Italy
Lottie Clark.....Japan
Alice Jenkins.....Turkey
Chorus—Japan.
Selection—Tarantella Sicilienne.....Orchestra
First violins—Fred Goddard, Clarence Mills, Charlie Davis, Ludwig Conde.
Cornet—Raymond McGee.
'Cello—Fermine Ferrer.
Pianist—Stuart Smith.
Recitation—"The Four Rupees".
Harold Greenleaf
Solo.....Mrs. A. H. Mulford
Recitation.....Miss Anna Teale
Song in Chinese—"When He Cometh".
Miss Lulu Davis
Chorus—China.
Selection—"Martha".....Orchestra
Tableaux—Japanese Family at Tea. Japanese Musicians. Hindu Water Bearer. Our Sisters.
Chorus—Africa.
"America."

FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Librarian's Report for January, 1894.

Volumes on accession-book, Dec. 31, 1893	12,139
" added by purchase	11
" " gift	19
Volumes now in the library	12,159
Number of card-holders	2,986
Cash rec'd from fines and sales	$14.84
" " " non-resident subscriptions	$1.00
Cash received from sale of catalogues	24.00
Home Circulation.	
Fiction	1249
Juvenile	362
Biography	126
Travel	167
Philosophy	14
Religion	16
Sociology	39
Philology	1
Natural science	54
Useful arts	26
Fine arts	53
Literature	183
History	158
General works	15
Total	2,488
Total circulation, Jan., 1893	1,858
Gain	630

Visitors to the building, 3,495.

The circulation for this month, 2,488, is the largest number of books ever circulated in one month.

GIFTS DURING THE MONTH.

January 6—Princeton College Catalogue, 1893-94.

January 9—Myer's The voice and vocal reinforcement, from Miss Bronson, (2 vols.)

January 13—U. S. Bureau of American republics, Uruguay and Bolivia, (2 vols.)

January 13—U. S. War Dept. Rebellion records, from J. W. Murray, (1 vol.)

January 15—U. S. Civil service commission; 9th annual report 1891-92, (1 vol.)

Jaunry 18—Brother Azarias Philosophy of Literature, from O. F. Adams, (1 vol.)

January 24—City of Elizabeth, N. J., from H. Stafford.

January 24—U. S. Bureau of animal industry, 8th and 9th reports (1 vol.)

January 25—N. J. Geological Survey, report 1892, (1 vol.)

January 27—King's Handbook of New York, from J. W. Murray, (1 vol.)

Jaunry 30—National Museum, Proceedings, 1892.

E. L. ADAMS,
Librarian.

Westfield Whipped by the Parks.

On the Park Club alleys last night the Parks defeated the Westfields after an interesting game by forty-four pins. The Westfields led in the first frame, but lost their position in the second, and were not able to recover it.

The score:

PARK CLUB.		WESTFIELD.	
Lyman	160	Baker	172
Sandford	131	Chamberlain	122
Reed	181	Marsh	125
McQuaide	115	Decker	158
Randolph	159	Cash	118
Chapman	155	Shove	193
Brown	176	Rice	138
Worth	199	Love, I.	178
Thiers	145	Love, E.	190
Matthews	179	VanWinkle	142
	1600		1556

There is nothing superior to Salvation Oil for the relief and cure of wounds of all kinds. Its effects is marvelous. 25c.

3,000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from C. W. Maxon, Farina, Ills., says: "I consider your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have been in the drug business fourteen years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal satisfaction." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents.

EVERYONE, GO!

This Is a Rare Opportunity for Intelligent Investigation of the Best Form of Balloting.

Miss Spence, the Australian novelist, educationist, philanthropist, and missionary of electoral reform and "Effective Voting", will lecture on her favorite subjects in All Souls Church tomorrow evening at 8. *It is a great thing for Plainfield* to have this famous woman visit the town and tell what she knows about the *superior voting methods* which the United States is bound to adopt. The South Australian Register says of her:

"Miss Spence is a prophetess who has honor in her own country. Few colonists, men or women, nativeborn or introduced are better qualified to represent this province or for that matter to represent Australia in the intellectual circles of the older countries of the world. * * * Very few public men in Australia, and certainly no other woman, have shown such breadth of view and such unostentatious zeal in the service of the public as Miss Spence has displayed. As novelist she has entertained and instructed all sorts and conditions of readers in and far beyond South Australia. As an educationist she ranks high amongst the most distinguished in that useful branch of knowledge. In philanthropy and particularly in that important part of it which vitally concerns State children she is equally prominent. It is no insignificant fact in these days when political position is so often deemed to give the highest if not the only little to public success that we should be able to say that in the whole colony there is nobody better qualified than Miss Spence to speak upon the subjects which she will discuss during her travels.

"But of all the objects of her unique mission her 'Effective Vote' propaganda will naturally be that upon which she will expend the greatest amount of energy. This plan of electoral reform is in her heart as well as in her head and there is probably no more competent exponent of it living than she is. In any circumstances the advent of an Australian lady lecturer upon such a subject in the United States, which have recently adopted the Australian ballot, would be a *matter of public interest*, but the fame of Miss Spence in connection with electoral reform has preceded her to America as well as to Canada and this fact will naturally increase her opportunities for giving and obtaining information."

Others speak of Miss Spence as follows:

"Electoral Reform—The transferable vote—The question of electoral reform is a live question and the experiments thus far made with the Australian ballot will, it seems to me, increase the public desire to hear what an Australian woman who understands the subject may have to say about it."—Frederick Howard Wines.

"Through the efforts of Miss Spence, a distinguished Australian woman, who is enthusiastic on the subject of proportional representation, a league to promote it was organized in Chicago last summer. Among its members are Professor Richard Ely, Charles Francis Adams and many others equally eminent. "Miss Spence will bring with her on Thursday copies of the constitution of the American Proportional Representation League and other documents explaining the "effective vote" and Minority Representation.

"Proportional representation which would secure for minorities direct and visible expression by their own agents in all legislative assemblies begins to be a topic attracting increasing popular attention. Miss Spence the veteran and able agitator for this noble reform will address a meeting in Plainfield, Thursday evening, February 8. This perfecting of representative self-government, evidently the next step of progress to be taken by the English-speaking people who are models in self-government for all the rest of the nations, strangely enough comes from Australia; and not strangely either considering the Australian ballot, which has gone so far toward emancipation of voters from bossism and from espionage and pressure of employers upon wage-earners."—Boston Evening Transcript.

Lis Second Knock-Down.

An accident occurred on Park avenue near Second street, yesterday afternoon about 4:30. James McFadden, who works on the streets, was busy as usual, when a horse and wagon came around the corner of Second street, the occupants of the wagon called to McFadden to get out of the way, but he did not move, and in consequence was knocked down, although the horse was walking. Policeman Giese was called, and finally took the parties to the Chief's office, where a settlement was effected, after much persuasion.

Charles Fay, one of the guilty men, finally decided to give McFadden $3 in payment for his damages, which he did not accept, however, till his boss, Street Commissioner Meeker, said it was all right.

This is the second time McFadden has been injured in this manner.

A 'Possum Dinner.

Two colored Johns ate dinner at Fred Allison's house on Madison avenue yesterday. They managed to devour a fifteen-pound 'possum, a peck of sweet and half a peck of common potatoes, two loaves of home-made bread, two quarts of tea and a quart of cranberry sauce. Allison found nothing but the head of the 'possum left when he returned and promised the feasters that they would not return very soon.

Beware of imitations. Take no "just as good." See that you get the genuine Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, the perfect specific.

New Orleans Mardi Gras.

Low excursion rates from Washington, and through sleeper from Plainfield daily. Address L. J. Ellis, 317 A, Broadway, N. Y., or Edward Nelson, ticket agent, Plainfield. 31 6

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.

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Highest awards—Medal and diploma at World's Fair. These unexcelled Soups will be on exhibition for the week commencing Monday, Jan. 29. They will be served hot. Please call and try them.

They Have No Equal.

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"JUNE."

She Is a Daisy from Indiana, and Meets Plainfield Folks Tonight.

A quaint assortment of feminine raiment, many sizes too large for the petite body they adorn, appears atop of the garden fence of the Indiana homestead on Music Hall stage tonight, a grimacing face peers out from a bonnet fashionable a generation ago, the virtuously skirted limbs of the subject find an easy resting-place on the surface of the hemlock logging, and "June", the principal figure of Joseph Arthur's "Blue Jeans", is introduced to the audience.

"Who you be ?"—asks old "Tutewiler", the homestead's cobbling tenant.

"A good thing"—says "June".

And she tells the truth.

The characterization of this hoyden, woman, wife, and all but widow, has never been approached in all the contributions of latter day dramatists.

Nor is she the only good thing in the play.

In the coarse but expressive vernacular, the play is chock full of good things.

It is what a drama should be—action—action, always. It presents to theatregoers a type of people never before reproduced, is brimful of quaint comedy, and in its sawmill offers a realism sufficiently realistic to satisfy the most sanguine.

We are made acquainted with a whole village of quaint people found in the backwoods of Indiana, are allowed to peer into their lives, loves and politics, are told a tale of passion and pathos that is so cleverly interspersed with comedy that the bidden tear is checked by irresistible mirth before it can leave its duct.

A bull, barbecue, horse, dog, brood of *pigeons are among its materialisms*, and its humor is ventilated by a half-dozen quaint characters of the village of Rising Sun, Ind., a rustic band of country "Boarders", and a group of village songsters who know how to sing. It would be unjust to the author of a play that boasts the enviable record of this, to speak of it except in praise.

HYMENEAL.

Eder—Wennas.

Miss Emma G. Wennas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willian Wennas, was married to William J. Eder, in St. Joseph's R. C. Church by the rector at 5 yesterday afternoon. The bridesmaid was Miss Barbara Eder, a sister of the groom. The best man was the bride's brother Charles J. Wennas.

A reception was given at the home of the bride's parents, 27 Vine street, at 6 The house was handsomely decorated with lanterns and greens. After refreshments and dancing the married pair went to their new home in Bound Brook by the 8:49 train.

The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Robercht, Mr. and Mrs. Effinger, Mr. and Mrs. Cole and J. Eder, of Bound Brook, Mrs. A. Eder and Miss Ule, of Bound Brook, and Mr. and Miss Butcher, Mr. and Mrs. McCollough, Miss Tressie Wennas and others of Plainfield.

WEST END NOTES.

The nine-months-old child of Mrs Patrick Nugent is improving rapidly in the Muhlenberg Hospital after having undergone an operation at the hands of Dr. William C. Boone last week.

WEST ENDER.

Three-Decker Presses.

The Scott Printing Machine Works are starting to build three "three-decker" web presses which will be delivered in June.

A press will be shipped to the Philadelphia Inquirer next week which has a capacity for printing 96,000 four or six page papers or 48,000 twelve page papers an hour.

There is ready for shipment a double width press which will print 48,000 copies of the Chicago Herald an hour.

The Washington Star will soon receive a "three-decker" press which will have a speed of 48,000 an hour.

Uncle Sams to Dance.

At a meeting of the Uncle Sam Social Club in their rooms in the Hetfield Building last evening the installation of officers was completed and committees were appointed. Arrangements were made for a series of private dances every Thursday night at which Albert Naylor and C. Berkley Blake will play.

The officers are:

President—Henry Barton.
Vice-President—Percy Davis.
Secretary—Herrvey Ball.
Vice-Secretary—W. A. Ross.
Treasurer—B. A. Webster.

I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for over ten years; had it very bad, could hardly breathe Some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely. It is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it and with happy results in every case. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my deafness.—B. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

TRUNK TROLLEY THROUGH PLAINFIELD.

Substantial Evidence that the Line Will Soon Be Completed.

The New York Herald of Monday published a lengthy statement to the effect that the project of a trolley road between New York and Philadelphia, through Plainfield, is no longer the chimera that it has heretofore been believed to be, but a substantial fact.

The men behind it, it says, are capitalists of great wealth who already control the street railway business of the two cities and are also the projectors and owners of the extensive trolley roads running out from Jersey City to the numerous residence towns in East Jersey.

The line of the road already secured, it is said, includes Jersey City, Newark and Elizabeth, and from there will run through other town to Plainfield and from here to New Brunswick by way of Dunellen and possibly Bound Brook, thence to Princeton and Trenton, and then by way of Tacony to Kensington, Germantown and Philadelphia.

From the apparent friendliness of the Pennsylvania Railroad towards the enterprise it is inferred that it is in some way interested in the scheme, as bidding for traffic in a section hitherto monopolized by the Jersey Central. The story concludes as follows:

Thus it is that these shrewd financiers have started to build their scheme from three points. From New York they are moving west; from Trenton they are moving east, and from Philadelphia they are moving north. They would have the public believe that each of these movements is purely local, without any connection whatever. But things have gone too far now, and well informed railroad men, both in New York and Philadelphia, know very well what is going on. Progress is rapid. The work is booming all along the line. Electricity may propel a car from New York to Philadelphia witain a year.

A Pipe Rewards Him.

The regular monthly meeting of the C. Y. M. L. was held in the Lyceum last evening, President Traynor presiding. Reports of committees show that the young men made about $225 at their recent entertainment in Music Hall, February 1. With a brief speech Father Murphy presented a prize of a meerschaum pipe to Charles Lang, who sold 40 tickets.

Fourteen new members were elected The next meeting will be held Tuesday, March 6.

The yearly report was read showing that the society was in an unusually flourishing condition. The quiet and dulness of the Lenten season will be broken by lectures and "smokers" for the entertainment of the members. But Easter-tide will be anxiously looked for ward to, as the members intend holding a grand reception immediately after Easter. The many friends of the Lyceum will be pleased to hear of the progress made by the Lyceum in every branch. The new library in the club rooms is being fast filled with instructive and interesting works, mainly gifts from friends of the club.

Strong Board for a Strong Company.

The annual meeting of shareholders of the Local Branch of the New Jersey Building Loan and Investment Company, of Trenton, was held last evening in the Republican Association Hall.

The secretary reported a membership in the Local Branch of 65 representing 568 shares, also 13 per cent. dividend for the year had been placed to the credit of the shareholders at which rate if continued would mature the stock in little less than eight years. The following Board of Directors was elected: John D. Runyon, James P. Homan, Frank S. Runyon, Elston M. French, J. D. Spicer, T. S. Davis, M. D., J. B. Mills, L. B. Woolston, A. L. Force, W. R. Codington, H. E. Rider, H. O. Newman.

The Board then organized with the following officers: President, T. S. Davis; Vice-President, L. B. Woolston; Secretary and Treasurer, H. O. Newman; Counsel, W. R. Codington.

Saved by a Playmate.

A courageous act was witnessed at Greenbrook, just above Westervelt avenue, yesterday, when Carman Sutphen fell into the water through the thin ice. The water was about six feet, and the boy having on his skates would never have got out had it not been for Charles Dodd. Quick as a flash, he seized a shinny stick, walked out on the thin ice, being in great danger himself, handed the shinny stick to Carman, and so got him out.

Plainfield's New Club Car.

The elegant, mammoth club car, "Plainfield", is now in the Communipaw yards, and will soon be put in service, on the 8:27 a. m. train. It will be conducted by Conductor Dowdell, one of the politest men on the road.

—A black goat owned by Mrs. McCartney was killed by a fast train near Liberty street yesterday afternoon.

How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

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Watchung Park Property.

Handsomely Situated Building Lots

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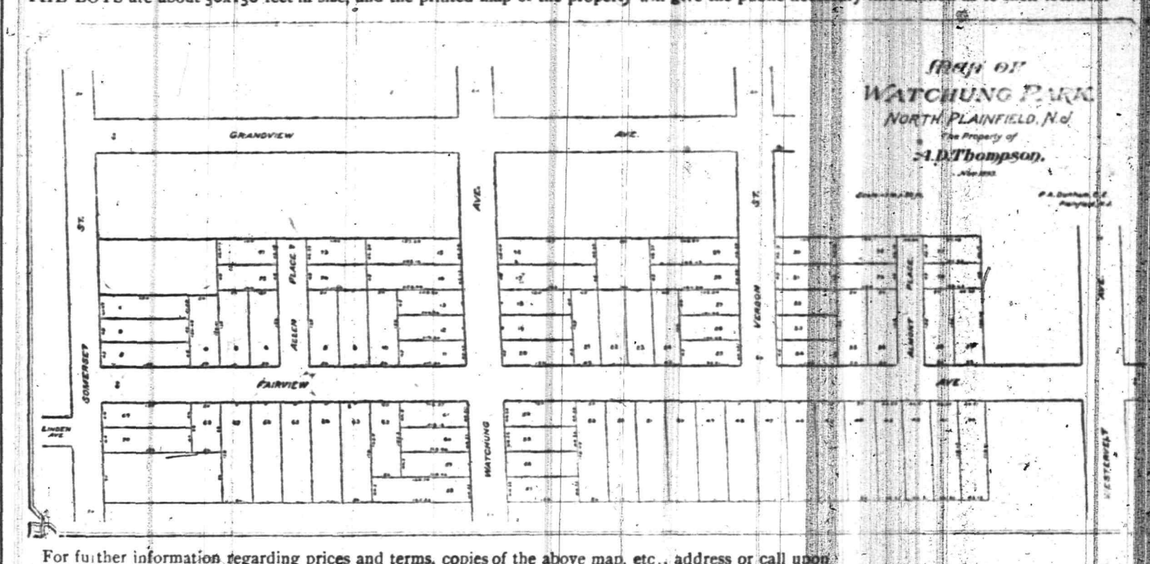
THIS PROPERTY is in the heart of the recently opened residence section of the city, being within a few minutes walk of the Central railroad station.
THE NEW WATCHUNG PARK, with its new streets and avenues, will be among the handsomest residence sections in this pretty suburban place.
ONLY HIGH GRADE RESIDENCES will be erected. The neighborhood will be restricted, making it as desirable as any in Plainfield.
ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS will be in force by early spring. The work of macadamizing the streets is now being pushed rapidly.
ELECTRIC CARS pass the property. Electric lights, gas and city water will be introduced as soon in the spring as they are needed.
SCORES OF BEAUTIFUL HOMES now fronting on Sandford and Westervelt avenues have been located on the Crescent's ball field.
JUST AS PROPERTY VALUES jumped in Sandford and Westervelt avenues, so they will also increase rapidly in Watchung Park. Those who buy now will reap the benefit of an early investment.
THE LOTS are about 50x150 feet in size, and the printed map of the property will give the public necessary information as to their location.



For further information regarding prices and terms, copies of the above map, etc., address or call upon

A. D. THOMPSON,
147 North avenue, opposite railroad station, Plainfield, N. J.

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A VETERAN'S VERDICT.

The War is Over. A Well-known Soldier, Correspondent and Journalist, Makes a Disclosure.

Indiana contributed her thousands of brave soldiers to the war, and no state bears a better record in that respect than it does. In literature it is rapidly acquiring an enviable place. In war and literature Solomon Yewell, well known as a writer as "Sol," has won an honorable position. During the late war he was a member of Co. M, 9th N. Y. Cavalry and of the 13th Indiana Infantry Volunteers. Regarding an important circumstance he writes as follows:

"Several of us old veterans here are using Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine, Heart Cure and Nerve and Liver Pills, all of them giving splendid satisfaction. In fact, we have never used remedies that compare with them. Of the Pills we must say they are the best combination of the qualities required in a preparation of their nature we have ever known. We have none but words of praise for them. They are the outgrowth of a new principle in medicine, and tone up the system wonderfully. We say to all, try these remedies."—Solomon Yewell, Marion, Ind., Dec. 5, 1892.

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CHAPTER IV.

RAYMOND AND MANGAN DECLARE WAR.

Philip Mortimer, the registrar of arrears, was a lieutenant of Francis Raymond. Both men were lawyers. They had studied in the same office and had succeeded to the practice of their patron. There was much friendship between them. It was a sincere friendship on Mortimer's part.

Raymond had the stronger will of the two. Mortimer was completely under his control. He had lifted him up as he advanced himself, not that he desired to honor him, but that he was useful. Mortimer had such an exaggerated idea of Raymond's difficulty to place him, where so many were clamoring for preferment, that his spirit of gratitude developed into subserviency, completely obliterating every quality that would interfere with the performance of any duty Raymond might impose. He had been named as registrar of arrears because it suited Raymond—that was all.

To be sure Mortimer's sister had been receiving the attentions of the political chieftain and imagined, as Mortimer did, that he was sincere. Sometimes Raymond himself thought the same, but the truth was, though he might not at all times own it, that he sought Inez Mortimer's companionship as a relaxation from a life otherwise exciting. Poor Mortimer believed that Raymond's favors were partly due to the regard in which his sister was held by his political sponsor, and in this belief his devotion to Raymond steadily increased. Mortimer was a consumptive, but his work took little of his time and exacted no exertion beyond visiting Raymond at stated times and making his reports; so he was as hopeful and buoyant as consumptives, free from the other vexations of life, usually are.

Raymond occupied a house in a respectable section of the city. He could easily keep an establishment in the most aristocratic quarter, but it wasn't policy to do so. His home was luxuriously furnished and cared for by a woman whom he called his niece, and whom the world believed to bear that relation to him. She was a charming hostess. Her queenly grace and winning manners assured her the entree to some of the best circles, and as society never questioned her standing why should we? She is nothing to us, beyond a figure exemplifying how Raymond lived.

In the well appointed library Mortimer is received by his chief. The registrar of arrears is nervous. He has made unusual haste to reach Raymond's home and plainly shows that something out

"Look out for Mangan!" he gasped.

of the ordinary has occurred. This is not lost to Raymond, but he puffs coolly and leisurely at his cigar, taking it from between his lips just long enough to say:

"Get your breath, man, and tell us what has happened."

"Look out for Mangan!" he gasped as he leaned forward on the library table and breathed more heavily from the effort.

The coolness of Raymond, who sat smiling, helped him to regain his composure, and he resumed:

"Mangan met us this afternoon. We were in the United States court"—a name given to a resort for city officials and politicians generally—"and the commission bill came up. He said it was a 'deal,' that the commissioners were your men, that you were at the top, middle and bottom—in fact, he used words I hate to repeat."

"Never mind! Repeat them. He says queer things at times. He's a peculiar character. What were his words?"

"He said you posed as a philanthropist, a patron at church entertainments of every denomination, but that you were a political serpent, a constrictor wound around every interest and institution, and crushing such as were not beneficial to you. He sounded the company, and a few, the same you have mistrusted, laughed and told him he generally hit the nail on the head."

"Is that all?"

"All? No. He declared that leader, lawyer and all as you were, he meant to give you a shakeup before he left town."

"Leave town?"

"Yes. He said no more, but he said that vindictively."

"Why, I offered him the managing editorship of The Trumpet. I endeavored in every way to show friendship for him. He can have no feeling against me. If I knew any one who was close to him, I would help him even now in his fresh ambition, give him financial aid to start out well, for it must be some great ambition that moves him to leave this place. Did he say when he was going?"

"Yes."

"When?"

"He said not until he exposed the inside of the commission, and he hinted that he would be greatly disappointed if you were not disclosed in a new light to the people."

"Well! Well!" laughed Raymond. "Who would ever think he is such a dreamer?"

"It's not my business, of course," mildly suggested Mortimer. "But none of the land to be appraised is yours, is it?"

"My dear fellow," said Raymond, "don't worry! None of the land is mine—yet."

"It is some of the land you hold through tax sale certificates?"

"What if it is?"

"This," said Mortimer. "Some years ago you had the law passed. Property owners did not pay taxes promptly. The law as it now stands is that the property is sold at auction to private individuals just for the taxes. To redeem it, the owner must pay a bonus of 10 per cent and interest at 15 per cent, and if he fails to redeem it in 10 years the city gives a clear title to the man who purchased the land and the buildings thereon, if any, for the taxes."

"Proceed."

"Now under that law you have bought, or others have bought for you, and legally secured to you, many blocks of real estate, some of which will never be claimed. If these blocks are to be selected by the commission, Mangan will say so; he will find it out. He is a second Heller; he can see in all directions."

"It seems to me," remarked Raymond, "that you have been badly scared. You forget that under the law there is no record of those transactions in the office of the register of deeds in the county, where Mangan will turn for his facts. You are simply the registrar of arrears. What you know is not all a matter of official record."

"But he knows the law."

"Suppose, for the sake of argument, that he does," responded Raymond, a little nettled at Mortimer's persistence.

"Suppose, again, that the commission decides on these lands that I may have within my reach. The day after the commission reports, the legal limitations will expire and the property will be legally mine. The deed will come to me directly, or indirectly, to a trustee, most likely the latter, and no paper can say a word about it without leaving itself open to a libel suit. Everything is honest and regular. That is the law. It may not be the fact that the lands will be those that friends of mine held, you understand? I have assumed that much, just to satisfy you. Your deputy would not talk like this."

"I assure you, Frank," for Mortimer so called him when the warmth of conversation demanded some nominative of address, "I was looking after your interests; that was all."

"I know it," was the reply, intended to convince Mortimer that the personal allusions had not undermined the confidence reposed in him.

"I'll go home, now," said Mortimer, arising.

"Wait a minute," said Raymond. "Inez is acquainted with Isabel Le—Le Clair, is she not?"

"I think I have heard her mention the name."

"Look here, Philip"—and Raymond threw the stump of his Havana into the cuspidor, locked the fingers of both hands, inclined forward, supporting his body by resting his left elbow on his knee and looking seriously at Mortimer. "There is some private business on foot in which I want the good offices of Mother St. Gertrude. Miss Le—Le Clair is influential in that quarter. I cannot see her in the convent or at school. Inez has met her socially at many places. I have frequently seen both together, and they seem to be great friends. I am very well acquainted myself with Miss Le Clair, have enjoyed her company at many parties, and she herself has told me she is enthusiastically fond of Inez. Let Inez invite her to your house, and I will there get a chance to enlist her aid. Tell Inez to manage this for me."

"Certainly; she will do it. Is that all?"

"That's all."

Mortimer bade goodby to Raymond at the door. The latter, when he had returned to the library, mused:

"Mangan cannot harm me. For his bitterness, however, I will punish him. Out of Isabel's great love for him, I can force her to marry me, and he will not know it until he reads the wedding notice. And Inez? Oh, she'll—well, I can get over that, too. But, on every consideration, I think it will be better to wed Isabel Le—Le Clair. Strange, how I find it hard to pronounce that name!"

CHAPTER V.

ISABEL UNDER RAYMOND'S INFLUENCE.

Numerous incandescent electric bulbs, added to the floral embellishments that break out in every direction, make brilliant the rooms in the Mortimer home on the classic Brooklyn Heights. Inez is the hostess. Isabel is there, happy and no less radiant than when last we saw her. Old school companions are present, too, with friends particularly selected with a view of making her feel at home. Inez had determined to please Raymond and demonstrate her woman's tact by having none there before whom Isabel might act constrainedly. Inez had also asked Isabel to remain over night, as otherwise she would have to leave early for the convent.

Inez was a petite brunette. Vivacious, witty, intellectual and artistic, she had many admirers. She was so sensitively constituted that she particularly avoided, in a most natural way, the assertion of any accomplishment that might incite jealousy in those of her sex who moved in circles with herself. So strong a feature of her character was this, that even they who thought Raymond an eligible subject for their feminine wiles never could see in her relations with him, at ball or fete, anything beyond the usual amenities of friendship.

Could Inez read her own heart, she might have discovered that her feeling for Raymond was not what she took it to be. Unconsciously she had come to accept her brother's opinions and sentiments with respect to the man as her own. She looked upon him as her brother's benefactor. And had not Raymond himself, by his attentions, his compliments and references to a future where he and she stood together, made evident his own intentions with regard to her? Little did she dream that her brother was repaying Raymond a hundredfold, and that she herself, tonight, was rendering him a service whose worth time alone could disclose, if indeed the curtain of mystery was ever to be drawn aside.

There she stood with Isabel by her side, as the guests one after another were received. Why describe that social panorama, in which these two shone as queens; two impressive types of beauty singled out for admiration in a kaleidoscopic maze of enchanting forms and faces? Would it be puzzling to any one who knew Raymond's design, and could read his thoughts, to assign a reason for his own approval of the course he had resolved to pursue?

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Charles McGinley	Lorenzo Paoli
C. Neighbor	John E. Collins
Charles Moore	John H. Blimm
Joseph Angerbauer	Francis B. Thorn
Patrick Morron	James W. Burdick
C. R. Janson	J. K. Van Ness

Patrick Bergen.

Citizens and Freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before February 19, 1894.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. McMURRAY, City Clerk.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that John Rafferty has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a licer se to sell spiritu us and fermented liquors at 213 Park avenue in the first ward, which application is signed by

Patrick O'Keefe	John F. McIntyre
Fred Casper	John J. Kenney
Michael Hughes	Thos. Callanan
James Ryan.	George McCusker
Dennis Carney	Edw. Hannon

Thos. Curran.

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J. T. McMURRAY, C.ty Clerk.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that Edward P. Thorn has appl ed to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquours at 125 Park avenue in the first ward, which application is signed by

James Higgins	James Brown
Michael Ettinger	Walter Coon
Albert Brown	S. Sharkey
John E. Beerbower	Alexander Sergeant
James Fitzpatrick	Wm. S Brown

C. A. Rogers.

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J. T. McMURRAY, City Clerk.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that Michael F. Watson has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 211 and 213 Grant avenue in the fourth ward, which application is signed by

James Revilio	John B. De Hart
Gustav Grotman	Charles Grieb
James E. Totten	Israel Goddu
Ernest Kruzsch	Carl Felber
his	his
John (x) Kenny	James (x) McCarthy
mark	mark
R. F. (x) Jones	William H. Lee
mark	

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J. T. McMURRAY, City Clerk.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that Daniel J. Crowley has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 115 East Front street in the first ward, which application is signed by

Elizabeth Schorb	John M. Schorb
James Buckley	Wallace V. Miller
Edward Vanderweg	James Quirn
Dan McCann	George L. Henry
William H. Manning	George W. Wyckoff
	Peter Langenbahn.

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J. T. McMURRAY, City Clerk.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that James Connecly has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 114 and 116 Park avenue in the fourth ward, which application is signed by

Jacob Bilmn, Jr.	Peter C. Blimm
Werner B. Heidcloff, jr	James Mullowney
Moses Carney	Cornelius Guinee
Michael Nugent	George M. Phillips
Michael Spillan	Peter Gailbraith
James Bushby	Robert Kenner

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that Jacob Blimm has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 37 and 39 Somerset Street in the fourth ward, which application is signed by

Charles Smith	Isaac Lederer
George Mehl	Michael McCarthy
John A. Krimey	Christian Karl
William Classsen	Henry Hays
James Wheeler	James Hansen
William H. Kitchen	Herthold P. Hansen
	James Connecly

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that John E. Beerbower has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at N. E. cor. Park avenue and Second street in the first ward, which application is signed by

Dan S. R berts	Charles Bo k
George H. Cook	Z. Taylor Baird
Walter L. Hetfield	J. K. Van Ness
Patrick Bergen	E. P. Thorn
R. Werner	Joel R. Walley
Lewis Peterson	Stephen A. Davis.

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that John J. Goff has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 456 West Third street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

Daniel McCarthy,	Charles McCann,
John J. Hibbits,	Thomas King,
John Flynn,	John M. Carney,
Frank Cullen,	John S. Haskard,
Mary E. Goff,	Frederick Westphal,
Joseph Johnson,	Thomas Johnson,
	John Donnely,

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that Frank Linke has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous vinous, malt or brewed liquors in quantities from one quart to five gallons, at 227 West Front street, in the Fourth Ward, which application is signed by

Y. L. Frazee,	P. J. Kretling.
W. W. Corlett,	Peter V. Weaver,
J. E. Martine,	John Witteman,

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that James Hansen has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 545 West Third street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

James J. Day,	James Flynn,
Michael Newman,	John Galbraith,
Edward McCann,	William H. Blimm.
Maurice Shannon,	Patrick Moran,
Patrick Powers,	William Maddden,
Patrick Ward,	Thomas Lyons,
	Patrick Moran,

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that Fred. Casper has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 142 and 144 East Front street, in the First ward, which application is signed by

William Beiter,	Carl Kaerth,
John Rafferty,	Charles Burnett,
S. L. Miller,	Jacob Haulenbock,
William Latbeusser,	William Klein,
Thomas Loughlin,	Michael Wunderlich,
L. E. Barkslew, Pres. Building and Loan Asso.,	

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that Charles Smith has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 108 West Front street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

Joseph A. Blatz,	Ignatz Boehm,
Theodore Kurzhals,	Samuel Drier,
William Newcorn,	Daniel S. Pound,
Jacob Blumm,	Matthias Hefti,
Bennet Brittin,	Frank Droll,
John Winzenried,	Felix F. Genot,

Martin Kane,

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that Alexander D. Finley has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 137 East Second street, in the First ward, which application is signed by

Robert Simpson,	John H. Stevens,
Benj. F. Moore,	John Wolf,
W. J. Tunison,	Garret H. Hammesl,
Henry C. Drake,	Francis B. Thorn,
E. P. Curtis,	Adolph Kahrmann,
John Burns,	Thomas O'Gorman,
	Charles Bock.

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that Wm. H. Lee has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors in quantities of one quart and upwards to five gallons, in the building owned by himself at 682 West Third street, in the Fourth Ward, which application is signed by

George H. Moore,	Arthur Scott,
Jacob Grieb,	Charles Jaeger,
Thomas Burke,	Michael F. Watson,
Charles McIntosh.	James F. Walsh,

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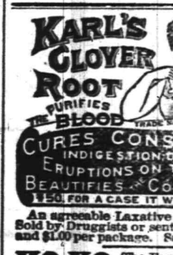

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Leave Plainfield 6 45, 7 10, 8 15, 9 04, 11 a.m., 12 40, 3 00, 3 25, 5 45, 6 26, 8 05, 10 45, 11 31 a.m., 2 30, 3 50, 5 17, 7 04, 9 17, 10 26, 11 05, P. M. 12 25 night Sunday—8 45, 9 20, 9 54, A. M., 2 05, 5 26, 6 45, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 58, 7 55, 7 45, 8 30, 9 05, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 48, 2 08, 3 30, 4 25, 5 22, 6 36, 8 26, 9 46, 11 56, P. M. Sunday 8 36, 11 00 A. M., 12 05, 1 16, 5 16, 8 17 p. m., 1 17, night.

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For four years I have suffered from a complication of diseases which physicians said were dyspepsia, liver and kidney complaint, nervous prostration and womb disease. No words of mine can describe the terrible pains and distress I have experienced—the dizziness, trembling fears of evil, chills, fever, melancholy, restlessness and numerous other dreadful sensations which I am unable to describe. Have been treated by fifteen physicians, some of whom were sure they could cure me within two or three months, and all of whom have had from two months to three, four or more, as they said was needed. One I tried for a whole year until last May I found myself disappointed, discouraged and about ready to give up altogether, as, after treating me for a year my physician told me I would be obliged to undergo a surgical operation before I could commence to get better. Just at this time I was advised by friends to consult Dr. Starkweather of No. 105 Halsey street, Newark, as they knew of some very remarkable cures which he had performed.

I followed their advice and visited the doctor on May 5. How glad I am that I took this step no one can realize who has not been similiarly situated. The doctor gave me a complete history of my case, describing with surprising accuracy the conditions and symptoms which I had endured for years, but what gave me the greatest surprise and pleasure was when he assured me that there was no need of any surgical operation. Proper means, he said, would overcome my troubles without any surgery. I commenced at once to follow Dr. Starkweather's directions and treatment. Having gradually and steadily improved since that time, as he stated I would, until now I am the wonder of all my friends, while rejoicing in renewed health, strength and spirits. Am constrained by a sense of duty and gratitude to accord the praise due Dr. S. for his gentle, soothing and skillful treatment of my case, and advise all sufferers from whatever cause to consult this eminent physician. MRS. WM. R. MANSER.

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NEWARK PRESBYTERY

Excited Over a Resolution By Dr. Lampmann.

He Appeals to the Presbytery to Protest Against the General Assembly Making New Definitions of Dogma By Judicial Decisions—Thinks Dr. Briggs Was Treated Harshly.

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 8.—The first day of the regular meeting of the Newark Presbytery, was an extremely lively session, the discussion of a set of resolutions on the question of doctrine being one of the points upon which the assembly nearly came to grief. These were offered by the Rev. Dr. Lewis Lampmann, of the High street Presbyterian church, and read as follows:

Resolved, That this Presbytery views with apprehension the attempts of the general assembly to make new definitions of dogma by deliverance and by judicial decisions, and expresses its conviction that no doctrinal statement which is not explicitly contained in the confession of faith and catechisms of this church is binding on her office bearers.

Resolved, That, in the judgment of this Presbytery, the action of the general assembly in deciding a judicial case, while fundamental preliminary questions were yet pending before the synod of New York, is an infringement of the prerogatives of the synod, and threatens the constitutional liberty of each member of this Presbytery, as of all others.

After withdrawing the second resolution, Dr. Lampmann made an earnest plea for the adoption of the first. In his remarks he denounced the iron rule of the general assembly and declared that a "complete subservience to it would be too dear a price to pay for any church relationship." He charged those in authority in the Presbyterian church with uncalled for harshness in the case of Dr. Briggs and of the Rev. Dr. Albert Barnes.

Dr. Lampmann is one of the most prominent Presbyterian clergymen in this part of the state, and his resolutions and remarks, coupled with the rumor that he will sever his connection with the Presbyterian church, has caused much excitement among the members of that body in this city.

Big Sale of Silk Goods.

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—The largest auction sale of silk goods ever held in this country commenced yesterday in the auction rooms of Towns & Mentant, on Leonard street. The largest wholesale and retail dry goods dealers from all over the country were represented at the sale. The total amount realized from the sale was expected to exceed $500,000. The goods were sold on four months' credit. The silks were from the mills of Schwartzenback, Huber & Co., in Germany, France, Italy, Switzerland and this country. The black goods were all disposed of in a few hours.

Against the Inheritance Tax Bill.

ALBANY, Feb. 8.—The assembly ways and means committee will report to the house favorably the resolution of Mr. Ainsworth, as follows:

Resolved, That the United States senators and representatives in congress be requested to use their best endeavors to defeat the bill introduced by the Hon. David B. Hill entitled "An act to impose a collateral inheritance legacy or succession tax."

The Czar's Case on Trial.

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—The suit of Alexander III., the czar of all the Russias, to recover $8,000 damages from the owners of the tugs E. Herpershauser and B. T. Haviland, was on trial yesterday before Judge Brown in the United States circuit court. During the naval celebration a launch of the Russian man-of-war Dimitri Donskoi, was sunk, as alleged by complainant by a canal boat in tow of the tugs named.

Married to a French Army Officer.

SHREWSBURY, N. J., Feb. 8.—Miss Theresa Shibb, daughter of the late Gustave Shibb, of Remson, and Captain Alphonse Claren, an officer of the French army, were married Tuesday afternoon at Christ's church, this village. The church was crowded, many of the attendants being summer residents of Remson, Shrewsbury and Sea Bright. The groom was dressed in the uniform of his rank.

Requests His Removal.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Chief Justice Bingham, of the supreme court of the District of Columbia, has received a letter from Attorney General Olney requesting the removal of Jerome B. Burke, warden of the United States mail in the District of Columbia. The greatest secrecy is maintained about the communication, but it is understood that he is accused of woeful lack of discipline.

Bridgeport's Car Troubles.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Feb. 8.—President Heft of the Traction company has offered a reward of $200 for the arrest and conviction of the parties who assaulted driver Dalton, and $20 reward for the arrest and conviction of every person who assaults employes, stones cars, or otherwise damages the company's property.

Ballot Reform in Germany.

BERLIN, Feb. 8.—The Reichstag has under discussion a motion by Herren Grosber and Rickert to amend the election regulations with a view to making the ballot more secret. The motion provides that an isolated room shall be furnished in which the electors shall write their tickets and place them in envelopes.

Woman's Relief Corps.

BOSTON, Feb. 8.—The annual session of the Woman's Relief corps, department of Massachusetts, was held yesterday. The total membership is now 12,881, a net gain of 247 during the year. A telegram of sympathy was sent to Corporal Tanner.

Schaefer Defeated By Slosson.

BOSTON, Feb. 8.—The last of the series of three games at triangular billiards was started here last night. George Slosson and Jake Schaefer, players. Slosson won the game by a score 600 to 368.

Princess Marie Can Not Recover.

LONDON, Feb. 8.—The Standard's Vienna correspondent says that the Princess Marie has puerperal fever, and last night was believed to be beyond hope of recovery

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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Secretary Carlisle Warned Against an Illegitimate Plate Printer's Union.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Secretary Carlisle has received a letter from John R. Jones, secretary-treasurer of the National Plate Printers' union of the United States, dated New York, in which he say:

"My attention has been called to the fact that a committee of plate printers waited on you recently with a view of influencing the award of the postage stamp printing contract. Misrepresentations made by that committee call for some corrections on the part of the National Plate Printers' union. The above committee do not represent the plate printers industry of this city, as claimed by them. Their organization is composed of thirty members, the majority of whom are under indictment by the New York Plate Printers' union for conduct (during a strike) unbecoming union men, and they are not recognized by any plate printers' organization anywhere. In some cases their members have never served any apprenticeship to plate printing and are what are termed in the trade 'shoemakers.' The entire force of plate printers in Washington, Boston, Philadelphia and 270 of the 300 plate printers in New York, are affiliated with the National Plate Printers' union, and do not recognize the illegitimate so-called Union of Plate Printers' Local assembly 3,333, Knights of Labor.

Hard Luck Follows Zella.

CHICAGO, Feb. 8.—Zella Nicolaus, who recently instituted suit for $40,000 against George J. Gould, of New York, arrived in this city yesterday accompanied by Al Ruthman. They went to the Victoria hotel and registered as Mr. and Mrs. King. When the manager discovered who his guests were he told them they must go. They claimed the legal right to occupy the same room, declaring they were married. As the couple were about to leave the hotel Zella said to a reporter: "I have secured a divorce from Nicolaus in Joliet. Three days ago Mr. Rhuman and myself were married in Cincinnati by a justice of the peace."

New Jersey Legislature.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 8.—The afternoon session of the house was very brief. Bills were passed permitting surrogates to appoint guardians in uncontested cases; and repealing the act of 1892, giving defendants the right to choose the justice of the peace before whom they should be arraigned for a hearing. Mr. Storrs, of Essex, introduced a bill providing that no sheriff or under sheriff, constable, marshal or policeman shall exercise any other civil office under penalty of losing his commission for the office first held. The house adjourned till next Monday evening.

Sensational Trial at Rome.

ROME, Feb. 8.—A court trial of the highest interest to the political and business world was begun here to-day. The most conspicuous of the prisoners are Pinto, a grain merchant; Gallina, an inspector-general of the national treasury, and Chauvet, manager of the Popolo Romano newspaper. Pinto is charged with defrauding the government of 225,000 lire by means of false documents. Gallina is accused of being his accomplice, and Chauvet of being the go-between.

Moody and Sankey at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Dwight L. Moody and Ira D. Sankey, the evangelists, opened a series of four weeks revivals at Convention hall in this city last night. It was by far the largest religious gathering ever known in Washington. The services were undenominational, 45 different congregations being represented in the general committee under whose direction the meetings have been inaugurated.

O'Donnell Not in Want.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 8.—The story telegraphed from Harrisburg that Hugh O'Donnell, the leader of the late Homestead strike was in that city soliciting alms to take him to Philadelphia, is untrue. O'Donnell came down from Homestead to deny the story. He says while he is not as wealthy as he once was, he was not in Harrisburg yesterday soliciting aid, neither is he in want, nor is his hair gray as the dispatch stated.

Syracuse Republicans.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Feb. 8.—At the city convention last night an organization taking the name of the Republican-Independent party was perfected as the result of caucuses held in all the wards of the city. Jacob Amos, the present republican mayor, was renominated amidst great enthusiasm. The regular republican city convention will meet to-day.

McLaurin Elected Senator.

JACKSON, Miss., Feb. 8.—The two houses met in joint session yesterday and elected A. J. McLaurin United States senator, to succeed Hon. E. C. Walthall, resigned. Mr. McLaurin will leave for Washington Monday. Among the telegrams of congratulation received by Senator McLaurin was one from Senator David B. Hill.

A Blow at Football.

BOSTON, Feb. 8.—Representative Buckley of Cambridge has introduced in the house a pstition for legislation prohibiting the public exhibition of the game of football, and such "as will prevent the slugging or roughness of said games when played between teams representing colleges or other educational institutions."

Schooner Attached.

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 8.—The schooner Robert Graham Dun has been attached at the instance of the owners and families of the crew of the schooner Captain John, which was sunk and all hands drowned by a collision off Chatham last fall. The owners of the Dun deny that their vessel was in collision with the Captain John

AGAIN STORM-SWEPT.

Buildings Blown Down and Other Damage Done in England.

LONDON, Feb. 8.—Despatches received this morning show that the gale of yesterday swept over all the coasts of Great Britain, and that considerable damage was done. The sea dykes along the strait of Dover, between Dungeness and Dymchurch, were damaged by the heavy seas that pounded against them. The immense embankment built to protect Romney marsh, in Kent, against the incursions of the sea did not avail to keep the place from being flooded. The Romney marsh parish church is now surrounded by deep water.

Two hundred vessels were compelled to seek refuge from the storm at East Bay, Dungeness.

Several cottages at Sheffield, Yorkshire, were blown down, and at Landudno, Wales, a new Baptist chapel was wrecked. The Scarborough Peak railway station was completely destroyed by the wind. So heavy was the gale that the waiting rooms and the station master's office were blown over a wall into a field.

MARTIAL LAW TO CEASE.

Brazil Preparing for the Presidential Election on March 1 Next.

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RIO DE JANEIRO, Feb. 8.—The government has decided to decree that martial law shall cease on February 26, and that the presidential election shall take place on March 1, in accordance with the constitution.

Dr. Prudente de Moraes, president of the senate, is the only candidate yet named for the national presidency. He is a civilian from the state of Sao Paulo. It is possible that he will be acceptable to both sides.

For Publishing Lottery Ads.

PEEKSKILL, N. Y., Feb. 8.—The Peekskill Law and Order association complained to Postmaster Smith that the Peekskill Blade, W. H. Brown editor, was violating the United States postal lottery laws by advertising the prizes and drawings of the coming fair of the Columbian Engine company No. 1. Many of the papers had been delivered; those not sent out were confiscated by the postmaster. This action is taken by the fair committee as a declaration of hostility against the chance and lottery feature of the fair. Some interesting developments are expected in the matter.

Massachusetts Odd Fellows.

BOSTON, Feb. 8.—The annual session of the grand encampment of Massachusetts I. O. O. F. convened yesterday. The membership of 10,711 in this jurisdiction shows a net gain for 1893 of 313; total receipts, $56,577; total relief, $21,150; total expenses, $36,042. The following officers were elected: Grand patriarch, William S. French, of West Newton; grand high priest, Winslow J. Rowell, of Lynn; grand senior warden, Sumner P. Lawrence, of Fitchburg; grand treasurer, Nathaniel A. Very, of Salem; grand trustee of funds for three years, Horace W. Stickney.

Mrs. Hoyt Dies of Her Injuries.

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—Mrs. Elizabeth H. Hoyt, 47 years old, of South Norwalk, Conn., who was thrown from a Broadway cable car at Twenty-first street on Tuesday afternoon, died yesterday at the house at which she was stopping in Thirty-fourth street, without gaining consciousness. The coroner has charge of the case and it is likely that arrests will be made, as it is claimed that the car was started before Mrs. Hoyt had time to step from the platform.

Prof. Heilnigger Dead.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Feb. 8.—Prof. Emil Heilnigger, a musician of considerable note, and a traveler well-known in Mexico and South America, died suddenly at his Egg harbor residence yesterday from exhaustion brougut on by an attack of grippe. He was 82 years of age and had remarried but a few months ago.

Sister Gertrude,

Supt Lucas Franklin Free Hospital for Children, says:

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Give the children

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H-O cooks in three minutes, because it is partly cooked already. Think of the saving of time. It never loses its delicious delicacy. It is nutritious.

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DOINGS IN CONGRESS

Two Matters of Interest Disposed Of.

Federal Election Repeal Measure Passed With One Republican Senator's Vote in the Affirmative—Three Democrats Vote Against the McCreary Resolution in the House.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—The closing debate in the senate on the house bill to repeal the federal election laws was more interesting than that of any previous day. It was opened by Mr. Hoar (rep., Mass.) and ended by Mr. Bate (dem., Tenn.). Mr. Hoar's speech was a bitter arraignment of the democratic party in connection with election frauds, and of his assertions being that wherever there was a crevice in the protection of the freedom of the ballot there the democratic party would be found trying to break through, and another being that the time would come when the democrats would need the federal election laws, if from no other reason than to protect them against each other. The democratic position in favor of the bill was stated by Mr. Gray (dem., Del.) to be that the election laws ought to wiped out, not only because they were at war with every tradition of self-government but because they but-trossed up the very fraud which they were professedly intended to destroy. Mr. Cameron (rep., Pa.) found an opportunity for stating that, as secretary of war, he had interfered to prevent election frauds in 1876, and that the result of his interference was that Mr. Tilden was not president of the United States. All amendments that were offered to the bill were rejected, and the bill was passed, without amendment—yeas 39; nays 28—the only exceptions to its being a strict party vote being that one republican senator, Stewart (Nev.), and the three populist senators, Allen, Kyle and Peffer, voted with the democrats. The bill had been passed by the house on October 10, 1893, and is a simple repeal of all the statutes relating to supervisors of elections and special deputy marshals. The senate adjourned at 6:10.

House of Representatives.

The entire day in the house was chiefly devoted to roll calls, and honors were about even between the McCreary repeal resolution and the Bland seigniorage bill. On the first roll call 177 members voted, and Mr. Springer made the point of order that this was a quorum, owing to vacancies in the house. About one hour was consumed in discussing this question and it finally went over without a decision and a second roll call was ordered, when the McCreary resolution was adopted—yeas, 177; nays, 75. The vote was on party lines, with three exceptions, Messrs. Cummings and Sickles, of New York, and Bunn of North Carolina, who voted with the republicans against the resolution. Otherwise the democrats voted for the resolutions and the republicans against them.

Mr. Boutelle (rep., Me.) called up his privileged resolution, which he introduced just before the Christmas holidays, and on a yea and nay vote it was defeated, yeas 92, nays 159.

Mr. Bland (dem., Mo.) called up his silver seigniorage bill, and on his motion to go into committee of the whole for its consideration the republicans and some eastern democrats began to filibuster and succeeded in tying up the house until 7 o'clock, and in delaying action on the bill. At 7 o'clock the house adjourned.

Mrs. Pratt Sues the Register Also.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 8.—The papers in a second libel suit were served upon the Register late yesterday afternoon. The plaintiff is Mrs. M. Gertrude Hall Pratt, of this city, and she claims $20,000 damages. The action, like Mr. Tuttle's, grows out of the article printed in the Register on Sunday last, in which her name and that of Mr. Tuttle were coupled in a very unpleasant manner. The Register promptly accepted service in both cases and furnished bonds. Hon. H. L. Harrison is counsel for both Mrs. Pratt and Attorney Tuttle.

Methodist Campaign in Rome.

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—Plans for a campaign in the city of Rome are being made by the missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church of America. A lot has just been purchased in the heart of the Italian capital on which it is proposed to erect a large and handsome building to be the headquarters of the mission in Italy.

Miss Bennett's Verdict Reduced.

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 8.—After a thorough consideration of the case, Judge Child has reduced the verdict secured by Miss Margaret Bennett against the Clark Thread company, for the loss of one arm, from $15,000 to $12,000. He also said that if Miss Bennett will not accept this amount he will grant a new trial.

Gold Balance Up to $93,112,586.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Treasury officials have begun transferring to the cash balance the gold deposited for bonds. In round figures this amounts to $23,600,000. The stated balance now stands: Gold, $93,112,586; currency, $24,002,739; total, $117,115,325.

Republicans Active at Amsterdam.

AMSTERDAM, N. Y., Feb. 8.—The republican primaries in this city last night were the largest ever held. The city convention will take place this evening. The candidates for mayor are George R. Hannon and Raymond Christman.

Postmasters Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—The senate has confirmed the following nominations of postmasters: Pennsylvania—J. H. Mercer, Bloomsburg. Connecticut—D. T. Walsh, Ansonia; D. P. Gallivan, Clintonville.

His Resignation Called For.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Secretary Carlisle has called for the resignation of L. A. Dodge, appraiser of merchandise at Boston.

Given Up for Lost.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Feb. 8.—The owners of the fishing schooner Robert G. Edwards have given up all hope for the vessel and her crew.

Local Weather Forecast.

Rain; slight change in temperature; southerly winds.

PLANS OF THE MINORITY

Will Fight for Public Hearings on the Tariff.

When the Bill is Reported They Expect to Secure Enough Democratic Votes to Have it Recommitted—Mr. Voorhees in Disfavor—How Wool Growers Feel in the Matter.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Senators Morrill, Sherman, Aldrich and Allison were in conference again this morning, discussing what should be the policy of the republicans in the coming tariff fight. No conclusion was reached and another conference will be held in a day or two. It is learned, however, that much feeling exists over the action of the democratic members of the finance committee, and this sentiment is directed with especial emphasis at Mr. Voorhees, chairman of the committee. Republican members of the committee state with positiveness that hearings were promised by Mr. Voorhees. It is understood that the republicans have decided to make a vigorous fight in behalf of hearings and will when the bill is reported to the senate move to recommit it to the committee with instructions to have hearings. Republican senators appear to be confident that with the aid of democratic votes they can secure the recommittal of the bill to this purpose.

The bill has been practically divided into five sections or schedules—A, B, C, D and E. In the first schedule will be placed all articles bearing compound and combined specific and ad valorem duties and the remaining duties will be all ad valorem. In schedule B, will be placed all articles bearing a duty of 40 per cent; in schedule C, those bearing 30 per cent; in schedule D, those bearing 20 per cent, and in schedule E, those bearing 10 per cent. The bill when reported will contain no free list. Every article mentioned in it will be subject to a duty of some kind, and those not named in the bill will be admitted free of duty.

The sub-committee is going carefully through the Wilson bill and selecting the largely imported articles. As these articles are picked out they are placed in the schedule which, in the judgment of the committee, will cause them to yield the greatest revenue. The whisky schedule was briefly discussed. The talk was as to the advisability of increasing the tax and extending the bonded period. No agreement was reached, but it was decided to have a talk with the commissioner of internal revenue on the subject.

Ex-Senator Warren was about the senate chamber to-day talking with senators presenting the situation as viewed by the wool growers. The Wool Growers' association, he said, did not represent the so-called robber barons and trusts, but the agriculturists of the United States, and they regarded the refusal of the committee as a refusal to those interested in agricultural pursuits, not only in the raising of sheep, but the raising of grain and feed and other products allied to this industry. Putting wool on the free list, in brief, meant the damage of an investment of $300,000,000; the annihilation of 47,000,000 of sheep now being raised for their wool, and the removal of employment from a million and a half of people.

Paterson Officials Indicted.

PATERSON, N. J., Feb. 8.—The grand jury has found indictments against Clerk William Nelson, of the board of chosen freeholders, and Charles A. Shrine, for unlawfully obtaining $3,000 from the board to aid in the publication of a centennial history of Paterson. It is said an ex-freeholder is also indicted for signing bills without warrant of law.

Election Inspector Convicted.

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—Peter Nevill, the inspector of election of the Twenty-eighth election district and fourth assembly district, was found guilty of neglect of duty by a jury last night. He was remanded until Monday next for sentence. The jury put in a strong recommendation for mercy

Stricken With Apoplexy in Court.

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—George B. Curtis, while testifying in the supreme court yesterday afternoon, was stricken with apoplexy, and he was removed to a hospital. Mr. Curtis is 61 years old. He is well-known in this and other cities as a real estate man. His condition is precarious.

Sale of Scney Paintings.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—The first night's sale of the George Seney collection of paintings at Chickering hall was well attended. The bidding was brisk. One hundred pictures realized about $18,000. "A Standard Bearer," by Adolph Schryer, brought $2,850.

Improved Rifle.

PARIS, Feb. 8.—The Figaro says that a retired French naval officer has invented a rifle that is capable of firing two kinds of explosive bullets. These bullets have immense powers of penetration, and 100 of them weigh only 1,000 grammes.

Strike for Increase of Pay.

LOWELL, Mass., Feb. 8.—The "boarders" employed by the Shaw Stocking company are on strike for an increase of wages. The company at this time is receiving orders for goods and the strike at this time is a serious matter to them.

No News from Rio.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—No information has been received by Secretary Gresham or Secretary Herbert from Rio Janeiro since Sunday and it is presumed that nothing worthy of cabling has occurred.

Working for Berkman's Release.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 8.—Efforts are being made to secure a pardon for Berkman, the anarchist who attempted to assassinate Mr. Frick, but the police officials have no fear of the pardon being granted.

No Trace of Princess Colonna Yet.

PARIS, Feb. 8.—No trace has yet been found of the Princess Colonna, the step-daughter of John W. Mackay, who is suing her husband for a judicial separation here.

Yorktown Still on the Ways.

CHESTER, Pa., Feb. 8.—Another attempt to launch the new steamer Yorktown yesterday failed and the launch has been postponed until Saturday.

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SIGN, SIGN, SIGN!

For the Sake of Everything You Hold Dear in Plainfield, Hurry Along the Sewer Project!

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—The law under which Plainfield is seeking to provide for a system of sewerage was approved April 7, 1890, and its initial requirement is that the owners of three-fifths of the real estate of the city shall petition the Common Council to provide for, and cause to be constructed, the sewerage system demanded. Petitions have been in circulation for several months with the following result up to Feb. 3: Of the total assessed real estate, valued at about $5,918,000, the owners of $2,966,470 have signed, leaving $584,330 necessary to complete the requirement of the act. Mayor Gilbert—who has been indefatigable and untiring in his efforts to promote this much-needed city improvement—has a list of the owners of $320,000 worth of this amount, all of whose signatures he is very sure of securing during the present month, which will leave less than $270,000 additional to be otherwise secured.

The accomplishment of this preliminary step towards the sewerage of Plainfield is reasonably well assured, and it is to be hoped that an immediate effort will be made by property owners to see that their names are enrolled on this petition, as it would be gratifying to the Mayor and Common Council to know that a very large majority of the property owners of Plainfield were anxious to see this improvement commenced as soon as possible.

A postal card expressing a willingness to sign the petition, and addressed to Mayor Gilbert, will receive immediate attention. Every property owner is especially solicited for his or her signature.

The season is an auspicious one for such an undertaking; materials of construction are at lowest prices, and labor is plentiful and cheap.

GEORGE H. FROST,
Chairman of Committee on Sewers.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Henry P. Krugere, of Park avenue, is seriously ill.

Mrs. George Voehl, of West Front street, is quite ill.

Willie McKillop, of Westervelt avenue, has been ill for the past few days.

Edward Sebring, of Emily street, is confined to his house with the grip.

S. P. Dunn, of East Seventh street, entained a number of friends at dinner last evening.

Albert Simmonds, a student of Yale College, is at his home in this city for a few days.

Mrs. Eden L. Bolce has returned home after spending ten days with her niece in Lorraine.

Mrs. D. M. Moore and Horace Moore, of East Fifth street, returned from Boston yesterday.

Daniel Van Winkle of Central avenue has an attack of grip, which confines him to his home.

The condition of T. H. Bartindale, of Kensington avenue, was slightly improved this morning.

Miss VanDeventer, of Willow place, has so recovered as to be able to dispense with the services of a nurse.

Maria Jackson was married to Edward Saunders at the home of the groom, 509 East Sixth street, last evening.

J. H. Burchill, who was graduated with honor from Ontario College, and who is a licensed New Jersey pharmacist, will join the staff of Leggett's Pharmacy Monday. He is a young man of pleasing manners and address.

BY THE WAY.

—George DeMeza had six cases in court at Elizabeth today.

—Councilman V. L. Frazee received 500 barrels of Pillsbury flour yesterday.

—Services will be held every Friday evening at 8, during Lent, in the German Lutheran church, on Grove street.

—The section of the oil-cloth factory buildings to be used as a colored church is being moved up North avenue.

—Mrs. Dr. Edwards, the clairvoyant, is at Room 2, City Hotel. Her announcement will be published tomorrow.

—The next meeting of the Citizens Organized Aid Association will be held in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church next Monday evening.

—Charles Frulick, who stole a watch from Hervey Doane, and in whose possession stolen bicycles were found, was sent by Judge McCormick today to the Reform School. Geo. DeMeza looked after Frulick's interests.

Baptist Revival, Next.

There has been considerable religious feeling for some time past in the First Baptist Church.

Several candidates were recently baptized by the pastor, Rev. D. J. Yerkes, and others are waiting to observe the ordinance.

It is expected that Arthur Crane, an earnest revival worker, will have charge of the meetings that will be held in this church commencing Monday evening next.

Evangelistic singing will be a feature of these services.

THREW OUT THE WOMAN.

Collision of Vehicles on the Mountain Road.

While George Wisans and wife, accompanied by their niece, Miss Breakly, and Henry Wise, were returning from the Mary E. Wilson Memorial Chapel, Tuesday evening, where they attended a Y. P. S. E. prayer meeting, they were run into by Daniel Moore and his son Ed. Just as they reached the stone wall above Demler's Hotel, Winans heard a team coming along at a rapid rate. He drove as close to the wall as possible, but, although his carriage lamps were lighted, the heavy wagon crashed into the carriage, throwing Miss Breakly out and under the horses. How she escaped being trampled on is a wonder. She was not hurt, however, and when seen by a reporter yesterday was as merry as ever.

The collision broke both shafts, and bent the axle and traces of the carriage, besides breaking the harness.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Allen's latest wonder is something to save your chimneys.

—Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., has a meeting this evening.

—Petrie & Wood deny having sold out their insurance business to Lyman & Brett.

—The Round Top school-house has been completed, and is ready for occupancy.

—A refractory canine bit Dogcatcher Frisby's finger today. E. J. Shaw cauterized the wound.

—Next Thursday evening the bowling team of the Board of Trade will bowl a team from Alert Hose Company.

—Ed Curan, blacksmith, after a long absence, has returned to Plainfield, and gone to work for John H. Stevens.

—Samuel Hand, mason, has rented the house on Elmwood place owned by Charles Hand, and will move there March 1.

—A good-sized delegation left town this morning to attend the Grand Army Encampment to be held in Trenton today and tomorrow.

—Mrs. Rufus K. Case, chairman of the W. C. T. U., desires through The Press to thank all who aided in making the turkey supper such a success.

—Organist Rutenber of Dr. Harsha's Church in New York, will play in the First Presbyterian Church Friday evening, when Dr. Harsha will preach.

—The insurance men are in town today trying to effect a settlement with Sigmund Frucht, whose place, on East Front street, was damaged by fire.

—Iona Council held a meeting last evening which was largely attended. The committee reported progress of preparations for the coming masquerade ball.

—Sylvanus Hoffman of West Front street is another claimant for the honor of hatching the first eggs of the season by hen power. He says he had a sitting hatched Monday.

—Freddie Jones will not play ball here this season. He has received a letter from the manager of the Binghamtons, asking him for his terms, and he will probably play there.

—U. B. Crane will lead the Christian Endeavor meeting in the First Baptist Church tomorrow evening. A short business meeting will precede the devotional service.

—Charles Herlick, who attended the party at Mr. Baldwin's, near Warrenville, Tuesday evening, on his return home slipped and fell, cutting one eye badly and scraping the skin off his cheek and nose.

—A summons returnable Feb. 17 in the case on contract of Shumway against Butz was issued by Justice Nash today. In the case of Stout and others against Sherley the summons was made returnable Feb. 19.

—Don't eat at home tonight, but enjoy a change of diet at the New England supper of Trinity Reformed Church. The best of things to eat will be supplied in abundance. The cost of a meal is only 35 cents, and it's all in a good cause.

—The A. C. D. Club of Elizabeth will give a vocal and instrumental entertainment in Reform Hall this evening. Mlle. Blanche and the Star Quartette are among those who will make the evening enjoyable with a programme of twenty-three numbers.

—An amusing incident occurred a day or two ago in one of the Plainfield dry-goods stores. A woman was looking for the goods called crash, but inquired of the clerk as follows: "I want to see some trash, but I don't want lining, for it's to be used in the kitching."

—The Misses Robison and Mrs. James Mann, of Plainfield avenue, will spend this afternoon and evening in Rahway. In the evening there will be a grand concert given in Rev. Thomas's church, in which Miss Laura Robison will accompany Mrs. Thomas in songs.

—Evangelist Gillam, lately associated with Rev. B. Fay Mills, is holding successful meetings in Metuchen. Yesterday all the stores were closed to permit attendance at the services. He closes his labors there next Tuesday, and will go to Roselle, where similar meetings will be conducted.

—The following delegates will represent the Y. M. C. A. of this city at the State Convention to convene in Montclair this evening: Frederick H. Andrews, A. B. Beers, Charles H. Belknap, George R. Cornwell, T. E. Hazell, A. C. LaBoyteaux, W. D. Murray, J. A. Powlison, J. A. Robinson and J. H. Manning. The Boys Department will be represented by Edgar Shepard and Vincent Bittenhouse.

—Dr. C. H. Clark, of 542 East Third street, suffered a slight attack of vertigo on Park avenue yesterday afternoon, and fell. John Hogan assisted him into H. P. Reynolds's pharmacy. Dr. J. T. Fritts attended him. Dr. Clark was taken home in a carriage, and was much improved today.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY.—"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75c. Sold by H. P. Reynolds, druggist, Plainfield. 12 6 tus

WRECK OF THE KEARSAGE.

(Special to The Press.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8—The old corvette Kearsage was wrecked on Renedor Reef, Feb. 2, while en route from Port-au-Prince, Hayti, to Bluefields, Nicaragua.

The officers and crew were saved.

The Kearsage is one of the best cruisers and most interesting vessels in the American Navy, and her exploit in sending the Confederate Alabama to the bottom forever made her memorable.

STATE CHARITIES AID.

Report of the Work in Union County.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Union County Branch of the S. C. A. A., held in Elizabeth yesterday afternoon, the following report was presented by the Committee on Jails, Almshouses, etc:

Nov. 18, a committee of the Union County Branch of the State Charities Aid Association of New Jersey, composed of Mrs. Meyers, Mrs. Trimble and Mrs. Tiffany, visited the alms-houses of Elizabeth and Rahway and the county jail of Elizabeth. The Elizabeth alms-house was in a satisfactory condition, the walls whitewashed and the floors scrubbed. Everything indicated on the part of the keeper and matron proper attention to the needs of the inmates. An old stove of former years was replaced by a good range and a nourishing dinner was in process of preparation. Though the house was crowded beyond its proper capacity (68 inmates) the matron reported the health of the inmates to be excellent. The services formerly held by the members of Protestant churches had been discontinued. Many of the Roman Catholics walk into Elizabeth to attend service at their own church. Two infants were seen in the building, but no older children. One woman subject to epilepsy was said to be violent at times, endangering the safety of other inmates. The Elizabeth jail was also very crowded (84 inmates). The committee was glad to find so worthy a successor to Charles Dodd as Warden, everything evidencing a faithful performance of duty. The committee would earnestly solicit books and magazines to fill bookshelves waiting to receive them. Such contributions are much appreciated by the prisoners and when judiciously selected may be an efficient help to the elevation of character. As is usually the case the women seemed more degraded than the men and the warden spoke of the unwillingness to work on the part of many women. The committee noticed that the side of the jail adjoining the churchyard was darkened by a number of large trees, making it difficult for the men to read while lying in their cells during portions of the day, and rendering the jail, in the opinion of a physician, positively unhealthy.

In consideration of the feeling of sentiment and beauty which attaches to old trees, it might seem almost too much to ask that this defect be remedied, though a consideration of this matter by the Trustees of the church should be much appreciated.

The Rahway almshouse lacked in certain conditions over which the keeper and matron had no control. The law requiring the complete separation of men and women in such institutions may not be enforced, owing to the imperfect condition of the building. This matter was presented to the consideration of the Common Council of Rahway some weeks since, and it is hoped it will soon receive proper attention. In other respects the committee is glad to report a very favorable condition of affairs and to accord to the keeper and matron deserved praise for faithful discharge of duty. Among the inmates were one feeble-minded woman and three boys. The committee would recommend that the first be sent to the Home for feeble-minded women at Vineland, and that homes or work be secured for the latter as soon as practicable, before their self-respect and self-dependence be destroyed by a childhoood passed under alms-house influences.

WHAT HAS BECOME OF HAYNES?

He Went Out to Deliver Meat, and Never Came Back.

Basil Haynes, an eighteen-year-old employe in Mrs. D. I. Smalley's butcher shop, corner of Somerset and Race streets, left yesterday morning under peculiar circumstances, and up to a late hour this afternoon had not returned.

Haynes left with a basket of meat to deliver to customers, principally in the upper part of the borough. None of the customers have complained of not receiving their orders. It cannot be ascertained as yet whether the young man made any collections or not. No trace can be found of the meat or the basket.

Men driving a stone wagon near the Washingtonville chapel at 4 yesterday afternoon say they saw him walking rapidly towards the south, but do not know whether he entered Plainfield.

John Haynes, the father of the missing youth, is a well-known and respected butcher residing at 26 Park place. He is employed in Hetfield's meat market in Dunellen.

William J. Haynes, a brother of Basil, works in New York and another brother is employed in the First National Bank of Plainfield. A theory is advanced that young Haynes's disappearance was caused by mental difficulty.

—The new Plainfield corps organized last night by electing George F. Edwards Captain, and had their first drill in the Crescent Rink.

—George Shay and John Adams, of Terrill road, were tried today in Elizabeth for alleged assault on John English. George DeMeza defended them. The jury remained out for an hour and returned with a verdict convicting Adams and acquitting Shay.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup has always been kept up to the standard. It is the same it was forty years ago, the best sold.

SCRUB and WASH as you will, it is not easy to keep the hands smooth and white in winter time. In fact, the more you scrub and wash, the rougher seems the skin, and you find that the best of soap fails to whiten it. Now if, after washing, you will moisten your hands with LEMON JUICE AND GLYCERINE, the effect will be to soften and whiten the skin, even in the worst weather. Used by hundreds of the "best people" in Plainfield. Originated and sold only by H. P. REYNOLDS, Pharmacist, Park and North avenues.

AT REST.

Mrs. Catharine Kline.

The funeral of Mrs. Catharine Kline, who passed away last Monday in her 81st year, was held from the residence of her son-in-law, Alexander Willett, 28 Craig place, this afternoon at 1. There was a large attendance of friends and relatives.

Rev. Cornelius Schenck conducted the service and read appropriate Scripture lessons, after which he spoke as follows:

"Today we stand by the side of one who has lived longer than the allotted three-score years and ten, and we see Christ's promise, 'to keep in old age', verified. He does not alter; we change, but He is the same yesterday, today and forever. How consoling such a promise is, especially to rest upon.

"We recall with tenderness the last words of the departed: 'Jesus, how near He is. I am going Home'. Indeed, Jesus was with her to the last, and, in fact, Christ engages to be a life-long friend, and will not forsake.

"He will be with us 'to old age'. When we are in possession of all our faculties we think we can get along without help; but 'in old age', when our strength is diminishing and our powers are curtailed, we need Him.

"Aged people speak of increased lonetiness; old friends drop by the way; and companionships of former years are missed. They are by feebleness excluded from the privilege of public worship. But here is where God comes to help and strengthen. If it be true that old age brings second childhood, it is also true that God becomes our Father, and in an especial way to bless.

"In the forty-sixth chapter of Isaiah, He says, 'I will carry, I will bear, and I will deliver', and He will fulfill the promise.

"The departed was delivered from fear of death and was composed to the last. She, through Christ, was a conqueror, and He will do the same to all who trust Him.

"We are gathered today with those who feel keenly their loss. In her closing days she was not disappointed in her Lord. She has gone to be with Christ, and to be in His immediate presence."

Addressing the children, the pastor said: "What a comfort to know your mother is with Christ! May God grant his Spirit, grace and help!"

In closing, Mr. Schenck offered a very beautiful and touching prayer.

Those present then took a last view of the departed, who looked lifelike and natural, the eye glasses she had worn for years being permitted to remain in their familiar place.

Two beautiful solos—"Lead Kindly, Light" and "Resurrection Morn"—were sung by Miss Fanny Mattison, Miss Phoebe Mills and Robert Clark.

The pall-bearers, all grandchildren, were Herbert Willett, Fred Willett, Frank Willett, Walter Swalm, Walter Startupp and William Startupp.

Interment was in Bound Brook.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

FOR SALE or to let, house and barn 109 West 4th st. Apply G. W. Force, 111 West 2d st. 2 8 3

LOST—Going from Rockview avenue through Sycamore and Mercer avenues, a pair of eye glasses in case. Return to 96 Mercer avenue. 2 8 2

LOST—Large yellow dog; reward for return to 315 East 2d st.

WE have calls for some houses that will rent for $30 to $35 per month; send us a list at once. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung ave. 1 22 tf

OUTSIDE flat, 6 rooms to let, from April 1; rent $12.50. Charles H. Hand. 2 8 tf

5-ROOM flat to let; new building; Watchung avenue; water in flat; rent $13; will be vacant April 1. Charles H. Hand, 317 Watchung avenue. 2 8 tf

TO LET—3 or 5 rooms. Apply 117 Elmwood place. 2 6 4

$5 REWARD for return of gold link bracelet, lost between Hulett's Hall and the Crescent Avenue Church. Return to this office. 2 5 tf

FOR RENT—At 23 Pearl st, 7 room house. Inquire 54. 2 6 3.eod

TO LOAN, on 1st mortgage $600, $1,200, $1,700, $3,000. Mulford, broker. 2 7 tf

WANTED—A roomy house within 10 minutes walk of station; will lease if satisfactory. Address with terms and particulars, H., care Press. 2 7 2

A GOOD opportunity for a man in milk business; I have a good house; can furnish from 100 to 150 quarts milk; also stable and house for wagon. Call on Wm. H. Potter, 3d house east of Mt. Pleasant school house or address Plainfield, N. J. 2 7 2

WANTED—Houses to sell or let. Crosley, real estate agent, 62 Duer st., North Plainfield. 2 7 4

WANTED—A competent white girl to do general housework. Call at 91 Rockview avenue. 2 7 2

WANTED—House, 5 or 6 rooms; centrally located; possession April 1. Address Z., care Press. 2 1 tf

TO LET—10 room house; modern improvements; 127 East 5th st. Apply Wm. H. Brower, 432 Watchung avenue. 1 31 tf

MONEY wanted on bond and mortgage or A 1 property at 6 per cent. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

AN elegant brick and brown stone house for sale or exchange for Plainfield property, on Halsey street, Brooklyn. Edward Love, corner North and Watchung avenues. 12 30 tf

FOR SALE—"The Medical and Surgical History of the Late War"; 4 rare vols. Address Books, care Press. 1 20 tf

175 BUILDING lots for sale; prices from $175 to $2,000 each on easy terms. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

MONEY wanted to invest on gilt-edge Plainfield mortgages. Chas. A. Reed att'y, National Bank Building. 10 29 tf

900 PEOPLE

Testified by Their Presence and Plaudits in Music Hall Last Night THEIR APPROVAL of the Class of Plays Presented, and the style of Presenting them, in That House. This Gratifying Public Approbation Is Sufficient Answer to the Attacks of Adversaries. The Next Attraction is

THOMAS H. KEENE,

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THURSDAY NIGHT, FEB. 15.

Regular Prices. Seats on sale at Leggett's.

Vocal and Instrumental Instruction.

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Than previous to the hard times, notwithstanding some of our competitors are selling exclusively for cash at the old prices. For Carpets, Parlor Suits Bedroom Suits, Bedding and Stoves and all kinds of Household Furnithings you can do better at our store in terms and prices than any other house in the trade. Please give us a call and be convinced.

Furniture stored at low rates in the new storage building at 88 Bank street and moved at reasonable prices.
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Everything in Winter Goods Must Be Sold.

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ALL THIS WEEK.

We will give you 3 lbs dried peaches, 19c., 6 lbs best currants, 19c., 3 lbs best raisins, 19c., 4 lbs good rice, 19c, 3 qts. green peas, 19c, 3 qts soup beans, 19c., 3 qts lima beans, 19c., 1½ lb box best cocoa, 19c., 5 cakes best sweet chocolate, 19c., 3 lbs best mince meat, 19c, 4 lbs best jelly, 19c, 3 lbs soda crackers, 19c., 4 lbs best dates, 19c., 6 lbs oat meal, 19c., 5 boxes Bixby's best blacking, 10c size, 19c. Given away free—12½ lbs. best flour, one-half gallon jug filled with syrup, 25c.

At Fulper's, 207 West Front Street

1 12 tf

YOU CAN BUY

AT EDSALL'S

Great Clearance Sale!

FUR CAPES

At $3.99, were $5.50; at $8 50, were $12; at $11, were $16 25.
Ladies' muslin gowns, best quality, well made, full length and width.
Gowns that were 79c., now 69c.
Gowns that were $1.10, now 89c.
Gowns that were $1.35, now 99c.
Gowns that were $1.49, now $1.25.
Gowns that were $1.67, now $1.49.
One lot ladies' fast black cotton hose at 19c, were 25c; one lot ladies' wool hose at 17c., were 23c; one lot ladies' black cashmere hose at 21c., 29c., 40c., were 25c., 35c., 50c; one lot men's Scotch wool gloves at 39c., were 50c; one lot men's Scotch wool gloves at 29c., were 35c.
Besides thousands of other BARGAINS, all must be sold prior to removal. It may be a long time before you will have such a splendid opportunity to buy fine goods at such remarkably LOW PRICES.

EDSALL'S

Great Clearance Sale of Boots & Shoes

—OVER—

8 THOUSAND PAIRS

Marked down in price. This is your opportunity if you want to get good reliable Footwear at manufacturer's prices.

DOANE & EDSALL.

For Evaporated Peaches, Apples, Apricots, Prunelloes, Pears, French & California Prunes, Raisins and Currants and Citron, call on

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Sebring's,

BIG SALE OF TROUSERS.

ALL WOOL $1.95.

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Fine China Glass and Dinner Ware.

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Another Wonder Come.

Prevents Lamp Chimneys From Breaking.

Price 10c. at the 5 and 10c. store.
It is commonly known that a spoon placed in a glass will prevent breaking even though scalding water is poured in the glass. A similar principel is used in "THE NEW WONDER." Article is guaranteed, and money refunded if not as represented. Not since "Pigs in Clover" has there been such a demand. Get your supply before factory is overtaked.

ALLEN'S, 202 WEST FRONT STREET.

107 PARK AVENUE,

Ladies' Kid Button were $3.00, now $2.50; ladies' pat tip button were $2.50 now $2; misses' st gt button were $2, now $1.50; men's cork sole bals were $6 now $5; men's cork sole bals were $5, now $4; men's wint Russia bals were $5, now $3.50; men's patent leather bals were $5, now $4.

A few other ods and ends that are big bargains. Come while we have your size.

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SCISSORS.

Want a pair that will cut? Our assortment of such is elegant. The steel is German and guaranteed. We have scissored the prices.

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"Seeing is Believing."

Simple, Beautiful, Good—these words mean much, but to see "The Rochester" will impress the truth more forcibly. Its marvelous light is purer and brighter than gas light, softer than electric light, and more cheerful than either. The choicest bric-a-brac in the palace of a Vanderbilt reveals nothing finer. We have 2,700 artistic varieties, in brass, bronze, silver and black iron.

Ladies often like to go down among the large wholesale houses and buy of first hands. They will find at our salesrooms (the largest in the world) a rare collection of Art in lamps. A catalogue to send you if you cannot come.

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20 PER CENT. LESS
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On the Installment Plan.

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Has a few left over from his two auction sales at Netherwood.

There is no better time to build a house than now. Men want work, you can build cheaply and at the same time help others. 1 10 tf

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CASH
Paid for old gold and silver at
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103 Park ave.
ESTABLISHED 1869.

106 ASKED FOR AID.

Of These, Only 15 Had Ever Before Been Helped, and Only 10 Were Found Unworthy.

A noticeable feature of the destitution prevalent in and about Plainfield this winter is that most of the applicants to the Citizens Organized Aid Association have never before been helped. They are respectable people who have heretofore earned their living, but who cannot now get work of any kind. They are willing and ready to do anything and ask not for relief, but for an opportunity to work.

From Dec. 27, when the Association commenced work, to Feb. 1, one hundred and six cases have been investigated; of these but ten were found unworthy, and only fifteen have ever before been recipients of charity.

The great object of the association, the prevention of the duplication of relief, seems in a fair way of attainment. The merits of every application are carefully investigated; at least two references as to character and worth are required, and the persons referred to are visited and questioned as to their knowledge of the applicant.

A record of every case investigated is kept, and the results are communicated to any person having a legitimate interest in the matter.

The citizens of Plainfield are particularly requested not to give any money or clothing to applicants at their houses, but to refer them to the Association. Cards have been prepared to aid in this work, which may be had at the headquarters in the rooms of the Boys' Club, corner of Park and North avenues.

Every case so referred will be carefully investigated, and the sender will be notified of the result if he desires.

The Senator.

The bright lines and clever situations, the pretty costumes and still prettier young ladies, and above all the excellent acting, seen in "The Senator" at the Star Theatre in New York city, have had the effect of attracting large audiences to that theatre. Mr. Crane's popularity seems to be constantly on the increase and his welcome has been most friendly and warm. There are few actors who are held higher regard in and around New York than Mr. Crane and this fact having been forcibly impressed upon him by the numbers of people who have flocked to his performances, he is careful not to lose this regard and esteem. The consequence is, that he invariably gives an excellent performance, and the members of his organization easily fall into line and are compelled to do the same thing.

The people who have seen the play and sympathized with the Denman claimants have any idea that there was such a claim hanging over the United States. But there was. For seventy years such a claim was in Congress and it was only passed through the efforts of the Hon. George H. Pendleton, of Ohio. The record of the claim was dug out of the archives in Washington by David B. Lloyd, one of the authors of the play, while he was the correspondent in Washington of a New York paper. Unfortunately poor Lloyd never lived to see his play produced.

Since the comedy's revival, the New York critics have been unanimous in their praise of its cast. Mrs. Booth has won new laurels as Mrs. Hilary and Mr. De Belleville has made a pronounced hit in the wicked Count Von Strahl. The dresses worn by the ladies are very pretty and decidedly fashionable. Mrs. Booth wears four very beautiful gowns and so do Miss O'Neill, Miss Busy and Miss Wallis.

Emulate His Example.

At a regular meeting of Unity Lodge, No. 102, K. of P., held January 24, the following resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased divine providence to remove from our midst our brother, Bernhardt B. Gray, it was,

Resolved, That while this lodge bows in humble submission to the allwise ruler, we deeply mourn the loss of our deceased brother, and we are deeply sensible of the fact that in his death we lose one whose example it will be well for all to emulate, and whose memory should ever be kept green in our hearts.

Resolved, That the sympathy of this lodge be, and is hereby extended to the family and relatives of our deceased brother.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of this lodge, and that a copy of the same be sent to the family of our deceased brother, and published in the daily papers.

A. W. TENEYCK,
C. W. DEGRAW,
B. THATCHER,
Committee.

Stricken With Paralysis.

Josiah Layton, aged 60, who lives at 130 West Second street, had a stroke of paralysis in the blacksmith shop owned by Warren Stewart on Somerset street, this morning. Mr. Layton has been accustomed to visit Mr. Stewart's place every day, and work on the books.

A wagon was sent for, when the attack came on, and Mr. Stewart assisted him to his home on West Second street, where he was carefully looked after.

Mr. Layton has been in feeble health, and it is feared that this stroke, which is the second one, will prove serious.

Tradesmen to Bowl.

A game has been arranged by Chas. E. Vail, of the Board of Trade, between the first and second teams. It will be bowled Tuesday evening. Those who will bowl are:

FIRST TEAM.	SECOND TEAM.
VanEmburgh,	Littell,
Buckle,	Doane,
Davis,	Coward,
Teel,	Meeker,
Maltby,	Barnes,
Vail,	Tobin.

How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

West & Truax, wholesale druggists, Toledo, O.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. a bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

ONE OF MOODY'S HELPERS.

Singing and Preaching Evangelists Continue the Work of Rev. Wright.

The Gospel services which have been held in the First Presbyterian Church for the last two weeks and so ably conducted by Rev. F. H. Wright are continued during the present week.

Tonight Rev. Charles Herald of Brooklyn will take charge of the services.

Mr. Herald was one of Mr. Moody's most efficient helpers in the West, and conducted a very successful series of meetings in the Cooper Union, New York city, some years ago. He is a bright and attractive speaker who has labored in several churches, and his services have been sought after by many others as well as at conventions, the last one of which was probably the convention of the Christian Workers held at Atlanta, Ga., recently.

In addition to Mr. Herald being a powerful speaker, he is a singing evangelist, and plays his own accompaniments on a small organ. Mr. Herald has been doing a most successful work in Brooklyn, having meetings Sundays and during the week, the size of his congregation being limited only by the capacity of the building on most occasions, and it is only at the earnest solicitation of a friend that he will leave his work for a single night to supplement the work of Mr. Wright.

Tomorrow afternoon at 4 Rev. William J. Harsha, pastor of the Collegiate Church of Harlem, will conduct a Bible reading, and will preach in the evening at 8. Mr. Harsha's Bible readings have interested the many who have been able to attend them, he having come from Harlem to help Mr. Wright who labored in their church previous to his coming to Plainfield and where he is most kindly remembered today. To those who have heard Dr. Harsha he needs no introduction, and those who have not, should go and hear for themselves.

All are welcome to one or all of these services.

OBITUARY.

Charles H. Gill.

Charles H. Gill, contractor and builder, died at his home, 429 West Fourth street, at 1 this morning. He had been ill for a week, and last night became suddenly worse and died.

Mr. Gill was 61 years of age. He was born in England, and had no relatives in this country except his wife. He had lived in New Jersey thirty years, and in Plainfield since since 1868.

John Wilson.

John Wilson, colored, died at his home, 427 Cottage place, at 12 last night, after an illness of six weeks. He was sixty years old. For twelve years he was employed by J. Fred MacDonald, but three years ago he was compelled by rheumatism to leave, and until a year before his death he carried the mail between the post-office and the station. He leaves a widow, but no children.

Funeral of the Centenarian.

The funeral of Mrs. Nancy Mills-Baker, aged 104, was held yesterday at Westfield in the Presbyterian Church, Rev. N. W. Cadwell officiating. The church was crowded to the doors by friends of the deceased from all over the State. Interment was in the old burying ground beside Mrs. Baker's first husband.

Mrs. Hall's Endorsement.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Will you kindly allow me a little space in your columns, in which to call the attention of your readers to the rare opportunity which is offered to them this evening?

It is not often that a woman comes all the way from Australia to address a Plainfield audience. Miss Spence has so delighted all of us, who have had the pleasure and privilege of hearing her, that we hope that she may not be the last gifted woman who may bring us a message from that distant "Continental Island."

The simplicity of her manner, her shrewd and ready wit, her downrightness and earnestness, her vivacity and a certain pleasing quaintess, make her talks unusually interesting.

Every one who has heard her wishes her friends to likewise. It is to be hoped that all who are able to do so will avail themselves of this opportunity of hearing her tonight at All Souls Church on Park avenue.

FLORENCE H. HALL.

Plainfield, Feb. 8.

How New Market Helps Its Poor.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—A case of sad interest comes to light in New Market. It is that of a poor, hardworking woman with four little children, who was deserted by her husband, Michael Krueder, who ran away with Mrs. Strauss, four years ago.

Since he ran away she has taken in washing to support herself and children until about two weeks ago when she was taken sick with pneumonia, and her oldest son, who has been a cripple since he was born, has also had a turn for the worse, his limbs having started to decay. Being poor as they are their beds are both in the same room. The citizens are very kind to them, sending them plenty to eat and also taking turns in watching them. This week the town has hired a nurse to look after them.

OBSERVER.

2,000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from C. W. Maxon, Farina, Ills., says: "I consider your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have been in the drug business fourteen years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal satisfaction." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents.

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.

AFTER THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

What Local Crack Shots Are Doing at the Traps.

At the monthly shooting meeting of the Climax Gun Club, held yesterday, sixteen members faced the score, and did some some excellent shooting. The club now boasts of a membership list of nearly fifty, eight new members being elected at yesterday's meeting. The club has entered a team to compete for the State championship, which was won in 1891 by by the members of the Climax Club, at that time representing the Independent Gun Club of this city. Daniel H. Terry was appointed at yesterday's meeting to captain this year's team. The scores of the club shoot with the extra allowances received by each shooter were as follows: Joseph Zeglio, allowance 8, broke 23; D. Darby, allowance 5, broke 21; "P. Jay", allowance 4, broke 22; V. Swody, allowance 10, broke 20; W. Squires, allowance 5, broke 20; W. Terry, allowance, 5, broke 22; R. H. Manning, with 4 allowance, scored 22; L. VanDyke, 8, scored 12; "Williams", with 4 allowance, scored 23; John Darby, allowance 6, broke 16; J. Goodman, allowance 5, scored 18; S. Terry, allowance 3, broke 22; D. Terry, 2 allowance scored 20. C. Smith, scratch, broke 23 out of the possible 25. Brantingham, scratch, broke 21. Keller, scratch, broke 19. Several sweepstake matches at 10 targets were shot. No. 1, C. Smith took first with 10 straight; D. Terry and P. "Jay" second, with 9; Apgar and Goodman, third, with 8; D. Darby and Manning dividing fourth, with 7. In sweepstake No. 2, Manning, Smith, "Williams" and Keller divided first with 9 each. Apgar and S. Terry second, with 8. D. Terry taking third with 7.

Great Sport in Prospect.

Shooting circles will be surprised to hear that a match has at last been arranged between Aaron Woodruff, Elizabeth's champion pigeon shot, and Plainfield's own Dutchy Smith, to shoot a match of 100 live birds for $200, the loser to pay for the birds, American Association rules to govern. They are good shots, and the race will be one of much interest. There has been a deal of good-natured rivalry between shooters of Elizabeth and Plainfield of late, and the Terry boys will have another match on their hands, if LaMott and Keogle will only step to a long-distance telephone when they do their talking, as of course the Terry boys can't tell just what they say when all of the talking is done at such a distance. Let Keogle and Lamott put up the money, and the Terry boys will cover it in short order.

Helping the Aged Clergy.

There was a large attendance at the regular Wednesday evening prayer meeting of the Congregational Church last evening, and they had the pleasure of listening to an address on ministerial relief by Rev. N. H. Whittlesey, secretary of the National Council of the Congregational churches. He spoke of the formation of the relief fund, his first connection with it, and described some of the work it has done. He told how ministers who, having grown old in the service, were saved from want and misery by the timely assistance of the council; how two, by medical aid, had been saved from blindness during the past year, and how one white-haired home missionary in the West was enabled to pay off the mortgage and thus save his home, only by the arrival of aid from the relief fund and from a kind-hearted neighbor.

A substantial collection was taken up, after the address, for the benefit of this fund.

Found a Purse Lost Last Fall.

Last October Theodore Kurzhals, of West Second street, lost a pocketbook on a Central Railroad train while on his way to New York. It contained a sum of money and a few valuable papers. He had given up all hopes of ever recovering it, until yesterday, when he received a letter from Superintendent Olhausen, telling him that a pocketbook had been found with his name on it, and asking him to call at the office for the same. Mr. Kurzhals will go down today and claim the missing article.

A Fine Dinner.

Nothing adds so greatly to the enjoyment of a dinner at this season as a rich and carefully prepared soup of fine appetizing aroma and flavor. To prepare a soup of this kind requires long experience and practical knowledge which is very rare. In view of this fact, many of our epicures rely entirely on Huckins' celebrated soups, and find them not only enjoyable but of an unsurpassed degree of excellence. These soups are also really economical, as an equal quality cannot be prepared from raw materials as cheaply in a small way.

Finds a Tenant in Possession.

Undertaker Demott bought from Andrew Lutkins the house occupied by Rev. W. E. Honeyman, intending to establish his undertaking business on the premises. He understood that Mr. Honeyman rented only by the month, but the clergyman claims a renewal of the lease for one year from April 1, and desires to remain. Legal proceedings may result against Mr. Lutkins.

—Not only the best of bread and pastry, but also choicest candies, are to be found at McBride's, 41 Somerset street.

I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for over ten years; had it very bad, could hardly breathe. Some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely. It is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it and with happy results in every case. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my deafness.—B. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

BEHIND THE SCENES.

How Some of the "Blue Jeans" Realism Is Produced.

Music Hall was filled last night with an appreciative audience, but a good many women and not a few men turned their heads away from what is a thrilling scene on the stage. It was in the third act of "Blue Jeans", in the mill room scene, where the workmen are sliding the long boards toward the big saws that cut them in two.

Perry Bascom, after a realistic struggle with the villain, is thrown upon the sliding board, the wheels are started, and slowly his body is pushed toward the revolving saw. June batters at the door of the office. Everybody knows that she will save him, but the suspense is terrible. Seen from the stage, as a reporter did, the scene is not half as exciting.

The two saws are turned by means of a big fly-wheel for whose operation six sturdy men had to labor hard.

The stage effects the reporter found very interesting. The cherry blossoms that fell from the tree were old rose leaves and bits of pink paper, loosely tied in bunches. The steaming ox in the barbecue scene was effected by hot water being poured on lime in the zinc interior of the wooden image.

The play altogether was of absorbing interest, and the audience was well pleased, especially the gallery gods, who shrieked when the villain was foiled, and went into ecstacies over the soubrette's smart speeches. Over the band of "Rising Sun Roarers" everybody went wild. The quartette of singers was excellent.

THE MAXSON GOLDEN WEDDING.

Plainfield Women Pour the Coffee, and Costly Gifts Are Bestowed.

The Westerly papers tell of the delightful golden wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Johnathan Maxson, parents of H. M. Maxson, Superintendent of the Plainfield Public Schools. Mrs. H. M. Maxson and Mrs. David E. Titsworth, of Plainfield, presided over the coffee urns, and J. M. Titsworth and David E. Titsworth, with the help of the younger members of the family, saw that the wants of all were supplied.

The house was beautified and made fragrant with festoons of smilax, palms, ferns, calla, Easter and China lilies, differently colored bouquets of pinks and roses, while the bride and groom of fifty summers and winters each wore a small bouquet of genuine orange blossoms, and stood, nearly the entire evening, in front of a bank of flowers, to receive congratulations or bid good night to their large audience of relatives and friends. An elegant luncheon was served during the evening from the dining room, and a table in the chamber revealed some beautiful presents, including a six-piece, gold-lined, silver-chased tea set, a gift from the men in Mr. Maxson's shops, an onyx lamp-stand, beautiful vases, spoons, pins, dishes, picture, gold-headed cane, and two hundred dollars in gold.

EXPLORING CORAL REEFS.

Mayor Saunders Proves a Most Entertaining Personal Conductor.

The lecture of Mayor William L. Saunders on "The Coral Reefs of Bermuda" was appreciated by a large audience in the Monroe Avenue Chapel last evening. Walter M. McGee illustrated the lecture with lanternslide views of the islands.

The Mayor told of his experience three years ago when he explored the reefs above and below water for the purpose of mapping out an artificial channel of a mile in length which would save ships a twenty-mile passage through dangerous water.

The pictures included a number of the scenery and inhabitants of the islands and were all explained by Mr. Saunders in an entertaining way. An entertaining part of the lecture was the Mayor's description of his descents in a diver's dress. Anything which tells of diving seems to possess a peculiar interest for everybody, and as the speaker was both a well-known citizen and a practical diver his explanations were much enjoyed.

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Rapid Transit as Plainfield Dictates.

The Dunellen Borough Commissioners have appointed Dr. Brakeley, Adam Dealman and John Monahan a committee to confer with the Plainfield Common Council on the matter of street railway extension. Whatever terms the Plainfield Council dictate, Dunellen will agree to. The petition of the railway company has been referred to the Dunellen Sidewalk Committee to see if the signatures of citizens are correct.

—In the Church of our Saviour to-morrow there will be evening prayer and sermon at 8. A stage will leave the North Avenue station for the church and return, at 7:30 p. m.

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(From The Cranford Chronicle.)

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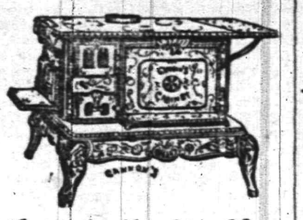

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A FIGHT FOR MILLIONS

By JOHN J. McGINNISS.

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"She's a woman among a million," was his mental comment as Isabel offered him her hand, her cheeks aglow with the mild excitement of the scene.

But all things come to an end.

The entertainment was on the wane. The guests began to depart. Somehow Raymond, with his unobtrusive diplomacy, had managed to engage Isabel's attention. He escorted her to an alcove invitingly embowered with all the taste of the florist's art and suggesting itself, in exotic exhalations, as a reposeful retreat, now that the whirl of the evening had begun to pall in its decline.

"Yes, it has been a very enjoyable evening," she said in answer to a remark of Raymond. "I never met so many friends at once before."

"And I haven't had the pleasure of seeing you for months. I'm at fewer events of this nature than you."

"Yes. What is there in politics attracts you men so?"

"I can't say; some people have suggested it is the passion for power."

"Commendable, when the power is exercised for good."

"But people will not give us credit for so exercising it. It is in the political world, like the social world, the jealous and the disappointed are quick to spread scandal that originates in their own minds and has nothing but spite to feed and live upon."

"You judge the world harshly."

"Harshly! You do not know it. Even you, in whose life there is nothing of the dross, cannot escape criticism."

"I?"

"Why, yes. Is it possible that you have never been annoyed by the envy that I have seen and heard—although but little in society—the envy of designing mothers?"

"That isn't so, is it?" she queried, regret and alarm starting her into an attitude that was winsome.

"Never mind," said Raymond sympathetically. "It is to be expected, and their fears are proof that their judgment is better than their manners."

"You are jesting," said Isabel, surprised at his speech. "Every one knows my status here—that of one who by virtue of the courtesies of old school companions has been permitted to share in the festivities that broaden her experience and add to that sum of knowledge which for the sake of her profession she would enlarge. The friction of contending minds brightens the intellect. I am a poor teacher. Therefore to you it is unnecessary to state why I am likely never to be asked in places such as this, where wealth casts its glamour over all, to change my name to that of a family which would consider the union of one of its scions to a person out of their social kingdom as a terrible mesalliance."

"Believe me, I am not jesting," said Raymond.

"As I think so, let us drop the subject."

"I do not mean to; I would like to place you beyond these people's criticism," he said slowly, with a look that was portent in its firmness, and yet so full of tenderness that Isabel hesitated until the explanation which was evidently coming could be offered in justice to him and her.

"I am prompted to talk in this vein," he said, "out of regard for one who is dear to you, I understand—Laurence Mangan. It is in my power to make him and you happy."

"Not by putting"— she began, while a flush of resentment mantled her cheeks.

"No, not by putting you apart," he interrupted, "if that is what you were going to say. Let me tell you I will bring you closer. His name is not Laurence Mangan, no more than yours is Isabel Le Clair."

Isabel was startled. She awaited in fear the words that were to follow.

"If Mangan knew it, his real name is Laurence Leland, and he is your brother," was Raymond's next declaration.

"My brother!" she exclaimed.

"Your brother."

"Thank God!"

"That he is?"

"No-o. Never mind," was her reply, her right hand mechanically rising to her brow as if to keep her dancing brain from beating its way outward. What conflicting emotions! Gratitude that she had escaped marriage with her brother; grief that she had lost Laurence in a relation, the very thought of which had, in days gone by, awakened within her the tenderest sensations of peace and bliss. She stared blankly at Raymond. Her eyes were upon him; her spirit was in other realms, where golden memories, crystallized with ideals that must never evolve into realities, were flying before her vision, dissipating before this revelation like mist on the mountains when the morning rays break in upon them. She was thinking, too, of the truth in the poet's lines:

Ah, such is the fate of our life's early promise,
So passing the springtide of joy we have known;
Each wave that we danced on at morning ebbs from us,
And leaves us at eve on the bleak shore alone.

Summoning all her will power to her aid, she concentrated her mind on the situation and its suggestions. Reason came back to its throne, and she asked:

"How have you learned this? How do you know it is true, that his name and mine is Leland?"

Raymond was cool and collected. He had not made up his mind how he would broach the subject. He realized that he had not done it delicately, but he had anticipated the result and was prepared. If she expected to read in his face anything of that which she had long dreamed to make clear—the secret of her ancestry—she was disappointed. Not a tremor of a muscle! His look was really one calculated to give her confidence in the sincerity he professed.

"If you do not believe me to be a friend," he continued, "I will say no more about the matter. Let me assure you I thought you would be pleased to hear news you must have long yearned for. It was my great solicitude for your welfare that caused me to speak as I have, and that, too, is my apology for being so abrupt. Let me take you back."

"Stay a moment," she interposed.

How rightly had he studied woman's nature! How often has her curiosity cost her the most priceless jewels in the circle of her womanly treasures! But in Isabel's case much might be pleaded in extenuation.

"Will you tell me all?" she asked, her arms involuntarily outstretched in abjuration.

Gently he took her hands and held them in his own. He looked at her lovingly, for his heart went out to her more than it ever had to any other of her sex.

"Don't think me hard," he beseeched. "I'll tell you, but if my story makes you happy, as I know it will, can I not hope for happiness in return?"

"Are you sure that—that—Lau—Laurence is my brother?"

"As sure as I am that you are Isabel Leland."

"You could not ask me to answer now. I have never imagined this. Do not press me. I will certainly be grateful. Let me not think you anything but manly, when the recollection of your kindness will rise before me."

"This means much to Laurence—Laurence, you call him, and my friendship warrants me in using the name," continued Raymond. "He is under a cloud. If you were my wife, I could appeal in his behalf to those who mean to ruin him, ruin him through wrong, I feel. As a disinterested person, I could not stay the storm that lowers above him, but to protect me and mine from dishonor these people could be induced to consent to an investigation that would vindicate Laurence. Then, again, I have long desired to lift him to the highest place in his profession. It is within my power to do so."

"But I know nothing of this, or of what it means. Am I asked to pledge myself before there is justification? Will you still torture me with suspense?"

"No, I will begin my story. Your father was George Leland, an honored and an honorable man. He came from England with your mother, ambition goading him on. Laurence was the eldest child, nearly 8 years your senior. Two other children your parents had. They are dead. Your father was erratic in his way. For several years he lived at Worcester, Mass. When your brother was 3 years old, your father began to travel, searching for speculations. Your brother Laurence was not very strong, and as your mother had hopes of bringing her husband back to Worcester she left the boy there in her sister's care. As he grew up, the boys all addressed him as Laurence Mangan. Mangan was the name of your aunt's husband. He had no children of his own, and Laurence became his idol."

"But how is it that Laurence does not know his own surname?" she queried.

"I am coming to that. Your mother was taken ill here, shortly before your birth. She didn't feel equal to a journey back to Worcester, having been worn out with travel through several states, and at any rate your father took a liking to this city, and she was very cautious in avoiding suggestions that might again awaken the roving disposition within him. Your brother was in his aunt's care from his third year, as the boy was not strong enough to stand the travel. Your father was moving from place to place, your mother always with him. They settled in this city in 1873, and it was your mother's intention to have Laurence brought on, when she was stricken down. Your uncle had queer notions of your father. He knew he had not the disposition of the migratory swallow, returning to the old haunts with the change of seasons, and that he would never revisit Worcester. Mr. Mangan had therefore made up his mind that Laurence would remain with him. Mangan was not wealthy, but he was comfortably situated, and he had no thought that objections would be made to his adoption of the boy, especially as the probability was that your father would not be long in wasting his substance in his speculations. Mr. Mangan never told Laurence of his people, for the reason, he said to his wife, that it is time enough when his folks return, or until he is older and capable of appreciating the case. Your mother's death was followed quickly by that of your aunt, and Laurence never learned this story. Your father placed you in the convent."

"Why has my father been silent and apparently so careless of Laurence and me?"

"He went to Denver and was killed—killed for his money. He had not time to make any arrangements."

"And how have you learned this; how came you to be acquainted with a history that is a mystery to me and to—to—Laurence?"

"Simply enough. The old lawyer with whom I studied was your father's counsel. In rummaging over old papers a short time ago, I found a letter from the district attorney of Denver, inclosing a memorandum written at your father's dying request—he lived a few hours after the shooting. That memorandum directed your father's counsel to look after your interests. I presume the lawyer found you had a good home, that Laurence had another and that, as your father had left no property, matters could not be improved. Out of my love for you I made inquiries that enlarged my knowledge. Your family, on the maternal as well as the paternal side, is an honored one."

"Why not tell Laurence?"

"Has he never spoken to you about me?"

"No, beyond saying that you were not friendly toward each other on account of politics. I never asked more, just because it was politics."

"He's a queer lad," remarked Raymond. "If I told him, he would almost kil his uncle, now an old man, for the deception practiced upon him."

"In what does all this mean danger for Laurence?" asked Isabel.

"You have not yet told me that my interest in you is reciprocated?"

"The interest is."

"But there is something more I seek."

"A woman's heart is not like the wax matrix of a phonograph, susceptible to the slightest sound and holding it until itself is molten," was the evasive response.

"There is no one whom you would have nearer or dearer to you—in this one sense, I mean—the sense of honest love?"

"If Laurence is my brother—then—perhaps"— and realizing that she had almost made an admission she broke off into the strain most pressing upon her mind:

"How is Laurence threatened?"

Raymond was satisfied. He knew that gratitude in woman, like pity, is akin to love. The first process in its evolution was visible to his quick eye and was confirmed by the ear that had marked the intonation when she referred to the quality of a woman's heart. He could now finish his story and trust safely to time, he thought, to make her his own.

"Laurence was a clerk in your uncle's store, a large one for a town like Worcester. He had other ambitions and ran away one morning and entered newspaper life. The day after his departure there was a defalcation of a few thousands of dollars reported. The bookkeeper placed the blame upon Laurence, who was trusted. The evidence was against him. The deposit sent with him to the bank, the day previous to his departure, was larger than the sum credited in the passbook. So the bookkeeper charged. They have been a few years hunting Laurence down. A lawyer friend of mine who has the case in hand has withheld proceedings at my earnest request. He has not notified your uncle, who, some time ago, sent him authority to act, having heard Laurence was here. Requisition papers will be soon issued and would have been issued ere this, but for my influence in advising delay."

"You do not think him guilty, do you?"

"Certainly not, but your uncle is so stubborn and vindictive that if he once got Laurence back in Worcester he would not relent, but would press the charge to conviction. The evidence of the bookkeeper would be sufficient to send your brother to state prison, and your uncle is severe enough to do it as a punishment for what he considers ingratitude. My opinion is that the bookkeeper is the real thief, who saw in the disappearance of Laurence a splendid opportunity to evade the consequences of his own peculations. I suggested this to my lawyer friend, but he says that Mr. Mangan, your uncle, will not listen to the theory."

"Oh, what shall we do to save him?" cried Isabel.

"Say nothing to him at all about it," Raymond advised. "If he had the slightest inkling of it, he is too manly to remain here for a day. He would go to Worcester immediately, and having no defense prepared, nothing to rely upon but the consciousness of his own innocence, his impetuosity would lead to the penalty of imprisonment. Leave the case to me to manage, and in due time you will find the results favorable, provided you do not allow your anxiety to betray you and make known to him the situation. My friend confided to me alone, because he was under the impression that I desired Laurence's

Her body slowly slid from the chair.

humiliation, and that his action in the case, if agreeable to me, might be another step up to the seat of a justiceship to which he aspired. Such is the way of the world."

"I will obey your wishes," she answered faintly.

The tension on her nerves relaxed, and she swooned. Her body slowly slid from the chair to the floor, the rustling of her dress and the deadened sound of the soft fall attracting the attention of Inez, who was passing.

"The heat of the room has been too much for her," said Raymond. "Even the flowers are fading."

"That and the excitement," said Inez.

Isabel was carried to the boudoir set apart for her. She rested little that night, but arose in the morning at her accustomed hour, bearing herself bravely, showing no sign that would reveal aught of the great trouble that was darkening her life, with few rifts in the clouds through which she could look to for consolation in the brightness beyond.

"Mr. Raymond is good," she said. "He means well, but can I repay him as he wishes?"

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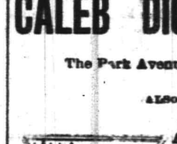

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 6 00, 7 10, 8, 8 30, 9 10, 10, 11 00, A. M., 1 10, 3 00, 3 30, 3 50, 4 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30, 6 45, 6, 6 10, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M. 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 00, 9 00, A. M., 12 M., 1 15, 5, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A. M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 3 30, 6 26, 8 00, 7 30, 9 05, 6, 6 46 9 30, 10 04, 10 37, 11 24, A. M., 12 08, 1 14, 3 07, 3 30, 5 15, 4 01, 4 50, 5 54, 6 26, 8 34, 7 08, 8 46, 10 17, 11 12 P. M. Sunday—3 00, 8 15, 9 37, 11 24, A. M., 12 08, 1 14, 3 07, 5 15, 6, 6 26, 8 34, 7 08, 8 46, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 05, 42 9, 9 06, 10 00, 11 30 A. M., 1 16, 1 35, 2 20 Saturday only, 3 04, 3 30, 4 06, 4 55, 5 06, 5 30, 6 00, 6 20, 7 15, 7 30, 8 40, 10 05, 11 20 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 9 15, 9 30, 11 30, A. M., 1 15, 2 00, 4 10, 5 00, 7 20, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 6 45, 7 50, 8 36, 9 54, 11 40 A.M. 12 42 2 09 3 32, 5 18, 6 06, 6 55, 8 14, 8 56, 9 54, 11 40 P.M. 12 01 A.M. Sunday—8 46, 9 39 A. M. 2 03, 3 56, P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 8 30, 7 00, 7 36, 7 35, 7 46, 8 20, 9 05, 9 46, 11 40 A.M. 12 32, 4 04, 7 20 P. M. Sundays—10, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a m 5 05, 5 14 p. m.

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6 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 15 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

8 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Shamokin and Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 43 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 09 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton.

5 06 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk, Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

8 20 P. M. for Flemington.

8 39 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

8 17 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

SUNDAYS.

8 45 a. m. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 3 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin Williamsport, &c., 3 05 p. m. Sundays for Easton, High Bridge Branch, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m., 1 14p. m

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 8 37, 8, 11 24, a. m. 1.14, 4 01, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—except Ocean Grove 9 52, a. m., 3 20 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 8 45, 8, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, 4 50, 5.54, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—9 57, a. m., 3 20 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 37, 8, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, p. m.

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For Trenton 6 45, 9 44, 2 38*, 10 48, a. m., 12 45, 3 09* 5 24* 6 20*, 8 17*, p. m., 1 17 night. Sundays—5 45, 9 54, a. m., 2 38*, 8 17 p. m., 1 17 night.

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Sundays—4 10, 9 45, 11 21 a.m., 3 50*, 6 00, 8 25 p. m., 12 10 night.

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The loss of the most famous vessel of our naval service, the historic old corvette Kearsarge, on the night of Feb. 2, on the Roncador reef, news of which was received late yesterday afternoon by a telegram from Lieut. Brainard, an officer of the vessel, dated at Colon, is, of course, the one subject of conversation in naval circles, all interest in matters at Brazil being forgotten.

Brainard was sent to Colon to notify the officials in Washington and to procure a vessel to take the crew and officers off the reefs, where they were when Brainard left. In compliance with instructions from Secretary Herbert, Brainard has chartered the mail steamship City of Para, now at Colon, and the vessel will start at once for the shipwrecked men.

Commodore Ramsey, chief of the bureau of navigation, who knows the neighborhood, said that the officers and crew would be in no danger on the reef except in very heavy weather, and they could easily reach Old Providence, an island between the reef and the Nicaragua coast, in their boats.

No fears for the safety of the ship's company are entertained at the navy department, in view of Lieut. Brainard's dispatch.

The Kearsarge was the flagship of the North Atlantic station, to the command of which Acting Rear Admiral Stanton was assigned. He recently joined the old ship at Port-au-Prince and hoisted his flag on her. During the last week in January information was received at the state department that Honduras was invading Nicaragua, and it was decided to send the Kearsarge to Bluefields to protect the Nicaragua canal interests there. Accordingly, the vessel sailed from Port-au-Prince on Jan. 30, and met her fate three days later.

Sentiment is divided at the navy department over sorrow for the loss of the old ship and pity for Admiral Stanton, whose unfortunate experience in Brazil is now followed by the loss of his flagship. A court of inquiry to determine the responsibility for the loss of the vessel will surely follow. However, as Admiral Stanton had nothing to do with the navigation of the ship, the responsibility falls on the commanding officer.

The Kearsarge had been practically rebuilt. She was recently assigned to the duty of blowing up derelicts between New York and the West Indies.

The committee on naval affairs of the house had under consideration the insertion of an item in the appropriation bill for 1894-95 providing that the Kearsarge be repaired and put in as good condition as possible.

Kearsarge's Officers.

The home addresses of officers of the Kearsarge are as follows:

Admiral Stanton, Sag Harbor, New York; Commander Heyerman, Detroit, Mich.; Lieut. Forse, Pittsburg, Pa.; Lieut. Lyman, Washington, D. C.; Lieut. Walling, Circleville, O.; Lieut. Hood, Florence, Ala.; Lieut. Brainard, Annapolis, Md.; Ensign Gates, Bay City, Mich.; Ensign Magruder, Vicksburg, Miss.; Passed Assistant Surgeon Lumsden, Richmond, Va.; Assistant Surgeon Barnum, Chappequa, N. Y.; Paymaster Ring, New York city; Chief Engineer Gowing, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Cadet Thompson, Cleveland, O.; Cadet Still, Wabash, Ind.; Cadet Borden, Ruston, La.; Cadet McCormick, Troy, N. Y.; Cadet Ball, Rochester, N. Y.; Cadet Van Allen, Gallatin, Tenn.

It is somewhat of a coincidence that both Admiral Stanton and Commander Heyerman, whose front names by the way are the same and who have the same middle initial, have only recently been restored to duty after a period of inactivity. Admiral Stanton's experience at Rio, resulting in his detachment, is well known. Commander Heyerman opposed the plans of the lighthouse board for lighting St. Mary's river, Michigan. He was assistant inspector of the district with headquarters at Detroit and with Col. William Ludlow, the army officer in charge of the district, made such a firm stand against carrying out the orders of the board that both were suspended. Commander Heyerman was subsequently assigned to inspection duty in New York and remained there until about three months ago when he was given command of the Kearsarge.

The Kearsarge was one of the historical vessels of the American navy. She, on Sunday, June 19, 1864, fought and sank the rebel privateer Alabama off Cherbourg, France. The Alabama, commanded by Capt. Semmes, had captured or destroyed a large number of union merchantmen. Finally the pursuit of her became so hot on the Atlantic coast that she sailed for the cape of Good Hope, and cruised in the eastern seas. Subsequently she returned, arriving in the English channel in June, 1864, and the 11th of that month she entered the French port of Cherbourg to refit and get supplies. Within a short time the Kearsarge arrived. Capt. Winslow, a former shipmate of Capt. Semmes, commanded her.

The Kearsarge made a demonstration off the port which the commander of the Alabama took to be a challenge. He sent notice to the United States consul that he would sail out and fight the Kearsarge. The two ships to appearance were not unequally matched, but the Kearsarge had a larger crew and was better armed than the Alabama. She was besides protected amidships by armor. The fight took place on Sunday, June, 19, off Cherbourg, all inhabitants of the place watching it from the neighboring heights. The result of the battle is well-known. Before the contest had lasted an hour Captain Semmes found the ship sinking and gave orders to haul down the flag. The boats were got out and the wounded placed in them, but before the Kearsarge could come to the rescue the Alabama went to the bottom. The boats of the Kearsarge saved many of the Alabama's crew. Others, including Capt. Semmes, were picked up by the English yacht Deerhounds, which had been allowed by the captain of the Kearsarge to help in rescuing the Alabama's crew.

THEY CALL ON PEIXOTO

Benham and Thomson Are Well Received.

The President Promises to Visit the United States Fleet—Reported That Da Gama and Peixoto Met on Board the San Francisco and Talked Compromise, but Without Agreeing.

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RIO DE JANEIRO, Feb. 9.—Thomas L. Thompson, United States minister, and Rear-Admiral Benham, commander of the United States fleet, and his staff called upon President Peixoto at the palace yesterday afternoon. They were escorted, both going and coming, by a handsome company of Brazilian lancers. The minister of marine, the minister of foreign affairs, and many officers of the Brazilian army and navy assisted the president at the reception. Peixoto made a favorable impression on the minds of his visitors. He was invited by Rear-Admiral Benham to visit the American fleet, and he promised to do so in the near future.

Manoel Victorino Pereyia, of Bahia, has been named as candidate for the vice-presidency in the election to be held on March 1. Like Dr. Prudente de Moraes, the nominee for the presidency, Pereyia is a civilian. Both were nominated by 20 senators, under the chairmanship of Thomas Delfino. The fact that President Peixoto approves of this nomination of civilians shows the falseness of the insurgent statement that he desires to continue military rule in Brazil.

All communication between the American naval crews and the shore has been forbidden on account of yellow fever.

PEIXOTO AND DA GAMA MEET.

Said to Have Held a Conference on Board the San Francisco.

LISBON, Feb. 9.—The steamer Magdalena, from Rio Janeiro Jan. 24, has arrived here. From advices brought by her it is learned that a meeting was held on Jan. 23, on board the American flagship San Francisco between Rear Admiral Benham, the American commander, Admiral da Gama, commanding the insurgent forces at Rio Janeiro, and President Peixoto. Previous to the meeting Admiral da Gama insisted that his official rank be recognized, but waived the right of being saluted on being met. Admiral Benham, it is said, reluctantly agreed to this.

At the meeting Admiral da Gama set forth his terms for a settlement of the war. The substance of these were that a civilian president of Brazil should be elected, and that the members of the army and navy should not vote at the elections.

To these terms President Peixoto refused to agree.

RUNNING THE FORTS.

Captain Picking Describes the Venture of the Aquidaban off Rio.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—A letter received at the navy department from Captain Picking of the U. S. S. Charleston, dated Rio de Janeiro, January 12, gives a detailed account of the operations in Rio harbor. The most interesting piece of information in the letter concerns the venture of the rebel warship Aquidaban past the forts in Rio bay. The passage was made successfully and showed the ease with which a rapidly moving ship of war may run past a line of forts without great injury. "At 5 a. m.," says Capt. Picking, "the Aquidaban was sighted coming in, not flying the admiral's flag. She was fired at by all the forts, and stood toward and anchored near the Tamandre, returning the fire, but only occasionally, with her large guns. It was a remarkable sight to see this vessel come in before all the forts and batteries, and seemingly without any injury at all. I hear from a good source that she was struck twice, but without material injury. Two men were slightly wounded, sufficiently so to require their being sent to the hospital." As near as could be counted the shots fired at the Aquidaban aggregated 100, in return the Aquidaban fired 25 times.

Fatal Poisoning Case.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Feb. 8.—P. H. Tracey, of Canaan, Conn., visted the Aldene Villa hotel, on the outskirts of Roselle, yesterday, to see his old friend, Fred Wood, the proprietor. They went carriage riding about 5 o'clock last evening and stopped at N. B. Oakley's livery stable. Oakley treated them to what he supposed was whiskey, but what was really aconite. He discovered his error and all three hurried to a drug store. Tracey lived only 28 minutes after his arrival. Wood and Oakley may possibly recover. Mr. Tracey was 60 years old. He was president of Canaan Time company and also interested in telegraph supplies.

Disappears With $30,000.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The rumor that Alfred E. Smith, New York agent of the Glen Paper Manufacturing company, of Berlin Falls, N. H., had disappeared with $30,000 of the concern's funds, besides about $12,000 borrowed from friends, created no little excitement in the wholesale paper trade. Alfred E. Smith is said to live in Rahway, N. J. For six years he has been the New York agent for the Glen Paper Manufacturing company. Prior to that he represented the Wyhona Paper company at Holyoke, Mass., in this city.

Murderer Childs Held for Trial.

CLYDE, N. Y., Feb. 9.—Fred S. Childs, the young murderer of J. B. Nichols, arrived in this village from Lyons jail yesterday. There was large crowd at the station to see him. He waved examination, and was remanded to the county jail. The motive for the crime is hard to tell. Childs told a by-stander it was "because he lied about me."

Scandinavians Settling in Florida.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Advices have been received here that numbers of Scandinavians from South Dakota and Illinois are locating at Kissimmee, Florida, intent on engaging extensively in fruit raising in that section.

A Young Deputy Postmaster Dead.

FONDA, N. Y., Feb. 9.—Charles A. George, deputy postmaster of Fonda, is dead of pneumonia, aged 26 years. He was ill only four days. A widow and one child survives him.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

RONCADOR REEF.

Description of the Coral Island Where the Kearsarge Was Wrecked.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Dr. McNeely Stauffer, of the Engineering News, who was on board the Aguan with ex-Senator Warner Miller and the party which, in 1893, left New York on a tour of inspection of the route of the Nicaragua canal, gives the following description of the Roncador reef, on which the Aguan was wrecked on March 26, last year, and on which the Kearsarge is now reported wrecked:

"Roncador reef is about 45 north latitude and about 80 west longitude, and is called an atol, or coral reef. It is about nine miles long and about four miles wide. The edge of the reef is simply a range of jagged coral rock, with a lagoon of about water inside. Outside it pitches down very suddenly, and there is water fully 3,000 feet deep within a mile of it. The inside of the reef is the abode of turtles, and it is from these reefs that many of the turtleshells sold here come. At the extreme western end is a little coral island about 800 feet long by 600 wide. The only vegetation on this reef is a sparse amount of turtle grass, and the only life to be found are myriads of booby birds and frigate birds, which go there to hatch their young.

"What makes this reef peculiarly dangerous for vessels is the fact that the northwest trade winds sweep in its direction. In addition to this there is also a very powerful current running around the island towards the west end of it. These two forces combined, with a powerful suction, draw an unwary ship toward the coral reef to destruction. The Spanish name Roncador means in English 'snorer,' which name has been given to the reef because of the sound of the surf as it rolls up against the rock in a heavy sea."

London Press Comment.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—The Daily News has a flattering leader concerning the wrecked warship Kearsarge. It says: "The Kearsarge deserved an honored place on the retired list of the navy, having had claims to national gratitude only second to those of the Constitution. Her crew had a nobler idea to fight for than had the medley of mercenaries who crowded the Alabama. It was a glorious victory."

The Daily Telegraph says: "Even if the Kearsarge had no later record to write on her roll of fame, it would always be remembered to her credit how she enacted from the Alabama full tribute for the latter's sins."

ELECTION REPEAL ACT SIGNED.

Mr. Tucker Will Keep the Pen the President Used as a Souvenir.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The act repealing the federal elections law was signed by the president shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Representative Pearson, of Ohio, the chairman of the house committee on enrolled bills, and Representative Tucker, of Virginia, the author of the act, brought the enrolled copy to the white house. Mr. Tucker had with him a gold pen with which Speaker Crisp and Vice-President Stevenson had signed the bill, and Mr. Pearson brought a blank receipt for it which he proposed to have the president sign and preserve the slip as a souvenir. When the president had signed the bill and the receipt with Mr. Tucker's gold pen, Mr. Tucker told of a remark ex-Speaker Reed made when the repeal bill was announced in the house. "Ballot box stuffing," drawled Mr. Reed, "has at last become legalized."

FRENCH FORCES ANNIHILATED.

The Flying Column Surprised By Touaregs Near Timbuctoo.

PARIS, Feb. 9.—The governor of Senegal has telegraphed that the French flying column that recently took possession of Timbuctoo has been surprised and defeated by Touaregs, near that place. No details of the affair have been received. It is rumored that the force has been annihilated.

A cabinet council that lasted for a long time was held at the palace of the Elysee soon after the news was received.

Woman's Corps G. A. R.

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—At the second day's session of the department of Massachusetts Woman's Relief corps, Mrs. Clara H. Burleigh was elected president and Mrs. Eva H. Cook senior vice-president. Commander-in-Chief Adams and staff called to pay their respects to the auxiliary organization. The senior vice-commander-in-chief, Comrade Walker, of Indiana, made a brief speech. He said that had it not been for the patriotic women, the war would not have been successful. You were the power behind the throne and your inspiration was invaluable to the boys at the front. The following was received from Corporal Tanner: "I'm a couple of inches shorter than yesterdy and of course, it is agonizing; but my nerve is good yet and your sympathy is sweet to a sufferer."

Funeral of Hon. Alvan P. Hyde.

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 9.—Funeral services for the late Hon. Alvan P. Hyde, father of Mayor Hyde, and of United States Consul Hyde at Lyons, France, were conducted at the South church yesterday afternoon by the Rev. Edwin Pond Parker, D. D. The honorary bearers included ex-Judges Dwight Loomis and Elisha Carpenter, Senator Edward S. Cleveland, ex-Lieut. Gov. George C. Sumner, Hon. Henry C. Robinson and ex-Mayor Charles R. Chapman.

Killed Himself in Jail.

PATERSON, N. J., Feb. 9.—Joseph Matthews, a young silk operator of this city, became crazy last Monday, the result of an attack of grip. He was sent to the county jail until papers were ready for his removal to Morris Plains asylum. Yesterday Warden Buckley found Matthews dangling from the cell door. He had hanged himself with his suspenders.

MR. CHILDS' ESTATE.

Estimated at About $5,000,000—Future Management of the Ledger.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 9.—The estate of the late George W. Childs, which he left to his wife absolutely, that his plans and purposes of gifts of charity, etc., might be carried out by the one who knew his wishes best, is estimated at about $5,000,000. It may be less, because of his princely charity.

A gentleman qualified to speak regarding Mr. Childs' plans, said:

"While Mrs. Childs has full knowledge of the plans of her husband, nothing definite has been arranged. The plans do not provide for any public institution or endowment. Mr. Childs was educating at his own expense some 60 young girls and women, and these will be cared for. Three months ago Mr. Childs remarked: 'Should I die to-morrow, every arrangement has been made for carrying out my wishes and there will be no tangle anywhere.'

"The Public Ledger property from this time forward, is controlled by the A. J. Drexel estate. George W. Childs Drexel is in absolute charge to-day, under the direction of the trustees of A. J. Drexel's will. The Ledger has earned about $400,000 net per year during the past ten years. Mr. Childs held a one-third interest in the property, and the trustees will in a few days arrange to purchase that interest from Mrs. Childs under an agreement between Messrs. Childs and Drexel, made in 1885."

OUR TORPEDOES ALL RIGHT.

Extensive Orders for United States Cruisers.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 9.—General Ordway, the American agent of the Hotchkiss ordnance company, who has been in this city for the past few days, states that the United States government had ordered Howell torpedo launching tubes for the cruisers Raleigh, Cincinnati and Bancroft. This order, following close upon the report of the naval board, seems to indicate that the government is satisfied that a practicable American torpedo has been produced. The United States government ordered thirty Howell torpedoes from the Hotchkiss company several years ago, the torpedoes, of course, to be delivered only after inspection and approval by a naval board. The company has been experimenting with and developing the torpedo ever since, but no delivery has yet been made to the government. A number of torpedoes were made on the strength of the government order and these were satisfactorily passed by the naval board. The company, however, had an opportunity to sell the torpedoes, together with thousands of dollars' worth of other ordnance, to the Brazilian government, and they promptly disposed of them. With the order for the launching tubes at hand, it is, of course, necessary that work should be pushed on the original government order, and this is now being done.

Payment for New Bonds.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Official figures have been received at the treasury department from New York which show that of the $41,200 000 bonds alloted to New York, all the bonds have been paid for in gold except $9,897,000, which were deposited in legal tenders. Gold to this extent was withdrawn from the treasury for the purpose of paying for bonds in exchange for the legal tenders to the amount stated. As far as heard from, gold is being generally deposited for the purchase of bonds at the other sub-treasuries. The percentage of gold received at New York was about 75 per cent. of the bonds allotted and this average is not likely to be decreased at other points.

Assignee for Godey's.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The Godey publishing company, publishers of Godey's Magazine and various books and periodicals, has assigned to Benjamin S. Harmon. The company was incorporated under the laws of New Jersey two years ago, Henry J. Davison being president, and had a capital stock of $600,000. The magazine is one of the oldest in the United States, and was published in Philadelphia up to a couple of years ago, when it was transferred to this city.

Hartford's Relief Efforts.

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 9.—The street board here added 40 unemployed mechanics and artisans to the number of men now at work on street improvements under the special city appropriation of $10,000 for the purpose. This makes 100 men now employed by the street board. They are paid one dollar per day of eight hours.

Notice of Wage Reduction.

BENNINGTON, Vt., Feb. 9.—The employes at the woolen mills of Holden, Leonard & Co., have been notified of a general reduction of wages of 10 per cent.

Madam,

your child needs up-building food generally—

H-O Hornby's Oatmeal

contains all the elements that go to make perfect development.

HANGED, BUT NOT DEAD

A Negro Respited After the Drop Falls.

The Rope Parted and the Wretch Fell to the Floor, When the Spectators Induced the Sheriff to Return the Condemned to the Jail—This Don't Free Him From Death.

COLUMBIA, Miss., Feb. 9.—William Purvis, a young negro was sentenced some time ago to be hanged here yesterday for the alleged assassination last July of William Buckley of Marion county, by a gang of white cappers. Purvis was convicted on circumstantial evidence. He acknowledged being one of the party, but declared he did not fire the shot which killed Buckley. His case was appealed to the supreme court and sentence was affirmed.

Purvis was accompanied to the scaffold by Sheriff Magee and several deputies. He had passed the night in prayer and protesting his innocence of the murder of Buckley. A strong guard of deputy sheriffs had been drawn up around the scaffold to prevent a rescue by the white caps. The black cap was placed over the condemned man's head and the drop fell at 12:57 p. m.

As soon as the trap fell Purvis, instead of being hurled into eternity, was precipitated to the ground. The noose had parted and Purvis' neck, instead of being broken, was only slightly abrased by the rope. He fell on his back and remained perfectly still for a few moments. A man rushed forward and bending over the negro asked: "Are you hurt?" From under his black cap Purvis replied: "For God's sake get me out of this."

Others came up and Sheriff Magee made ready to conduct Purvis back to the scaffold for a second attempt. There were four of the board of supervisors present and they called the sheriff and court house for a consultation. Rev. Mr. Stuckey, of the Columbia Methodist church, made an impassioned plea to the executive and it was decided by unanimous vote that the execution be postponed.

The negro was then taken to Meridan and the facts telegraphed to Gov. Stone.

Must Hang Him Again.

JACKSON, Miss., Feb. 9.—Governor Stone says that Will Purvis does not escape the verdict of the court by the miscarriage of justice yesterday. He must be rearraigned for sentence and hanged until dead.

FLAGMAN WHEATON BLAMED.

Lackawanna Railroad Also Censured for the Hackensack Wreck.

HOBOKEN, N. J., Feb. 9.—The coroner's jury, chosen to investigate the recent Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railway accident near this city by which twelve persons were killed and many injured, have rendered their verdict. They find that rear-flagman Wheaton, of the Dover express, neglected his duty in not flagging the South Orange train, and failing so to do primarily caused the disaster. They also found that the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad company did not have a proper signal system on the road.

Fatal Cyclone in the South.

BATON ROUGE, La., Feb. 9.—A cyclone struck Port Hudson yesterday morning, demolishing a number of houses, uprooting trees and leveling fences. On the De Lombre place and on the Chambers plantation, much damage was done. On the former the dwellings were uprooted, the gin house destroyed and several cabins wrecked, one child killed and four others wounded. On the Chambers plantation a number of colored people were injured.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 9.—A cyclone passed over the northwestern portion of Mississippi late yesterday afternoon and laid waste everything in its path. Many cabins were devastated, farm houses were wrecked and the debris scattered over the country for miles around. The telegraph wires were prostrated and it is impossible to obtain particulars from the stricken district. The cyclone passed through Washington and Bolivar counties, thickly populated with prosperous farmers, and it is feared the death list will be greatly swelled when the details are known. The hurricane came from the southwest and was accompanied by the regulating funnel-shaped cloud.

New York Nominations Hung Up.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—There are not likely to be any more nominations of postmasters to presidential postoffices in New York state for some time. A number of New York cases have been disposed of in the department and are ready to be presented to the president for transmission to the senate, but are being held back because of the non-action of the senate on those nominations made some time ago. There are at least 27 New York nominations hung up in committee.

Wealthy Mrs. Hall Insane.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Feb. 9.—Martha Jane Hall, of Tarrytown, has just been declared insane by a jury. She is worth $200,000 and is executor, with ex-park commissioner Salem H. Wales and Mrs. Cornelia Hall, of the estate of the late John Hudson Hall, who died at Thomasville, Ga., in 1891, and left $1,500,000. The application was made by her heirs, two nieces and two nephews.

Evangelist Quinn and Wife.

JERSEY CITY, Feb. 9.—Evangelist Quinn and his wife had an interview with the Rev. John L. Scudder last evening in relation to beginning a series of revival services at the Congregational tabernacle next Wednesday in place of the union services proposed for the same date. Pastor Scudder congratulated the couple on their marriage.

For a Childs-Drexel Memorial.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 9.—At a meeting last evening of the board of directors of the Trades league it was decided to start a popular subscription to erect a memorial to the late A. J. Drexel and George W. Childs.

Cotton Mills on Shorter Time.

DANIELSONVILLE, Conn., Feb. 9.—The cotton mills of the Williamsville Manufacturing company will run forty hours weekly, instead of sixty, commencing on Feb. 12.

WORK ON THE TARIFF

Senate Committee Finds Its Task a Huge One.

Tax on Whiskey May Be Increased 25 Cents, if Not Higher—Coal May Making a Hard Fight—No Hope for Even a Small Duty on Wool—Sugar to Be a Dutiable Article—Trouble Over Income Tax—Proceedings in Congress.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The only matter of interest that occupied the senate yesterday was the resolution heretofore offered by Mr. Stewart (rep., Nev.) denying the right of the secretary of the treasury to sell bonds except for the purpose of redeeming legal tender United States notes. That resolution, with amendments to it here before offered by Messrs. Quay (rep., Penn.) and Dubois (rep., Idaho), was laid before the senate and discussed until the close of the morning hour, when it went over till Monday. While under discussion it was modified on Mr. Stewart's motion, by adding the words: "and that there is no present necessity for the sale of bonds for the purpose specified in the resumption act." Some very plain words were spoken by Mr. Teller (rep., Col.) in condemnation of the dominant party for not having brought forward some definite system of finance to meet the growing deficiency in the treasury. Everybody knew, he said, that no more 5 per cent. bonds on a 4 per cent. basis could be sold, and that any attempt to issue another $50,000,000 of such bonds would be a failure. An hour was occupied in the discussion of a house bill requiring railroad companies whose lines run through the territories on rights of way granted by the government to establish depots and stations at town sites fixed by the interior department. The consideration was interrupted by the delivery of eulogies on the life, character and public services of the late Representative Mutchler of Pennsylvania, after which the senate, at 3:20 p. m., adjourned until Monday, the adjournment over having been ordered on the motion of the chairman of the finance committee, Mr. Voorhees (dem., Ind.), who casually asserted, in support of the motion, that the supposed fact that "to-morrow would be Good Friday."

House of Representatives.

The greater portion of the day in the house was consumed in filibustering against the Bland seigniorage bill. The republicans, supported by most of the eastern democrats, continued their obstructionist tactics, and roll calls followed each other in regular succession, the silver democrats being able to muster only about 165 members. After spending nearly four hours in fruitless endeavors a quorum was secured at 3:45 with the speaker's vote, and the house went into committee of the whole to consider the seigniorage bill. Mr. Bland addressed the committee for less than an hour and the committee arose on his own motion. Mr. Dockery (dem., Mo.), reported from the joint commission to investigate the various executive departments a bill to make uniform the methods of rendering property returns in the treasury, war, navy and interior departments. The bill was passed, and at ten minutes before five the house adjourned on motion of Mr. Tracey, of New York.

There will be no further opposition on the part of the democrats to the consideration of Mr. Bland's bill unless an attempt is made to hasten it to a vote, which is not advisable considering the importance of the measure.

DOINGS IN CONGRESS.

No More Filibustering Against the Bland Bill—Bond Talk in Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The best information obtainable is to the effect that the tax on whiskey will be raised at least twenty cents beyond that fixed by the house and the great surprise in the senate is that the Wilson bill did not make this tax even higher as there was no one in opposition to this proposed tax. It is probable, therefore, that the senate committee will add to the tax at least a quarter of a dollar if it does not go a decade beyond that. This matter will probably be definitely settled by the sub-committee to-day.

A great pressure is being brought to bear upon the committee to put coal back to the dutiable list and in this matter Senator Daniel is one of the most energetic workers. He wants a duty of 40 per cent., but those who are in a position to know say that rate is impracticable, still they admit that a duty of from 20 to 40 per cent. may be put on coal when the committee report the bill.

Wool is causing the sub-committee a great deal of uneasiness and just what to do with it is a question that has not been determined, for there are members of the committee and influential senators on the floor who are bitterly opposed to the admission of that article free. Representatives of a certain class of woolen goods, particularly worsteds and knit goods, were before the sub-committee yesterday, but not for the purpose of giving testimony and making arguments, for that has been forbidden by the committee. Still, these men got the ear of the sub-committee and had a very earnest talk, in which they presented what, from their point of view, appeared to be the injustice of the democratic attitude on the subject. There is a slight disposition to put a small duty on wool, but it is said that this will be so nearly repugnant to the majority of the party that it would not be countenanced by the full committee if the sub-committee were to so report it.

The committee has practically agreed that there shall be a duty on sugar, but the exact rate has not been fixed, although it has been discussed in a more or less informal manner. One thing has been agreed upon, however, and that is that sugar shall be made a dutiable article. Three-quarters of a cent a pound appears to be the favorite figure of the committee, with the odd quarter for the farmer. Should the committee agree upon this they will call down a storm from the Louisiana senators and others interested in sugar who do not look upon the proposition as at all satisfactory to them or their industry.

The income tax is already figured to be a stumbling block of no mean proportions and the indications are, as has already been said, that it will not be a part of the tariff bill proper. It is not unlikely, though that it will be reported to the senate as an independent measure.

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CIRCULATION EXCEEDS THAT OF ALL OTHER PLAINFIELD DAILIES COMBINED.

Somerset's Spring Election.

(From The Somerville Unionist-Gazette.)

The Spring election for the selection of township officers will be held this year on March 13. Of course the interesting feature will be the selection of freeholders to fill the vacancies of those whose terms expire. There will be three townships to elect freeholders this spring. They are Montgomery, whose present Freeholder is Jacob M. Vreeland, Republican; North Plainfield, represented by Geo. W. Bullman, Republican, and Warren, represented by Israel V. Adams, Democrat.

The Democrats now have a majority of one in the Board, though Mr. Vreeland is Director. For the Republicans to regain control they must elect in all three of the townships named. There is no doubt but that they can do this in Montgomery and North Plainfield. In fact it is extremely probable that the present incumbents will be re-elected. They have occupied the position for a long time and are so familiar with county affairs that they can work to the very best advantage.

It is said that Mr. Adams is not a candidate for re-election. That may or may not be true. At any rate there are numerous other candidates among the Democrats of Warren township who desire the position. One candidate in particular threatens to run on an independent ticket if he is not given the party nomination. Amid such complications if the Republicans are alert in Warren they ought to be able to elect their candidate.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Miantonomoh Tribe of Red Men will work the hunters' degree tonight.

—The usual dance will be held in Welsh's Hall on Lee place this evening.

—The C. Y. M. L. bowlers will go to Elizabeth this evening to play the Field Club.

—Rev. Mr. Roach of Metuchen preached in Grace P. E. Church last evening.

—Patrick Kiely, of Steiner place, is brightening his house with a fresh coat of paint.

—Theodore Rutan and Gustav Sutterlein spent yesterday with friends in Newark.

—The wives of the members of Zephyr Hook and Ladder Company are planning for a dance the night of Feb. 21.

—Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., will meet this evening, and work the second degree on several candidates.

—A summons in the case on contract of Fairchild against Sharp was made returnable February 16 by Justice Mosher today.

—Over twenty riders were present at the rink last night. The riding academy is being run by J. W. Johnson and John I. Holly.

—Dr. W. E. Mattison will remove his drug store, April 1, to the opposite side of the street, now occupied by Springman the barber.

—The treasurer of the local union of masons has been empowered to pay Mrs. Bernhardt B. Gray $50, the death benefit of the lodge.

—If you want a chance to furnish stone, lay crosswalks, or macadamize Grant avenue, send in your bid as the City Clerk advertises.

—Hackmen must get their license applications in by the Common Council meeting of Feb. 19, if they want their renewals for March 1.

—Capt. William Hand expects his shipments of Indian River oranges to continue till May. He is at present receiving forty boxes a week.

—The charter of Masons Union, No. 14, is to be draped in mourning for thirty days out of respect to the memory of Bernhardt B. Gray.

—Through his lawyer, George DeMeza, L. C. Randolph has recovered damages from the Street Railway Company for the wrecking of his wagon, Nov. 19.

—David Hand, of Netherwood, is clearing a piece of Westfield land purchased from Mr. Scudder and will use the timber for posts, fence rails and spokes.

—The boy musicians who played in the Congregational Church last night style themselves the Paganini Orchestra, and they are simply and truly great.

—The heirs of the John Simpson estate contemplates cutting up into building lots the large tract of land bordering on the mountain back of Fanwood and Westfield.

—You can't always buy goods at manufacturers' prices. The time is growing short when you can do so, at the great clearance sale now taking place at Doane & Edsall's.

—What you are paying out for rent will buy you your own home, if you go to J. F. MacDonald about it. He has a few fine lots left at Netherwood, to be sold on the installment plan.

—Central Lodge, No. 48, A. O. U. W., initiated a candidate and received applications last night. The proposed proposed programme was postponed till next Thursday evening.

—Mrs. Dr. Edwards, the great clairvoyant, is now ready to see her friends at the City Hotel, Room No. 2. She remains only a week, and those requiring her services should call at once.

—A. O. H., No. 4, will hold their annual ball in Saengerbund Hall, Somerset street, Easter Monday night. The committee in charge consist of John F. Scheehan, Joseph Galbraith and Thomas Brown.

—In his role of Richard III. Thomas W. Keene is unsurpassed, and that is the play he is to present in Music Hall next Thursday night. This is a rare opportunity to see Shakespearean drama presented in matchless style by a distinguished company.

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure only 1c a dose; 25c, 50c, $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 208 North ave., opp. station.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation; 25c, 50c, $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 208 North ave., opp. station.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn, says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life: I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble; 10c. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 208 North avenue, opp railroad station.

RAINBOW TEA.

Delightful Social Event and Financial Success, in Trinity Church.

A big happy family enjoyed a genuine New England supper provided at the Rainbow Tea in Trinity Church parlors last night by the Ladies Christian Work Society, under the efficient direction of Mrs. E. H. Bird, Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements, and with the cooperation of all the members.

The attendance was large enough to make the financial profit fully $75, yet so conveniently was everything arranged that all were accommodated without crowding.

Gay streamers of all the colors hung in graceful curves from the centre of the large room to the side walls; and Japanese lanterns and fans, and bright-hued paper fancywork, were tastefully arranged. But the prettiest decoration was the lamplight. Each of the supper tables arranged about the room bore an elegant banquet lamp, each with gorgeous shade of one of the primary colors. The mellow tinted glow gave a beautiful tinge to the tables, the costumes and the faces. The women were at their prettiest in suitable gowns. The supper was substantial, including such delicious cold meats as ham, veal, turkey and chicken, potatoes, baked beans, and excellent tea and coffee, and one was served with really more than he wanted. The service was by charming young women.

The first table was the Green Table, where the dominie ate, and where Mrs. A. L. Force presided under a cap of white and green. Her waitresses were Miss Lillian A. Force and Miss Lizzie DeCamp, who wore white gowns, green ribbons arranged in Greek style in the hair, and bunches of gorgeous white roses and profuse green leaves on the shoulder. The table decorations were green smilax wreathed upon the snowy cloth.

Mrs. James T. MacMurray presided over the Red Table in a handsome black gown against which her bunch of carnations showed with striking effect. Red immortelles adorned the table. Miss Minnie Williams and Miss Sue Van Winkle were the waitresses. They wore red ribbons.

Orange was the table color of Mrs. P. A. Emmons, who wore black becomingly. Miss Emmons and Miss Snediker, in rich gowns of orange and black, were prettily flushed with their work at the tables and became the compliments so freely bestowed.

Mrs. John C. VanDyke, herself most becomingly gowned in pink and black, was mistress of the Pink Table, with Miss Etta Krymer and Miss Ella Dunn flitting about, in the loveliest costumes of pink China silk that feminine good taste could fashion.

The prevailing color of Mrs. Robert Clark's table was blue, and Miss Phœbe Mills and Miss Emma Gillem were her helpers. Mrs. Clark wore blue and black, and the waitresses blue and white.

Violets abounded at the artistic table of Mrs. Josie M. Tier, who wore black with violet adornments. Miss Grace Smith and Miss Minnie Arnold were her waitresses, clad in shades of white and violet.

One corner was occupied by a lemonade well, over whose cooling depths a tissue-paper rainbow hung, a veritable bow of promise. The presiding genius of a Rebecca was Mrs. Harry W. Marshall, and her cup-bearers were Miss Mabel Woodruff and Mrs. Will F. Williams.

At the Apron Table, Miss S. R. Van Winkle and Mrs. Burnett Rogers successfully called attention to their wares. The reception committee, Mrs. Bird, Mrs. Desbrough, Mrs. MacDonald, Mrs. Newell, Mrs. Schenck and Mrs. Runyon, promoted sociability among all. Out in the culinary department the workers were Mrs. P. M. Demarest, Mrs. F. A. Church, Mrs. C. Frank French, Mrs. Gillem, Mrs. Dolliver, Mrs. Krymer, Mrs. Julius Williams, Mrs. Seaman Williams, Mrs. Arnold and Mrs. Edward VanWinkle, and to their faithfulness is due in large measure the triumph of the affair.

There were such distinguished guests in the gathering as Counselor VanWinkle, whom everyone esteems as the honest lawyer, George DeMeza, who is winning his spurs, Borough Councilman and Mrs. George H. Neal, Postoffice Whitenack and wife, Letter-carrier VanWinkle, D. L. & W. Traffic Manager B. A. Hegeman and wife, Borough Clerk John Vetterlein and wife, Choirmaster Cheeswright, and ex-Borough Clerk James F. Arnold. The worthy janitor, Clarkson Mundy, was the most useful man present, and was kept busy carrying water and doing all sorts of work. He found time to feed, however. There was much jest and merrymaking, in which Superintendent E. E. Anthony and F. A. Church easily led. They were always doing absurd things just for fun, and rigged up in ridiculous aprons and caps and served ice-cream and cake.

Good music by Dr. Berg and daughters, and by Mr. Dunham, was donated. Miss Arnold recited, and Miss Krymer sang those beautiful songs "O Happy Day" and "Answered", accompanied by Miss Lillian Force. The T tickets were relics, being some printed many years ago by Force Bros. for J. F. MacDonald. The badges of the women were of all colors of the rainbow. For much of the bunting the society was indebted to Mrs. Cokefair, who conducted the recent Rainbow Tea in Vincent Chapel. The entire affair was supervised by the president of the society, Mrs. Charles P. Leggett, who was also at the Apron Table.

The Amphions.

At the meeting last evening of the orchestra which was organized a few weeks ago the name of The Amphion Society was adopted. Any instrumentalist wishing to become a member should make application to the conductor, P. Ludwig Conde.

—Geo. Egel has leased the store now occupied by Dr. Mattison on Somerset street.

The old reliable remedy for cough, cold, croup and sore throat, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, should be kept in every house.

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PARTICULAR MENTION

Mrs. Isaac N. Wykoff, of New street, is ill with the grip.

George Leidy has signed with Sharsig's Indianapolis team.

Mr. Haviland, of Sandford avenue, is very ill with head trouble.

Josiah Layton, who was stricken with paralysis yesterday, is better today.

Jacob Pentz of Fanwood will remove with his family to Brooklyn in April.

Miss Flossie Martin, of Sandford avenue, who has been ill, is slowly improving.

Mrs. VanAken of Trenton is assisting in the care of Miss Edith Tunison of Elmwood place.

Abram Lunger of East Front street is building a house on Watchung avenue, Watchung Park.

Miss Mara Elizabeth Eick, of East Third street, is visiting friends in Bound Brook for a few days.

Charles E. Vail visited his father, who has been ill at Greenbrook, last evening, and found him no better.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Weigel of Duer street are rejoicing over the advent of a young heir who arrived last Friday.

Miss Grannat, of Doane & Edsall's, will not leave tomorrow evening as reported, but will remain one week longer.

Miss Alice Hosford of New York was in this city yesterday, looking for a house, with the prospect of making this her home.

George Moore and William C. Smith, delegates from G. A. R. Post, No. 43, returned from the encampment in Trenton today.

Frank Bonner, late of the Crescents, and now of the Wilkes-Barre team, has married Miss Winifred Quinn of Edwardsville, Pa.

Rufus Benson moved yesterday from 215 Somerset street to 14 Steiger place, into the house formerly occupied by his brother.

J. E. Simpson, Jr., who has been confined to his home on Grove street suffering from rheumatism, is now well enough to be out.

The friends of Mrs. Wm. Kiernan, of Steiner place, will be pleased to know that she is now convalescent from her recent severe illness.

Mrs. Fernandez moved yesterday from 838 East Front street into the house recently finished by E. C. Mulford on Park place, North Plainfield.

George Benson of Steiner place has moved to Duer street, into the house formerly occupied by Overseer of the Poor John W. VanHorn.

Invitations numbering 1,500 have been sent out for the ball of Crescent Division, No. 13, U. R., K. of P., to be held in Hulett's Hall, March 13.

The death of Charles H. Pelletreau, father of Mrs. Charles R. Thiers, occurred this morning. The funeral will be from 48 Somerset street Sunday evening at 7.

Capt. William Hand enjoyed skating on Hyde's pond yesterday, being deprived of the use of his left hand by cutting it three times in three days, and thus getting a day off.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. VanEmburgh were among the throng of mourners at the funeral of ex-Senator Wm. H. Kirk, at Newark, Wednesday. Decedent was a cousin of Mr. Van Emburgh.

Mrs. Miller of East Fifth street is spending a few days in Scotch Plains; meanwhile her son, Dudley S. Miller, and wife, are stopping with Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Case, East Ninth street.

Zimmerman, the great bicycle rider, was in town today on business. He has promised to appear in Plainfield next summer if a bicycle track is built. He was the guest of J. Hervy Doane, the Park avenue jeweler, and thinks Plainfield a fine city.

J. C. Martin, head clerk in I. H. Boehm's store, will be married to Miss Nettie Flory at her home in Bangor, Pa., February 22, by the Rev. J. A. Muir. The best man will be Harry Spencer, of the borough, and the bridesmaid a cousin of the bride. A wedding tour will be taken through Pennsylvania. The couple will reside here.

New Jersey G. A. R.

The twenty-seventh annual encampment of the Department of New Jersey, Grand Army of the Republic, opened in Trenton yesterday with a large attendance of veterans. The session will last two days, and the chief interest centres in the election of Department Commander. The candidates for this office are James H. Bird of Asbury Park, Henry S. White of Red Bank, Jacob White of Paterson, and John Shields of Flemington. There are in the State 115 posts with 7,511 members, a net loss of 319 members. The department is worth $155,537, being the amount of the funds on hand, the value of the real estate, and furniture.

Dared Him to Go to War.

Thomas W. Keene, the famous tragedian who is to appear in his matchless role of Richard III, in Music Hall next Thursday night, is an old friend of Stage Manager W. B. Mattox, who for years worked with Mr. Keene and who went to the war as the result of the great actor's "dare".

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Clothes-Pin Sociable.

The clothes-pin sociable in Warren Chapel last night was well attended and about $50 was realized. The scheme of giving numbered clothes-pins with admission proved very successful in promoting sociability.

A supper was served. Robert Clark sang a solo, and Frank Splain gave several laughable recitations in German dialect. Instrumental music was rendered by Mr. Jessup.

The sketch "Only a Working Girl", by members of the Christian Endeavor society, was well presented and greatly enjoyed.

A Woman Doctor Coming.

Broker Mulford reports that the inquiry for dwellings is good, and among the several he has rented is Mrs. Crane's residence on East Fifth street to a feminine physician from Brooklyn and on a three-years lease.

LOST OR STOLEN.

Bank book issued by the Seaman's Bank for Savings, New York, to the subscriber. If the book or information concerning it is not sent to the bank within 30 days from this date, I will apply to the bank for its cancellation.
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DEATHS.

GILL.—In this city Thursday, Feb. 8, 1894, Chas. H. Gill, in his 63d year.
Funeral services in Grace Episcopal Church, 7th street, Sunday, Feb. 11, at 2:30 p. m.

PELLETREAU.—At Plainfield, on Feb. 9, 1894, Charles H. Pelletreau.
Funeral services Sunday evening, Feb. 11, at 7 p. m. at the residence of his son-in-law, Dr. Charles R. Thiers, 48 Somerset street.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany adv.

FOR SALE or to let, house and barn 109 West 4th st. Apply G. W. Force, 111 West 2d st. 2 8 3

LOST—Going from Rockview avenue through Sycamore and Mercer avenues, a pair of eye glasses in case. Return to 96 Mercer avenue. 2 8 2

WHAT have you got for sale or to let? Send a full list to the two hustlers. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

GIRL wishes a situation at general housework; good references. Apply 118 Richmond st., near Watchung ave.

WE have calls for some houses that will rent for $30 to $35 per month; send us a list at once. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung ave. 1 22 tf

WANTED—Small girl to wash dishes, etc. Can attend school; one sleeping home preferred. 145 West Front st.

FOR SALE—A very stylish team of bay carriage horses; chunky build; six years old; sound and no road too long for them; price $350; also team grays; sound and lady can drive; price $200. 517 East Front st. 2 9 2

FOR SALE—Two fish stands, ice box, scales, tools, etc. 331 Watchung avenue. 2 9 2

LOST—An earring. The finder will be rewarded by returning to 87 Somerset street.

LOST—A black and white Fox terrier dog. Finder please return to Mrs. Cruikshank, 304 Belvidere avenue.

5-ROOM flat to let; new building; Watchung avenue; water in flat; rent $13; will be vacant April 1. Charles H. Hand, 317 Watchung avenue. 2 8 tf

TO LET—3 or 5 rooms. Apply 117 Elmwood place. 2 6 4

$5 REWARD for return of gold link bracelet, lost between Hulett's Hall and the Crescent Avenue Church. Return to this office. 2 5 tf

TO LOAN, on 1st mortgage $600, $1,200, $1,700, $3,000. Mulford, broker. 2 7 tf

WANTED—Houses to sell or let. Crosley, real estate agent, 62 Duer st., North Plainfield. 2 7 4

WANTED—House, 5 or 6 rooms; centrally located; possession April 1. Address Z., care Press. 2 1 tf

TO LET—10 room house; modern improvements; 127 East 5th st. Apply Wm. H. Brower, 432 Watchung avenue. 1 31 tf

MONEY wanted on bond and mortgage or A 1 property at 6 per cent. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

AN elegant brick and brown stone house for sale or exchange for Plainfield property, on Halsey street, Brooklyn. Edward Love, corner North and Watchung avenues. 12 30 tf

FOR SALE—"The Medical and Surgical History of the Late War"; 4 rare vols. Address Books, care Press. 1 20 tf

175 BUILDING lots for sale; prices from $175 to $2,000 each on easy terms. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

MONEY wanted to invest on gilt-edge Plainfield mortgages. Chas. A. Reed att'y, National Bank Building. 10 29 tf

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We will give you 3 lbs dried peaches, 19c., 6 lbs best currants, 19c., 3 lbs best raisins, 19c., 4 lbs good rice, 19c., 3 qts green peas, 19c., 3 qts soup beans, 19c., 3 qts lima beans, 19c., 1½ lb box best cocoa, 19c., 5 cakes best sweet chocolate, 19c., 3 lbs best mince meat, 19c., 4 lbs best jelly, 19c., 3 lbs soda crackers, 19c., 4 lbs best dates, 19c., 6 lbs oat meal, 19c., 5 boxes Bixby's best blacking, 10c size, 19c. Given away free—12½ lbs. best flour, one-half gallon jug filled with syrup, 25c.

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Gowns that were $1.49, now $1.25.
Gowns that were $1.67, now $1.49.
One lot ladies' fast black cotton hose at 19c, were 25c; one lot ladies' wool hose at 17c., were 23c; one lot ladies' black cashmere hose at 21c., 29c., 40c., were 25c., 35c., 50c; one lot men's Scotch wool gloves at 39c., were 50c; one lot men's Scotch wool gloves at 29c., were 35c.
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TELLS US HOW TO VOTE.

From Far Australia Come Lessons for Plainfield Citizens.

Miss Spence, of South Australia, aroused much interest and enthusiasm in a good-sized audience in All Souls Church last evening by her lecture on "Some Australian Answers to American Problems".

The speaker was introduced by Rev. Hobart Clark, who explained Miss Spence's reasons for bringing new ideas on voting from Australia.

Miss Spence said that Australia now had about the same population that the American colonies had when they rebelled. The Americans then were but a handful, but they taught the world a great lesson. They founded a Democracy on the spurious representation of the majority. She advocated the adoption of a real Democracy founded on equality.

The Australian system of land registration under which the applicant does n't need the aid of a lawyer, might well be introduced into the United States. Another lesson the Islanders might teach was the taking of orphans from asylums and putting them in foster homes under careful supervision, thus absorbing pauperism into industrial life, and decreasing crime.

Taxation in South Australia is on the ground itself, without regard to improvements. School taxes are taken from the general revenue, not assessed locally.

Australia was badly colonized by the exiling of convicts from Great Britain.

This country has an example of the bad results of this in the "white trash" of the South, descended from the convicts colonized in Virginia. Australia is now recovering and reforming.

Railroads and telegraphs in Australia are managed by the government. In America the whole of the Pacific slope, especially, is under the bondage of corporations. The postal system shows what a success the government might make of railroading and telegraphing.

American communities are divided up politically for the sake of spoils. South Australia hopes to have the next parliament one that will make it the first pure Democracy in the world. Proportional representation is the only just plan of voting. Political purification cannot be effected by an occasional uprising of public indignation. American system offers a narrow ring where money can be used effectively. From street cleaning to child saving politics blocks the way in all departments.

In every other country there are parties of progress and parties of order. When an American party is out of power it is a party of progress: when it is in command it is the party of standing still. The policy of new officials is told at once in other countries. In the United States a weary wait of twelve months follows election. Custom is worshiped, not criticised. Bribery is too costly for practical use where no vote neutralizes another.

The best men keep out of politics in America, and the tone of the parties is lowered. Something is wrong in a country where nearly two-third of the members of Congress are lawyers. The see-saw between the two parties is not favorable for the country's progress. The party in power should be watched by its opponents, not kept from doing anything.

Thousands of American voters have gone to the polls for 30 years without the slightest hope of securing representation in the goverment. The only scheme to equalize and prevent corruption in balloting she explained by the practical test of having the audience vote.

A list of candidates is printed on a ballot. In the case in question it was supposed that eight representatives were to be elected. The names of sixteen candidates were printed. The voter marked with a "1" the man he preferred above the rest, with a "2" his second choice and so on for five or six candidates. The number of votes was divided by the number of representatives to be elected. The result was the quota necessary for the election of one man. The ballots were divided up among fourteen men representing the different candidates, according as the first choice on each card indicated. The surplus votes of a candidate receiving more than the necessary quota were distributed among those of the second choice. The process was continued through the different egrees of choice until eight representatives were elected.

All of the objections to details made by the audience were explained away by Miss Spence and all were impressed with the fairness of the scheme and the good results of the abolishing of the districting methods.

On motion of Mr. Clark a vote of thanks was given the lecturer.

That Cat of Rafferty's.

"Well, well! what's the matter, John?" Thus said a late customer of "Uncle" John Rafferty last evening as he noticed the nervous manner in which the usually serene dispenser of beverages handled his wares.

"Wait a minute—hear that!"—replied the excited John, as he made a dive for the ice chest.

"Certainly; that is nothing but a cat, probably outside"—remarked his customer, as the "mew" came to his ears. "Outside—not much, that cat is inside, and inside of where is what I can't determine. The blooming thing has been bothering us all the evening."

With that, Mr. Rafferty opened the part of the ice box containing the ice, and out jumped a large black cat.

"The divil!"—said Rafferty—and nightcaps were in order.

How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

West & Truax, wholesale druggists, Toledo, O.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. a bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

FOR THE POOR FUND.

Young People Enjoy Old Melodies, in a "Small Boy" Entertainment.

A number of the young people of the Congregational Church gave an entertainment in the church parlors last evening for the benefit of the unemployed. There was a large attendance, and all present thoroughly enjoyed the entertainment as was shown by their vigorous applause.

Music was furnished by Mrs. B. T. Barnes and Miss Nellie Winkler, with an orchestra composed of boys from ten to fourteen years of age. W. McKillop was leader, and H. Keller, C. Keller, W. Loizeaux, M. Barnes, C. Smith, C. Sorenson and G. Nelson were the other members.

The following programme was presented:

Selection.....Orchestra
The Small Boy and His Toot.....Chorus
Little Bo Peep.....Miss May Parmelee
See Saw.....The Misses Emmons and Chorus
Piano Solo.....Miss Nellie Winkler
Coming Through the Rye,
Miss Katherine Dwight
Jack and Jill,
Miss Marion Dwight and Edw. Suffern
Selection—Daisy Bell.....Orchestra
The Mulberry Bush.....Chorus
Where Are You Going My Pretty Maid?
Miss Amy Emmons and Harold Nomer
Piano Solo.....Miss Nellie Winkler
How Does My Lady's Garden Grow?
Miss Lulu Fuller
Good Night.....Chorus

The entire programme was successfully rendered, but especially pleasing were Miss Katherine Dwight in "Coming Through the Rye", and Miss Amy Emmons and Harold Nomer in "Where Are You Going, My Pretty Maid?"

His Last Writing Was a Hymn.

Oliver B. Gaston, formerly of this city, died after a brief but severe illness while on a visit at his daughter's home in Glen Head, Long Island. He was a man of large frame and striking appearance. He had strong convictions and feelings. He was a positive man. His hold on the Gospel was tenacious. Among his last words were, "what could I do without this blessed assurance that Jesus is mine". For the convenience of many *relatives and friends the funeral service*, conducted by the pastor, was held in the Westminster Presbyterian Church, Elizabeth. Mr. Gaston frequently put his thoughts and feelings into verse. A few days before he died he wrote the following upon the Lord's Prayer:

Lord, teach us to pray
And meekly to say,
"Our Father who art in heaven;"
Thy grace to obtain,
To "hallow Thy name,"
And praise Thee for mercies given.

Let "Thy kingdom come,"
In each heart and home;
Then sin from this world will be driv'n.
And "Thy will be done,"
With the day begun;
"On earth as it is in heaven."

What e'er be our need,
Let nothing mislead—
From evil deliver each day;
As we shall forgive,
So will we receive,
Full pardon, dear Lord, when we pray.

Thus we will be fed
With our daily bread,
And over this world's broad domain,
Our Saviour divine,
In "Glory" sublime,
And "power" extend His mild reign.

Vick's Floral Guide, 1894.

It contain descriptions that describe, not mislead; illustrations that instruct, not exaggerate. This year it comes in a suit of gold. Printed in eight different colors besides black. Colored plates of Chrysanthemums, Poppies and Vegetables. On the front cover is a very exquisite bunch of Vick's New White Branching Aster and on the back is the New Double Anemone; 112 pages filled with many new novelties of value as well as all the old leading varieties of flowers and vegetables.

All who intend doing anything in the garden this year should consult Vick before starting operations. Send 10 cents to James Vick's Sons, Rochester, N. Y., for Vick's Guide, it costs nothing, as you can deduct the 10 cents from first order. It certainly will pay you.

The Pennsylvania's Forethought.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company's vaccination train is progressing westward, having on board Dr. J. A. Barnfield of the Pennsylvania Company's Voluntary Relief Association, and Dr. Clena of Chicago, of the same part of the service, for the purpose of inoculating the employes. In their special train they will work all the way from Lima to Chicago, and every section man, switchman, gatekeeper, etc., on the road will have to bare his arm and take his medicine. This is a most commendable precaution against disease, on the part of the management.

Jersey Central Scheme Abandoned.

The project of a ferry from South Ferry to the Communipaw station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, that was under consideration some months ago, has been abandoned. President Maxwell of the Central Railroad said yesterday that he was sorry that he had to announce this but it has been found impossible to make any arrangement with the ferry lines now entering the slips at the Battery. No other plans, he added, are under consideration.

Unemployed Men to Get Work.

The Bound Brook Woolen Mills start up Monday on full time, with a reduction of 20 per cent. in wages. The mills have run on less than half time for several months.

2,000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from O. W. Mason, Farina, Ills., says: "I consider your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have been in the drug business fourteen years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal satisfaction." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents.

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.

JUST A SCRIMMAGE!

There are many lively scenes in Our New Serial—naturally enough, too, for it deals with

MUNICIPAL POLITICS

the plots of a wily Brooklyn politician and the counterplots of an alert journalist.

Oh, there is lots of fun and excitement in

A Fight For Millions

ARE YOU READING IT?
TURN TO PAGE 4.

WEST END NOTES.

The Plainfield Ice and Coal Storage Company have a number of cars filled with ice on the South Second street siding of the Central Railroad. The ice will be stored in their large house near the Potter Press Works.

The people of the West End have to pay taxes like other folks, and yet the money spent on street improvements seems to go entirely to the eastern section. An investigation of the West End "streets" by the authorities would be better than one by prospective residents.

The boys of the neighborhood along South Second street have a high regard for City Judge William A. Coddington. At the sale of the stock in J. W. Miles's grocery store he purchased the confectionery and cigarettes and left them in the store. The other afternoon the boys obtained a large share of them through a broken window. The goods are now stored with the Plainfield Carriage Company.

WEST ENDER.

Shakespearean Drama in Music Hall.

The distinguished tragedian, Thomas W. Keene, supported by a carefully selected company, will be the attraction in Music Hall next Thursday evening, on which occasion Mr. Keene will be seen in his famous characterization of Richard III.

Mr. Keene deserves success by right of his long apprenticeship, his gradual advancement, his endless dramatic achievements, and a most intense, brilliant talent. He is our sole tragedy representative. He is American and great. We will be glad to see him flash his armor under the "Ich dien" banners for many years to come. Mr. Keene is supported by the following well-known players: Edwin Arden, Frank Hannig, Carl Ahrendt, R. T. Haines, T. R. Eagleson, Edwin Mackay, Lawrence Lowell, R. Mortemer, John E. Milton, Herbert Merritt, J. J. Cummings, James Lenergan, Charles Sands, C. W. Vance, Miss Adelaide Fitz-Allen, Miss Henrietta Vaders, Mrs. S. A. Baker, Miss Maude Dudley and Miss Hazel Regan.

Lots of Tramps.

From the number of tramps in the borough yesterday afternoon it seemed as if the railroad had unloaded a carful at the Grant avenue crossing, from which direction they entered. Two were arrested and eleven chased out.

Those arrested were John Thomas and Wm. Kelly, who were caught on Duer street at four by Chief Marshal Pangborn for begging. This morning they pleaded not guilty, and the hearing was adjourned till tomorrow morning at 9.

The Cornice Was Unstable.

A part of the brick cornice on the building being constructed by Robert McNabb on the corner of Watchung avenue and Fifth street, fell yesterday afternoon. The material furnished was of the best obtainable, but the bricks were not properly laid.

This morning Chief Doane ordered the surrounding sidewalk to be enclosed, and the rest of the cornice torn down.

The Victor Dance.

The Victor Wheelmen held a meeting last evening and made arrangements for their dance the evening of Feb. 22. The following were appointed as the committee: Nathan Pollard, Will Fischer and George Henry. Burel Gibson and Lewis Peterson were appointed as floor managers.

I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for over ten years; had it very bad, could hardly breathe. Some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely, it is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it and with happy results in every case. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my deafness.—S. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

BY THE WAY.

—The Emmanuel Baptist Church has secured Reform Hall for a concert to be given Thursday evening, March 1.

—A prize fight between two residents of Perth Amboy is said to have taken place south of this city Wednesday night.

—A wheel on one of Rugg's coal was wrecked in turning too short from the car tracks on Watchung avenue, yesterday afternoon.

—Walter Walker has learned better than to leave his bicycle out doors. Last night it disappeared from its accustomed place, but while he was gone to tell the police the joker was striken with remorse and returned it.

—William Keefe, of East Third street, while using a knife in the Boys Club room last evening, cut his hand so severely that it was necessary to take him take him to Reynolds's Pharmacy to have the wound dressed.

—Andrew Lutkins denies the claim that in transferring the Honeyman house to Undertaker DeMott he misstated the matter of tenancy. He says it was a simple trade, and that there was no misrepresentation that Mr. DeMott could take possession April 1.

He Played It on the Cop.

"I had the greatest time, got into de show for sure—did n't cost me nuthin' "—so said a dusky gentleman of Fanwood at the station last evening.

"How did you work it?"—asked the station agent.

"Oh, child, I tell you that there perlice officer he turned his back, he did, and I just skipped up to that gallery for keeps, I did, and my gal awaitin fer me, honey—you mind that now. Must be pretty quick perlice officer fer to ketch us Fanwood coons; we 's got de sheriff wid us now, and de Court likewise."

"That 's all right, but you would better go home now"—remarked the agent.

"Mr. Quereau do n't let me have no keys, so I reckon I 'll sleep here all night, but did n't I fool that there copper—Ha! Ha!"

Second Free Lecture.

The second lecture of the free course by Prof. John Flake will be given tomorrow evening at 8, in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Church. The subject is "The Lords Proprietary and Their Domains". Admission will be by ticket only until after 8. If any seats are vacant at that hour, those who have no tickets will be permitted to take them.

Somerset Teachers to Meet.

A meeting of the Somerset Teachers Association will be held in the Somerville public school building Saturday, Feb. 17. Principal Charles E. Boss, of the North Plainfield school, will make an address on "Lessons from Life". Teachers who visited the World's Fair are expected to relate what they saw of use to their profession. Other interesting things have been arranged for the meeting.

Too Wet to Walk, Too Muddy to Ride.

The electric cars on the Somerset street line are now running on express time, making no stops above Front street. Somerset street is so muddy that pedestrians can not get out to southbound cars, and on the way up passengers are so fearful of the depth of the torrent beside the track that they dare not get off but come back on the return trip and walk to their destination, being careful to take the right side of the street.

—After the first number of the programme had been rendered in Warren Chapel last night the electric lights went out. Several minutes elapsed before lamps could be secured and the electric company did not have a new fuse in till half an hour later.

They Are Both Beautiful.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Feb. 9.—Mrs. Seibel, a prominent society woman, the wife of Albert Seibel, a well known merchant here, has eloped with Dr. Pace, formerly of Tunkhannock. It is believed that they have gone to Nebraska, where the latter is a practicing physician. Pace is a fascinating young man, and Mrs. Seibel is a very handsome woman. She leaves behind a child aged five years, who is being cared for by Mr. Seibel's mother.

Mrs. Stowe's Feeble Old Age.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—A special despatch from Hartford, Conn., to the Times says: Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe is in such a feeble condition, mentally and physically, that she is constantly in charge of an attendant. She will be 83 years old in June. Mrs. Stowe has written nothing for two or three years. The copywright of her "Uncle Tom's Cabin" expired last March, and nothing is now received by her for the sales of that work.

Nothing Left But Gout.

JOHANNESBURG, Africa, Feb. 9.—Advices have been received here that Lo Bengula, king of the Matabeles, who was driven northward from Buluwayo, his capital, by the forces of the British South Africa company, is now wandering almost solitary in the bush, having been deserted by nearly all his followers. It is added that Lo Bengula is suffering from gout.

Religious Riots in India.

BOMBAY, Feb. 9.—Serious religious riots between Mohamedans and Hindoos have occurred at Yeola, near Nassick, ninety five miles from Bombay. The Hindoo temples and Mohamedan mosques were destroyed. Many of the combatants were injured. Troops were summoned and they quelled the disturbance.

Bishop Newman's Tour.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Feb. 9.—Bishop John P. Newman and his wife will leave their home here next week to be absent until September. They will take passage on the steamship Paris on the 21st inst. for Southampton. The bishop will preside at nine foreign Methodist conferences during his tour abroad.

Sickly Sentiment Over Vaillant.

PARIS, Feb. 9.—The police have removed from Vaillant's grave in the "turnip field" in Ivry cemetery a quantity of palm leaves, a pot of flowers, and a number of pamphlets glorifying the dead anarchist and promising that his death shall be avenged.

It has always been a mystery why so many people suffer from chapped hands when Salvation Oil will cure them.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure For sale by L. W. Randolph. 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

You Want the BEST.

HUCKINS SOUPS

They Have No Equal.

Highest Award, Gold medal and diploma at Wold's Fair.

Geo. W. Rockfellow,

THE GROCER, Park ave. & 4th st. 1 27 tf

—No quorum was present at the Board of Trade meeting last night.

—During this period of renting and renewing Van Buren & Timpson will keep their real estate and insurance office open till 9 Saturday nights.

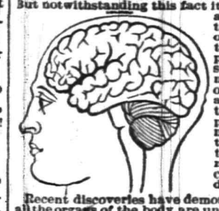
—Ex-Judge W. R. Codington has given $100 bail for Hezekiah Hand, in Justice Moore's Court, for Mr. Hand's appearance to answer to the charge of assaulting Joseph Clark.

—A notice of appeal has been filed by Benjamin Mumford, defendant, against the judgment for $40.56 given by Justice Nodyne yesterday in favor of Dr. Comegys Paul, who claimed payment for medical services.

MYSTERIES!

The Nervous System the Seat of Life and Mind. Recent Wonderful Discoveries.

No mystery has ever compared with that of human life. It has been the leading subject of professional research and study in all ages. But notwithstanding this fact it is not generally known that the seat of life is located in the upper part of the spinal cord, near the base of the brain, and so sensitive is this portion of the nervous system that even the prick of a needle will cause instant death.



Recent discoveries have demonstrated that all the organs of the body are under the control of the nerve centers, located in or near the base of the brain, and that when these are deranged the organs which they supply with nerve fluid are also deranged. When it is remembered that a serious injury to the spinal cord will cause paralysis of the body below the injured point, because the nerve force is prevented by the injury from reaching the paralyzed portion, it will be understood how the derangement of the nerve centers will cause the derangement of the various organs which they supply with nerve force.

Two-thirds of chronic diseases are due to the imperfect action of the nerve centers at the base of the brain, not from a derangement primarily originating in the organ itself. The great mistake of physicians in treating these diseases is that they treat the organ rather than the nerve centers which are the cause of the trouble.

DR. FRANKLIN MILES, the celebrated specialist, has profoundly studied this subject for over 20 years, and has made many important discoveries in connection with it, chief among them being the facts contained in the above statement, and that the ordinary methods of treatment are wrong. All headache, dizziness, dullness, confusion, pressure, blues, mania, melancholy, insanity, epilepsy, St. Vitus dance, etc., are nervous diseases no matter how caused. The wonderful success of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is due to the fact that it is based on the foregoing principle.

DR. MILES' RESTORATIVE NERVINE is sold by all druggists on a positive guarantee, or sent direct by DR. MILES MEDICAL Co., Elkhart, Ind., on receipt of price, $1 per bottle, six bottles for $5, express prepaid. It contains neither opiates nor dangerous drugs.

Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North Avenue, opp. station.

Sealed Proposals

Will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the city of Plainfield, No. 109 Park avenue, until 8 o'clock p. m. of the twenty-seventh day of February, 1894, for furnishing and laying all the cross-walks required by the city of Plainfield during the remainder of the year 1894.

Specifications for said work may be procured at the office of the Street Commissioner.

The right to reject any or all bids is herewith reserved.

Sealed Proposals

Will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the city of Plainfield, No. 109 Park avenue, until 8 o'clock p. m. of the twenty-seventh day of February, 1894, for furnishing crushed stone to the city of Plainfield for the remainder of the year 1894.

The bids to state the prices for furnishing the following sizes, viz: "Dust," No. 1 or one inch; No. 2 or one and one half inch, and No. 3 or two and one half inch, in such quantities and at such places as the Street Commissioner may direct.

The stone must be of the best quality of trap-rock, free from dirt, clay or other foreign matter, and in every way acceptable to the said Street Commissioner.

The stone must be weighed on such scales as the Street Committee may direct and a voucher or weigh-bill must be delivered with every load, to the said Street Commissioner or his authorized representative.

The right to reject any or all bids is herewith reserved.

Sealed Proposals

Will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the city of Plainfield, No. 109 Park avenue, until 8 o'clock p. m. of the twenty-seventh day of February, 1894, for the macadamizing of Grant avenue from West Front street to West Fourth st.

Specifications for said work may be procured at the office of the Street Commissioner.

The right to reject any or all bids is herewith reserved.

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

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CLAIRVOYANT.

MRS. DR. EDWARDS,

The most celebrated Clairvoyant in the world, has arrived Thursday, Feb. 8, and will remain one week only, until Thursday, Feb. 15. Call at once at the

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Ladies 50c. to $1. Gentlemen $1.

The lady wishes to state that she stopped here by urgent request on her way west, and it is positively your last opportunity to see her. Call at once and consult the most gifted medium on earth. 2 9 tf

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Every Friday from 8 to 10:30 p. m. for ladies and gentlemen; every Tuesday from 4 to 5:30 for children in Rulein's Hall. Private lessons each hour; all the latest dances; Two Step, Columbia Lancers, Kaiser William's New Court Dance, etc. Waltzes a specialty. Carnivale, Kirmesses, Cotillions, Fancy Dances, etc. Address 339 Park avenue or Hall. Send for circulars.

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Philadelphia sweet cream 32c. Fine Dairy 25 and 28c.

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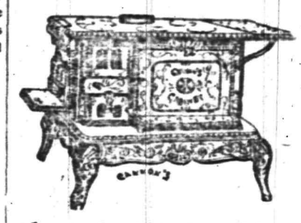

that built itself a name. It had to be a good one or it couldn't bear ours!

Cannon's Cabinet,

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VENTILATED OVEN DOOR. Either Flat or Revolving Grate, Mica Door on end. Broiler Door. Shelf Extension. Separable Base. Nickel Trimmed. Heavy Castings.

A better range than those advertised and sold elsewhere at $15.00 and $20.00.

No. 7. $14. No. 8. $16.

Your money back, if it don't work right. Nobody else says that about a stove.

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A Full Assortment.

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South Second St.

WEST END. 12 28 tf

Notice to the Public.

Having transferred our lumber and coal business to Mr. Curtis M. Thorpe, we respectfully request our patrons to make an early settlement as possible of outstanding accounts, and announce that we shall continue our office at 203-205 Watchung avenue for the convenience of our patrons. Soliciting for our successor a continuance of favors, we thank the public for its patronage of the past.

1 3 tf LOOMIS & RICE.

Watchung Park Property.

Handsomely Situated

BUILDING LOTS

NOW OFFERED FOR SALE.

THIS PROPERTY is in the heart of the recently opened residence section of the city, being within a few minutes walk of the Central railroad station.

THE NEW WATCHUNG PARK, with its new streets and avenues, will be among the handsomest residence sections in this pretty suburban place.

ONLY HIGH GRADE RESIDENCES will be erected. The neighborhood will be restricted, making it as desirable as any in Plainfield.

ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS will be in force by early spring. The work of macadamizing the streets is now being pushed rapidly.

ELECTRIC CARS PASS the property. Electric lights, gas and city water will be introduced as soon in the spring as they are needed.

SCORES OF BEAUTIFUL HOUSES now fronting on Sandford and Westervelt avenues have been located on the said Crescent ball field.

JUST AS PROPERTY VALUES jumped in Sandford and Westervelt avenues, so will they also increase rapidly in Watchung Park. Those who buy now will reap the benefit of an early investment.

THE LOTS are about 50x150 feet in size and the map of the property printed in these columns on Wednesdays and Saturdays will give the public necessary information as to their location.

For further information regarding prices and terms, large copies of the map, etc., address or call upon

A. D. THOMPSON,

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Have You Tried It?

The life of a suit of clothes may be indefinitely prolonged. To your inexperienced eye it may seem worn out. The chances are that cleaning, pressing and a few stitches here and there will give it several months more wear.

That's the kind of economy that amounts to something. You'll save one suit in three by it.

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Entire Suit cleaned and pressed $1.50
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Trousers cleaned and pressed 50 cents

Hillier & Co. 175 North Ave.

Perfectly Ridiculous.

When we stop and think of how cheap we have been selling goods during the past month, it does seem funny, and no doubt you wonder why we do it, but when the snow turns into slush it takes either boats or bargains to bring the people out. We are out of boats at present but

Here are the Bargains

They say White will soon tire of selling best Amoskeag and Lancaster Ginghams for 4½c., but we are still selling them at that price. Same way with Fruit, Dwight, Anchor and Lonsdale bleached muslin. You can still buy them for 7c. per yard.

Our annual sale of muslin underwear for ladies is now on. Two assortments, 25 and 50c—one-third under regular price.

Ladies' Ribbed Vests—One of the best bargains we have ever offered in ladies summer vests is on sale this week. Regular value 25c each; we will sell two for 25c. You will want them later, but now is the time to buy them.

Hosiery—10, 12, 15, 20c is the price on four specials in children's hosiery. Every one is a bargain and well worth trying.

Housefurnishings—We are constantly adding many new and useful articles in our housefurnishing department, and 'twill pay you when in the store to look through this department. There is everything in crockery, glass and tinware, wood and willowware, etc.

WHITE, of Plainfield.

LOTS ON THE INSTALLMENT PLAN.

J. F. MACDONALD

Has a few left over from his two auction sales

At Netherwood

There is no better time to build a house than now. Men want work; you can build cheaply and at the same time help others. 5 tf

HATTER & HALLOCK,

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Will be pleased to show you the latest styles of Hats, whether you wish to purchase or not.

ELY'S CREAM BALM—Cleanses the Nasal Passages, Allays Pain and Inflammation, Heals the Sores, Restores Taste and Smell, and Cures

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Apply into the Nostrils. It is Quickly Absorbed.
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CHAPTER VI.

THE SHADOW OF PARTING.

Laurence Mangan spent some days in looking over the territory in which the principal park was to be located, according to the information he had received from sources he knew to be reliable. There are many men in politics who are so anxious to make friends with newspaper men that they occasionally abuse the confidence of others and disclose state secrets, so to speak, well knowing that their own are safe.

Have you ever thought how those big stories, not coming through regular news channels, have been drawn into print, startling the public and the parties interested with the precision of statement and accuracy of detail? This may enlighten you. It was one of Raymond's lieutenants, an assemblyman, who told Mangan that Raymond had explained, when asked why he did not leave the appointment of the commissioners to the supreme court, instead of naming them in the bill, that one of the justices could not be depended on.

Just think of it! One man under the political system of this free country can not only have laws passed to suit his purposes, if he is a shrewd political leader, but can actually have these laws interpreted as he pleases by his own nominees on the bench, if he have no quarrel with them! We shudder when we read of the tyrannies of the czar, whether all of us, or only some of us, may palliate the nihilism engendered by the excesses of Russian autocracy. Here we have a political revolution. We clean out one or more branches of the city government, where wrong has become so potent as to be notorious, but the other departments to which the ramifications of fraud have extended are left untouched year after year. The politicians have been taught a lesson, and the taxpayers take a rest. So it is that our political reforms are transitory, and that the uprising at the polls we imagine to be the palingenesy of our liberties, not to say palladium, becomes the genesis of greater official corruption, because the feeling of security it creates has more strength than wisdom. It temporizes.

Laurence Mangan had all the facts of his assignment in mind, so far as they related to the commission and probable sites. He would soon be able to turn in his article. He had completed all his arrangements for starting to Denver and had made up his mind that he would call again upon Mother St. Gertrude and Isabel and make his adieus.

That afternoon he started for the convent. It was two days after the reception given by Inez Mortimer. He had seen Isabel's name in the newspaper account of the reception, but to him there was no special significance in that, for he knew that Isabel's presence was looked for by the people whose names figured in the report of the event. She was often in demand at entertainments and other affairs where her taste and executive ability contributed to the success. If she was called upon where hard tasks were imposed, it was but natural that she should share in the social pleasures of those whom she aided at other times.

What a surprise was in store for him! Isabel came to receive him, not playfully as on the last occasion, with the raillery that had lightened his heart, but diffidently, demurely, blushing, outstretching her hand mechanically, bowing her head in a vain attempt to hide her confusion.

She would have given worlds to be relieved of her secret, and yet she believed his honor depended upon her reticence with respect to it.

He was nonplused. Was her action due to the fact that this was the first time he had met her since their troth had been plighted—and plighted under conditions that implied, on her own understanding, a sense of unworthiness? Or did she, with woman's intuition, divine that this meeting, solecistic though the thought, was to be one of parting?

Loverlike, he sought in his own inner consciousness for some reason that would account for her conduct. Somewhere and somehow, where and when he could not then discover, he was responsible, not she. How quick the mind works under such circumstances! No hesitation was apparent in him from the moment the heavy doors of the convent closed until he had his arm around her, awakening her faith in his own strength, while her head, leaning against his breast, her golden locks waving on his left shoulder, was pressed gently back by a kiss upon her brow, and her face upturned to his.

"You didn't look for me, did you?" he asked, assuming a gayness that he did not feel.

"No."

With his arm still around her waist, they walked into the reception room.

"Didn't you expect me to come to say goodby before I went to Denver?" he began. "You must have known I wouldn't delay? When did you think I was going to put my promise into execution?"

"I didn't know."

"Suppose it was the day after tomorrow?"

"Why so soon?"

"Don't you know?"

"I can't think."

"Well, the sooner I unveil the mystery, the sooner you are mine."

Her brother talking to her as a lover! Her heart and soul revolted. He had expected her to press closer to him, not to start back, as she did. Quickly she saw her mistake. His strange look apprised her of it. She must suffer and bear. Her resolution seemed to call up power superhuman, and the pain that worked upon her features disappeared, much as does the sun chased shadow.

"I had not thought you were going away so suddenly."

"Then you do not wish to part just now, even for a little while?"

"You know I don't."

"You mustn't worry, darling. When I come back, we will never part again."

"Are you going to Worcester first?"

"Worcester? Worcester? Did I ever tell you anything about Worcester? I did not remember it. But there is no one in Worcester I care to see."

"Then it is true?"

"What is true?"

She must be more guarded, she warned herself, else he would get a clue to the knowledge she had gained from Raymond.

"That—that you are going away?" but her mind was more on Worcester than on Denver.

"Of course, dear. Now be reasonable. If I stay here, I can't find out what you want to know, and what I want to know too. Isn't it better to settle things at once? If I don't bring the story back, it is the first time I have failed in an assignment."

He spoke in a strain to cheer her, and he tenderly added:

"How many days after I come back will it be before you are mine—my own forever?".

"Oh, Laurence, it won't be!" and horror darkened her face and made her frame tremble for a moment as if a strong current of electricity had been sent through every nerve.

"What can't be?"

"I can't—can't—be—your—wife," slowly, as if every word punctured her heart like a stiletto point.

"Isabel, are you wandering?"

"Oh, maybe I am, Laurence; maybe I am," she said pathetically, despairingly, as she threw her arms around his neck. "Don't mind me, Laurence, don't mind me, but don't be angry with me. I love you so."

Her eyes suffused with tears. He was mystified. She loved him, was more demonstrative in her devotion than she had ever been before, and yet gave less encouragement to the prospects he had builded on the foundation of his own adoration for her. Had the certainty of temporary separation unnerved her?

"Isabel," he said, "what is wrong? Tell me, love," and he smoothed back the curls from her moist forehead, trying to soothe her.

"I can't, Laurence, I can't."

She was bordering on the hysterical.

"Then something is wrong!" he exclaimed, holding her from him and peering madly into her eyes, as if to read therein the working of her mind and draw out, with mesmeric force, the meaning of the incomprehensible sorrow that preyed upon her.

"You will always be dear to me," she said. "Always dear to me, Laurence. Another day you will know all. Be patient, Laurence, be patient, but I love you, indeed I do, and in a few days you will be sorry that you doubted me."

She showered kisses upon him, the kisses she felt as a sister she could give, the first warm effusion of her love—kisses whose ecstasy he had never felt before, and which awakened more strongly within him the one grand passion of his life.

Love him she did! Again he held her from him, seeking to explore her thoughts in searching glances. A light footstep broke the spell that Isabel might not have been able to resist. Mother St. Gertrude entered. Her sharp eye detected the situation. Her keen mind suspected the cause. Isabel had told her the story; never once had this fair young girl reserved even a thought from the mother superior.

"Laurence," said Mother St. Gertrude, "this should not have occurred."

"Is it a nightmare?" he asked wildly, advancing toward the nun. "Am I crazy—or what?"

"You're simply foolish," was her hasty response. "You've excited Isabel and yourself. Let me tell you something. Come here."

He followed her into the hall, where she turned and faced him, saying:

"It is better that you should go now. All will be right. Mother St. Gertrude says so. She is your friend. Have no fear. Leave Isabel with me."

"May I say goodby?"

"No."

He spoke and acted like one in a stupor. He knew Mother St. Gertrude too well to argue the point. He waved adieu to Isabel. She came forward to speak to him, but the great door had closed. To the iron barred window she ran and looked after him as he walked

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down the big courtyard. At the gate he paused and glanced back. There was mutual recognition. He waved his hand and passed on. Two faces looked as if two hearts were breaking.

Isabel was awakened from a reverie by Mother St. Gertrude.

"Oh, mother," cried Isabel, "what shall I do? He is going west after all."

"It is the best thing, my child. It will keep his hand out of trouble and his mind occupied. You had better take a rest. Come with me to your room."

Isabel went with the sister, but not before she peered again out of the window, through the bars, seemingly expectant that Laurence would return. She wished he would, and just at that time she felt that her secret would be his.

"He has gone forever now!" she cried.

"I know he has," and the mother superior deemed it best not to contradict her or to dwell upon the incidents of the afternoon.

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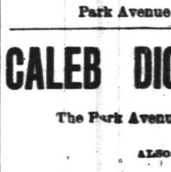

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8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Manch Chunk.

9 51 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazleton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 45 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 09 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton.

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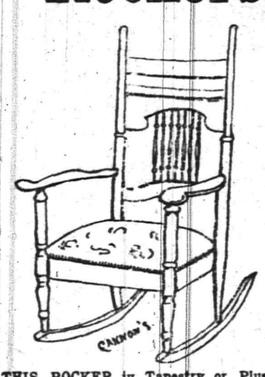

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Fearful Failure of Fifteen Physicians—Serious Surgical Operation Suggested.

For four years I have suffered from a complication of diseases which physicians said were dyspepsia, liver and kidney complaint, nervous prostration and womb disease. No words of mine can describe the terrible pains and distress I have experienced—the dizziness, trembling fears of evil, chills, fever, melancholy, restlessness and numerous other dreadful sensations which I am unable to describe. Have been treated by fifteen physicians, some of whom were sure they could cure me within two or three months, and all of whom have had from two months to three, four or more, as they said was needed. One I tried for a whole year until last May I found myself disappointed, discouraged and about ready to give up altogether, as, after treating me for a year my physician told me I would be obliged to undergo a surgical operation before I could commence to get better. Just at this time I was advised by friends to consult Dr. Starkweather of No. 105 Halsey street, Newark, as they knew of some very remarkable cures which he had performed.

I followed their advice and visited the doctor on May 5. How glad I am that I took this step no one can realize who has not been similiarly situated. The doctor gave me a complete history of my case, describing with surprising accuracy the conditions and symptoms which I had endured for years, but what gave me the greatest surprise and pleasure was when he assured me that there was no need of any surgical operation. Proper means, he said, would overcome my troubles without any surgery. I commenced at once to follow Dr. Starkweather's directions and treatment. Having gradually and steadily improved since that time, as he stated I would, until now I am the wonder of all my friends, while rejoicing in renewed health, strength and spirits. Am constrained by a sense of duty and gratitude to accord the praise due Dr. S. for his gentle, soothing and skillful treatment of my case, and advise all sufferers from whatever cause to consult this eminent physician. MRS. WM. R. MANSER.

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WATKINS BANK CLOSED

The Cashier Robs the Vaults and Skips Out.

Love Was Also the Village President and Very Popular—A Certain Watkins Girl Said to Be Missing—Left a Letter Saying He Would Kill Himself—This Probably a Ruse.

WATKINS, N. Y., Feb. 10.—This village is still greatly excited over the failure of the First National bank to open its doors yesterday and the disappearance of the cashier, John W. Love. Love, who is also president of the village and for several years one of the leading men, left sometime during the night, with, it is believed, about $50,000 taken from the bank's vaults. It is also believed that Love became involved through speculation in western land.

He left a note for his brother stating that he was insane and that he would kill himself, but this is considered a ruse on account of his taking the bank funds.

It is reported that there were $10,000 of state money in the bank. The funds of the town of Dix were also there as well as many individual depositors, who can be seen standing in small knots at the street corners, discussing the situation, which to some may prove disastrous.

The excitement has been intensified by the finding of Love's coat and hat on the dock at Magee's boat house. It is rumored that a Watkins girl, to whom Love had been attentive, is also missing.

There are rumors that the bank's deficit will aggregate $100,000, but the president of the bank, Hon. Adrian Tuttle, says that such reports are preposterous. The theory that Love has committed suicide in Seneca lake is laughed at by those who are acquainted with the situation.

THREATENS TO USE FORCE.

Minister Terrell Demands the Release of Americans in a Syrian Prison.

PARIS, Feb. 10.—The Temps has this dispatch from Constantinople:

"Alexander W. Terrell, United States minister, has demanded the immediate liberation of two Armenians who are American citizens and are imprisoned in Iskanderun, northern Syria. He has threatened, in the event of a refusal, to send an ironclad to Iskanderun.

"Serious riots have recurred in the Angora district, and 200 cavalry have started from Constantinople for Yusgat. The populace of Amasia, on the Yeshit-Irmak, broke into the jail recently and freed several Armenian prisoners. Sivas and Caesarea also have been disturbed. Seditious placards have been posted in both cities and the authorities have arrested many persons including 17 Mussulmans, who plotted to massacre the Christians."

Another Letter From De Filippo.

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Another letter has been received from Banker Ferdinand de Filippo, head of the Central Italian bank, who disappeared a month ago. This one was written to his son, and in it the banker says he is ill at Genoa with a severe attack of influenza. He makes no reference in the letter to money matters, and evidently is not aware that he has caused considerable excitement by going away and leaving the safe to his bank locked. Mr. de Filippo has not been enjoying the best of health for some time, and, therefore, his friends are a little worried about his illness.

Bank Officials Indicted.

LOCKPORT, N. Y., Feb. 10.—Dr. J. H. Helmer, vice president of the defunct Merchants' bank of this city and a prominent citizen, has been indicted for perjury in connection with the affairs of the broken bank. He was arrested, arraigned and admitted to bail. The cashier of the bank, J. J. Arnold, is now in jail and will be tried next week for perjury and embezzlement. His shortage exceeds $100,000. The bank is in the hands of a receiver and is in liquidation.

Probably an Elopement.

HUNTINGTON, L. I., Feb. 10.—Miss Belle Ward, the only daughter of Barclay Ward, a wealthy resident of Huntington, has been missing from her home for more than two weeks, and no information can be gained as to her whereabouts. Her parents are sure that she has eloped with Charles Whelp, a good-looking and dashing young fellow from New York city, who was paying the girl attention, until ordered to desist by the girl's father.

Congressman Wilson Ill.

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Congressman Wilson, chairman of the ways and means committee, arrived here yesterday with his party, en route for Mexico. Mr. Wilson was suddenly taken with a chill and a doctor being called found his temperature at 102 and diagnosed the trouble as tonsilitis. He advised Mr. Wilson to be very careful of himself and secure as much rest as possible. The party left for Kansas City last night.

A Young Lawyers' Downfall.

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 10.—The entire attention of the court of quarter sessions is devoted to the trial of David Spiro, a young lawyer and well known man about town, who was indicted for larceny a week or so ago. He is charged with stealing money in small sums from pockets of coats which had been left hanging either in the court room or in one of the ante-rooms.

Opposes Ellis' History.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 10.—Posts No. 2 and No. 19, G. A. R., have taken a strong stand against the introduction into the public schools of Ellis' complete history of the United States. Similar action was taken by the grand army men in Idaho two weeks ago. They claim its tone is biased in favor of treason and the cause of the south.

War on Slot Gambling Machines.

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Superintendent of Police Eldridge is waging war against the nickel and penny-in-the-slot machines in this city, and proposes to remove all that in any way may be construed as gaming implements.

Schaefer Defeats Ives.

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—"Wizard" Schaefer won the second game of the billiard tournament at Bumstead hall last night from "Napoleon" Ives by a score of 600 to 499.

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JUDGE HOUK'S DEATH

The Ohio Congressman Received No Warning.

Fell Suddenly to the Floor and Expired While Talking to a Lady in the Parlor of a Residence at Which He Was Visiting—His Brother Members Shocked.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The news that George W. Houk, representative in congress from the third district of Ohio, had fallen dead while visiting at 1627 Connecticut avenue, was received at the capitol just after the house had adjourned, and came as a severe shock to the members who had not left the hall.

Judge Houk had arrived at the Connecticut avenue residence about 4 o'clock or a little thereafter, and from the statement made by Mrs. Christman, who was in the parlor at the time with the judge, he had just reached the front window and was looking out upon the street when he sank upon a settee and slid to the floor helpless. This was at 4:30 o'clock. Doctors were immediately summoned, and when they arrived they applied electrical apparatus and used all means known to the medical profession to resuscitate the stricken congressman, but without avail. Mr. Houk's wife arrived with a lady friend shortly after 5 o'clock.

Judge Houk was apparently in the best of health during the morning. He visited the house of representatives and attended a meeting of the interstate commerce committee of which he was a prominent member. He was on the floor of the house during the session about an hour and then left the capitol and repaired to his residence on I street, northwest. He remained at his residence for some time, and with his private secretary, Louis G. Ott, read over and revised a recent speech on the tariff preparatory to having it printed in pamphlet form.

Judge Houk was 68 years of age having been born in Cumberland county, Pa., Sep. 25, 1825. He removed, when two years of age, with his father to Ohio and settled at Dayton, where he has resided ever since. He chose the law for a profession and formed a partnership with the Hon. Peter P. Lowe. In 1860 he was a delegate to the famous Charleston-Baltimore conventions as a supporter of Douglass, and from that time on was active in democratic politics. He was first elected to the 53d congress and re-elected to the 53d as a democrat.

Judge Houk leaves a widow, one son and two daughters. All his children are married.

Lohman Traced to New York.

ORANGE, N. J., Feb. 10.—Howard Osgood Lohman, who disappeared from his home at Orange, N. J., on January 27th, has been traced to New York. He was seen last Tuesday going into offices in Nassau street in search of employment. He then seemed dazed and acted in a strange manner. The young man's father visited Superintendent Byrnes and a general alarm has been sent out.

New Jersey G. A. R.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 10.—The annual encampment of the New Jersey department G. A. R., just before closing, elected the following officers: Department commander, John Shields, Flemington; senior vice-commander, W. W. Bransom, Rahway; junior vice-commander, E. F. Brainerd, Newark; chaplain, Rev. Charles E. Hill, Red Bank; medical director, Dr. John Younglove, Elisabeth.

Maine's First Steel Ship.

BATH, Me., Feb. 10.—The first steel sailing ship ever built in New England will be launched this afternoon from the yards of A. Sewell & Co. She has been named after the motto of the Pine Tree state, "Dirigo." She is a four-masted schooner and everything about her is first class. The vessel carries high steam windlass capstans and pumps.

Applications for Aid Falling Off.

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 10.—More than 2,000 persons received their regular weekly stipend of $2 each from the Citizens' Aid committee yesterday. Applications for aid have fallen off somewhat during the week. The overseer of the poor has helped 1,200 persons during the week out of the $25,000 appropriated by the common council for that purpose.

Paying Debts With Money Borrowed.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—With money in hand derived from the sale of bonds, the treasury department is beginning to pay some of its deferred obligations, sugar bounties to the amount of $11,500,000 having been awaiting payment for some time.

Swallowed a Snake and Died.

VALLEYVIEW, Ky., Feb. 10.—From the effects of swallowing a small snake Mrs. Mary Burgess died here last night in terrible agony.

BECAME SUDDENLY INSANE.

Queer Action of a Lynn Girl at a Theatre—Possibly Deceived.

LYNN, Mass., Feb. 10.—Estelle Gowen, the 18-year-old daughter of Frederick Gowen of Spring street, Lynn, became insane yesterday and was last evening placed in the women's department of the police station for safe-keeping. Yesterday afternoon Miss Gowen, who is very pretty, visited the theatre in Music hall and walked out of a box upon the stage while the performance was going on. She inquired for a stage hand named Darby Norman, and informed the stage manager that she had come to take her part and wanted to go right on. She told the officer who was called that Norman had promised to marry her, that the marriage was to take place in the evening and that Norman was to buy her a new sack.

The officer took the girl to her home and last evening she again visited the theatre, carrying with her a large satchel in which a revolver was found. She was again taken home and by the advice of her father she was taken to the station.

Miss Gowen said at the station that on Thursday night she had visited Music Hall with a Miss Russell and after the performance had gone into a hotel near by with her and two male companions. While in the hotel she had been given something to drink and her father thinks his daughter was drugged.

Miss Russell, who was seen, later, declared that although she had visited the theatre with Estelle, that she had not been inside the hotel. The police will make a rigid investigation.

Rolling Mills to Resume.

BELLEFONTE, Pa., Feb. 10.—The rolling mills of the Valentine Iron company will start up on Monday and run full time. They have been idle all winter. It is believed that this is but the beginning of the resumption of the company's entire plant. As it is, a large number of men who have been idle for months will be given employment.

Oakley and Wood Out of Danger.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Feb. 10.—Mr. B. Oakley and Frederick Wood, two of the three friends who, Thursday night at Roselle, drank aconite in mistake for whiskey, are out of danger. The remains of Mr. Tracy will be forwarded to Canaan, Conn., for interment. He leaves a widow, a son and a daughter.

No Show for Goff and Quinn.

JERSEY CITY, Feb. 10.—The Rev. John L. Scudder announces that he has decided not to have Evangelists Goff and Quinn appear at the tabernacle either at the revival or any other services. The engagement of Messrs. Goff and Quinn has thus come to an end in this city.

AS FROM THE GRAVE

Negro Purvis' Reception at His Parents' Home.

In Charge of a Deputy Sheriff, the Man Who so Miraculously Escaped Death on the Gallows Wednesday, Visits His Father and Mother—Sentiment Changing in His Favor.

NEW CHRISTIANS, Feb. 10.—A Purvis, Miss., special says:

M. Q. McClelland, deputy sheriff of this place, passed through here last evening with Will Purvis, the young white man who was to have been executed on last Wednesday, but who escaped by some means not well understood by everybody. Many persons of a superstitious nature think the breaking of the rope was a special act of providence to save him alive in order that more facts in the case might be developed in the future.

Purvis was being carried to Hattiesburg for safe keeping until the sheriff could obtain official information in regard to his disposal. There has been a radical change in the minds of the people in regard to his guilt since the moment at his execution on last Wednesday. It is believed now by nearly everyone that he is an innocent man and that the real murderer of Will Buckley is still at large.

When the deputy sheriff arrived here with his people, in order to get a glimpse of the young man who had escaped death so miraculously, crowds of the waiting room almost to suffocation. He was brought from Columbia, a distance of 32 miles and allowed to stay at his father's house which is on the road. His parents received him almost as one who had risen from the dead. The prisoner was in fine spirits, looked fat and was well dressed, having on the same suit in which he was dressed when he mounted the scaffold expecting to die.

Big Republican Mass Meeting.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 10.—A republican meeting was held last evening in the Academy of Music that filled the building from orchestra to top gallery. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Union League club and its object was the dual one of opening in this city the campaign of Galusha A. Grow, republican candidate for congressman-at-large, and to announce anew the policy of protection as opposed to that of tariff reform.

Inventor of the Saxophone Dead.

PARIS, Feb. 10. — Antoine Joseph Adolphe Sax died of pneumonia here today in absolute poverty. Sax was born at Dinant in 1814. He engaged in the manufacture of musical instruments, and introduced the Saxophone in Paris in 1838.

Rewarded By Uncle Sam.

LONDON, Feb. 10.—The British captains Burke and Proud have each received a gold watch and chain from the United States government for saving the crews of the American vessels Acme and Peter H. Crowell.

Chicago's Smallpox Epidemic.

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Two of the sisters of charity who have been nursing the unfortunate inmates of the pest house are down with the smallpox. There are now 91 smallpox patients in the hospital.

For La Grippe Sufferers.

The Reformer Editor Tells of His Experience with This Dangerous Disease.

EDITOR J. H. LIVINGSTON.

BENNINGTON, Vt., Dec. 16, 1893.

In the spring of the year 1891 I was attacked with grip. I was laid by from business for about two months, a portion of the time as sick a man as ever lived through that *mysterious disease*. From the effects of the attack I was really ill all summer, weak and tired and dispirited.

In the spring of the year 1892 I suffered another onslaught of the same disease, and lost seventeen pounds of flesh in two weeks. I went back to my duties again with a settled conviction that I would be obliged to pass through another summer of misery, but happily I resorted to the use of Paine's celery compound, doubting ly I admit, for I was chary of so-called proprietary medicines. But before the first bottle was used, conviction dawned upon me that here was the elixir, if not of life, still of health, and within a month I was feeding and really better than before the grip first made my unwilling acquaintance.

And now when tired from brain work or business cares I take a wine glass of celery compound on going to bed, and I wake in the morning refreshed and fit to begin again the toils and many successful the vexations that infest the day.

My wife, who is not wholly free from the ills inherent in womankind, manages with my help, to consume the contents of about a half-dozen bottles of the compound a year, to the great benefit of her health and my happiness. It ought to be understood that celery compound is as grateful to the palate as good aged wholesome wine, while it is more long-reaching and lasting in its effects than any vintage of the fruit of the genus vitis.

J. H. LIVINGSTON.

Dr. Cyrus Edson, ... says:

H-O Hornby's Oatmeal

Is Unquestionably The Best Breakfast Food.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Hallock, hatter, will sell you a stylish hat, and the price is right.

—An adjourned meeting of Gazelle Engine Company will be held next Tuesday evening.

—Frank Hart and Milton McCready are painting the interior of Roberts's livery stables, including the stalls.

—Gabriel Paoli gave Harry Radin an ugly stab in the hand, in the Boys' Club wood-carving class last night.

—Milkmen Hogan and Powers discussed insults on Park avenue this morning, to the edification of bystanders.

—A. Hoagland cut his left hand quite badly while pruning grapevines in his yard on West Front street Thursday.

—The delegates to the Grand Army Encampment at Trenton returned last evening, and report having had a good time.

—J. E. Townsend has received an order from the widow of James H. Force for a granite monument of the sarcophagus style.

—Councilmen Erickson, Bird and Fisk of the Fire and Building Committee met last night and transacted the regular business.

—An entertainment will be given to the Boys Club from 7:30 to 9, Tuesday evening, Feb. 13. New York talent will appear.

—Rev. Arthur Crane will begin evangelistic services in the First Baptist Church next Monday evening. The engagement is for one week.

—The Ministers Association will meet Monday afternoon at the home of Rev. E. M. Dwight. Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes will read the essay.

—Dominick Vittell, arrested by Policeman McCue for stealing coal, was fined $2 with a choice of twenty days, in the City Court this morning.

—Gilbert Murray and William Sullivan intend applying to the court in Elizabeth for a hotel license to run the hotel of the late W. E. Lowe in Scotch Plains.

—The contract for wiring the Babcock Building for electric lighting, annunciators, etc., has been sublet by the contractor, Mr. Hubbard, to Harold Tomlinson.

—Capt. George Laible, the North Plainfield dwarf, is resting among local friends preparatory to resuming his tour with Miss Jennie Quigley. They are a great little team.

—John Thomas and William Kelly, two tramps who were arrested for begging in the borough, were sentenced this morning, Thomas receiving thirty days and Kelly sixty.

—Basil Haynes, the young man who was reported missing and who was found by Special Marshal Moore in the house of Peter Newmiller near South Stirling yesterday, is visiting with relatives.

—Cyclist Zimmerman had a new experience in Plainfield yesterday, bowling for the first time. He entered an exciting contest between two three-men teams on the Board of Trade alleys, and rolled 119.

—In the Presbyterian church in Dunellen tomorrow evening a consecration meeting will be led by Miss Ella Boice at 6:45, and beginning at 7:30 the regular Y. P. S. C. E. Memorial Day exercises will be carried out.

—The Exempt Firemen's Association of Plainfield have paid to the widows of W. L. Force, J. H. Force and T. J. Gillies, $50 each. The amount is partly realized by assessing the surviving members 50 cents for each death.

—For the benefit of new members and beginners the class in Applied Mechanics at the Y. M. C. A. rooms will hold each week an extra session. Anyone wishing to join will please apply at the rooms Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

—Supt. Adleman ridicules the statement that the Bridgeport street railway strike may involve the Plainfield road. He says the Plainfield company is not in any way interested in or affected by the Bridgeport company's doings.

—DeWitt C. Ivins has joined a partnership with Curtis M. Thorpe in the lumber and coal business at 313 Watchung avenue. Like Mr. Thorpe, he has had large experience in the lumber business, and increased trade is sure to result from the combined energies of the partners.

—The excellent photograph of the Plainfield water tower which hangs in the Water Supply Company's office on North avenue, and copies of which are to be used throughout the country in advertising the excellence of the works, was taken by the East Front street camerist, G. Thorn.

—Lantern slides made by the Camera Club of Orange will be exhibited by the local amateur photographers in their rooms over the post-office next Monday evening. By the interchange system only the best of the productions of photographers in the different clubs are used and thus an excellent exhibition is assured.

—Henry Nischwitz, formerly with C. Frank French, has started in business for himself, and is prepared to supply to the public flour, feed, grain, hay, straw, salt and country produce. He has built a storehouse on the rear of his lot, and therefore has two entrances, one at 62 Manning avenue and one at 55 Race street. He will make free delivery of all orders, and should receive liberal patronage.

The standard cure for cold and cough, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, should be kept by every mother who loves their darlings.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell; 25c., 50c. and $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 208 North ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good. Price 50c. Sold by J. D. Mallinson, 208 North Ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

Shiloh's Cure, the great cough and croup cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains 25 doses, only 25c. Children love it. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 208 North ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

BY THE WAY.

—A song service will be held in the W. C. T. U. rooms tonight.

—Two Italian peddlers were arrested on Manning avenue this noon for peddling without licenses.

—Street Commissioner Meeker paid out $322 25 this week to the 97 men working on the streets under the card system.

—A. G. Carpenter furnished the music for the entertainment and dance given by the Westfield Athletic Club last night.

—A very interesting programme was rendered by the Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist Church last evening.

—Through Runyon & Moffett Albert Smith, the boy who was bitten by Michael Weber's dog recently, has brought suit in Justice Nash's Court for $200 damages. The case will come up next Wednesday afternoon at 2. Craig A. Marsh is counsel for the defendent.

—A. E. Hoagland's wagon broke down in front of J. E. Townsend's marble yard on Somerset street at 10 this morning. The wagon was filled with marble for the works, and was apparently over-loaded as the hind axle broke when the driver attempted to cross the track.

—Aaron M. Powell, of Plainfield, President of the New York Committee for the Prevention of the State Regulation of Vice, has called for a meeting of the Committee, to be held at 110 Second avenue, next Tuesday evening at 8. Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis is to discuss, with others, the topics of the evening.

—Timpson & VanBuren have completed the renovation of their real estate and insurance office and the partitioning off of a cosy private office. The place has been newly papered and decorated and is one of the brightest and handsomest in Plainfield. Its convenient location on North avenue opposite the railroad station, aids the reputation of the proprietors in making a visit to the office a favorite means of obtaining houses and tenants and placing insurance.

An Interesting Game Law Case.

GREAT BARRINGTON, Mass., Feb. 10.—The case of commonwealth against R. E. Follett, one of the fish commissioners of Connecticut, and Michael McDonough, his hired man, who are charged with illegally netting trout out of the Lee brook, in Sheffield, came before the district court yesterday. Many sportsmen from all parts of the country were present. Follett conducts a trout hatchery for Chas. Barnum, of Lime Rock, and alleged that the fish had been let out of his hatchery pool because of sickness and that he had only netted back what he had let loose. In this he was supported by several witnesses. The state alleges that he netted the stream, taking fish regardless of size or ownership and sent them to Connecticut. The stream is one of the best in the county. Judge Sanford reserved his decision until the 17th. The case has aroused the utmost interest and on account of many singular circumstances will be watched with interest.

Off on a Short Sea Voyage.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The light house tender Maple left here at 11 o'clock this morning for Fort Monroe, Va. She carries as guests secretary and Mrs. Carlisle, Assistant Secretary Hamlin and his sister, Miss Hamlin, Miss Berry, daughter of Representative Berry, of Kentucky, and Mr. Logan Carlisle. The party expects to return on Tuesday or Wednesday. Secretary Carlisle, who is worn out from overwork, prefers taking this trip to a longer one, to recuperate his health.

Buying Right of Way.

SUSQUEHANNA, Pa., Feb. 10.—The right of way for the Lehigh, Catskill Mountain & Boston railroad is being purchased through Delaware and Schoharie counties of New York, and work will soon be begun. The road will run from the Pennsylvania coal fields, crossing the New York, Lake Erie & Western road at Deposit, N. Y., thence to or near Albany, where it will connect with the Fitchburg road for Boston and other points east. It will be an independent road and not a connecting link between the Ontario & Western and the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western.

Rumors from Rome.

ROME, Feb. 10.—It is rumored in German circles here that Cardinal Ledochowski, prefect of the congregation of the propaganda fide, is about to resign that office on the pretext that his health will not permit him to fulfill its duties. The rumor has it that the true reason for his resignation is that there is a radical difference between himself and the French ambassador to the Vatican, Count de Behaine, regarding the policy of the church in France.

Gold Reserve Again Intact.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The gold reserve in the treasury is again intact. It reached that condition when the gold received from the recent bond issue swelled the gold beyond the $100,000,000 mark. On Aug. 10 last the gold in the treasury stood at $103,000,000, since which date it has gradually declined, reaching its lowest point of $64,000,000 on Tuesday last, when the gold received from the sale of bonds was transferred into the treasury cash.

Rosebery Favors the Gouty Lords.

PARIS, Feb. 10.—The Eclair says that Lord Rosebery, British foreign minister, twice recently offered to resign. It adds that his resignation is held in abeyance only until Mr. Gladstone's return to England. According to the Eclair, Lord Rosebery differs with Mr. Gladstone on the British foreign policy and on the agitation against the house of lords.

North Atlantic Naval Station.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The wreck of the Kearsarge leaves the North Atlantic naval station in a very impoverished condition. The other ships attached to it are the Monitor, Miantonomah, the dynamite cruiser Vesuvius, and the gunboat Machias, and the last named is to be placed out of commission in a few days.

Mrs. Lange to be Imprisoned.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Mrs. Minnie Lange, convicted of conspiracy with her husband of attempt to defraud the Mutual Reserve Fund Life association in collecting $3,000 on a policy on Lange's life, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment in the penitentiary.

Barbour Flax Mill Resumes.

PATERSON, N. J., Feb. 10.—The Barbour flax spinning company, which employs 500 men, women and girls, has given notice that its Grand street mill, which has been working three days a week for the past few months, will resume on full time next Monday.

Eyes.

Have your eyes examined and your glasses made by A. Jay Cross, (R. O.), 18 West 23d st., N. Y. 2 3 y-o

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Ex-Councilman Tell A. Beguelin, of East Front street, is ill.

Mrs. E. W. Purser of Brooklyn is visiting Mrs. W. O. Baldwin of West Fourth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Manchester have moved from Arlington avenue to 122 Lafayette place.

Miss Mildred P. Marsh and Miss Lizzie Combs of Westfield are visiting the Misses Searing of Madison avenue.

The engagement is announced of Miss Minnie Wood of Franklin place to Russel Jacobus, formerly of Plainfield.

George C. Worth, of Grove street, is visiting William Wann, formerly a boroughite and now living in Harlem.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnett R. Rogers will move from East Second street, April 1, to one of the VanSyckle flats on North avenue.

Miss Lawrence, of Hillside avenue, left today for Flushing, L. I., where she will spend a few weeks with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. McKim.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Staats, of 120 West Second street, now have a "team" of boys. A pretty name for a little girl had been selected, but—

Miss Bessie Benton, of Front street, Dunellen, gave a social at her home last evening at which a number of Plainfield young people were present.

Asa Collier and J. Olsen represented Major Anderson Post, No. 109, G. A. R., in the twenty-seventh annual encampment which closed in Trenton yesterday.

Mrs Clifton Wharton, Jr., gave an informal luncheon Thursday for Miss Ella Haines of Indianapolis. Among those present were Miss Ellis, Miss Annie Ellis, and Miss Butler.

Mrs. Anna B. Warner of West Second street entertained a gathering of friends at a family dinner last night. Among the guests were Mrs. W. O. Baldwin of Plainfield, and Mrs. E. W. Purser and Mr. and Mrs. Avery, of Brooklyn.

George W. Moore of this city was re-elected as a member of the Council of Administration, at the Grand Army Encampment held at Trenton. John Shields, of Flemington, was unanimously elected Department Commander.

Miss Spence, who lectured on "Some Australian Answers to American Problems" in All Souls Church, is the guest of Miss Kenyon of Seventh street. Yesterday morning she made a short address to the pupils of the Seminary.

About thirty attended the "rain or shine" sociable at the home of Wilbur Schaefer, 456 Orchard place, last evening. The committee included John Hoagland, Thomas Schaefer and Wilbur Schaefer. Musician Guttman accompanied the dancing.

Mrs. Corlies entertained a number of friends at luncheon at her home "Roadending", Thursday. The guests were Mrs. William Palmer Smith, Miss Baker, Mrs. Ladd, Mrs. Robert L. Burnett, Mrs. J. W. Reinhart and her sister, Mrs. Allison and Miss Corlies.

George Lowerre, of New York, will shortly move to the borough, having purchased the house of Henry Woodland on Grandview avenue, through the agency of H. O. Hance, for $3,500. Mr. Lowerre would not have purchased had the street railway not been in operation.

Mrs. Avis Mosher Laing, of 402 Watchung avenue, took the celebrated Blue Line this morning for Washington, D. C., to visit her son, A. M. Laing, 60 I street, N. E. She was accompanied by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. A. M. Laing, who has been visiting among relatives here for several weeks.

A surprise party arranged by Mrs. Sturtevant and Mrs. Muirhead was given to Miss Lizzie Besseter, 127 Watchung avenue. There were about twenty present, and they met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Stevens next door. The surprise was complete. Guttman furnished the music for dancing. Refreshments were served.

Will Woodland, of 53 Grandview avenue, entertained a few of his intimate friends last evening. Dancing was the principal feature of the evening, and all thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Refreshments were served. Those present were: The Misses Margaret and Edith Miles, Jessie Coddington, Fanny MacCready, Belle Lewis, May McLaughlin, Lena Smalley, Mamie Steiner, Etta Blatz, Jennie Simpson, Susie Woodland, William Kitchen, William Morrison, Harry Coddington, Herbert Schutt, Lewis Schutt, Bert Steiner, Howard Woolston, Bert Woodland, Edward Clark, Frank Dodge and Mr. Green of Newark. O'Reilly furnished the music.

The "Count's" Trial Adjourned.

The case of Stanislaw Grumszky against "Count" J. K. VanNess was partly tried before Justice Nodyne this morning.

It was agreed that the case should be adjourned if they were not through by 12. In consequence the plaintiff's side only was heard. The matter will come up again next Friday.

—The jury in the case on attachment of Galley against Voehl came up before Justice Crosley this morning, when W. R. Codington, counsel for the plaintiff, asked for an adjournment as an important witness was absent. The case was adjourned to March 3.

OF SPECIAL VALUE in breaking up sudden attacks of colds, chills, fevers, and inflammation—Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They carry off these troubles at the start. And if you would only keep yourself in proper condition with them—the liver active and the system regular—you'd find you couldn't take diseases easily.

These tiny, sugar-coated "Pellets" are the most perfectly *natural* in their action—no griping, no violence. Take them for wind and pain in the stomach, fullness, and dizziness. They absolutely and permanently cure Constipation, Indigestion, Biliousness, Jaundice, Sick or Bilious Headaches, and every Liver, Stomach and Bowel disorder.

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SCRUB and WASH as you will, it is not easy to keep the hands smooth and white in winter time. In fact, the more you scrub and wash, the rougher seems the skin, and you find that the best of soap fails to whiten it. Now if, after washing, you will moisten your hands with LEMON JUICE AND GLYCERINE, the effect will be to soften and whiten the skin, even in the worst weather. Used by hundreds of the "best people" in Plainfield. Originated and sold only by H. P. REYNOLDS, Pharmacist, Park and North avenues.

THE REV. ARTHUR CRANE,
Evangelist,
Will conduct Gospel Meetings at the First Baptist Church, (Rev. D. J. Yerkes pastor), commencing
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12,
At 8 o'clock p. m.
Singing by the choir. Gospel Hymns No. 5 will be used at the meetings.
Bible readings will be held each day at 3:30 p. m. (Saturday excepted). 2 10 6

SECOND LANTERN EVENING
—OF THE—
Plainfield Camera Club,
At their rooms (over post-office),
Monday, Feb. 12
Exhibition of slides made by the Orange Camera Club. Interchange set.
ADMISSION 25c.
2 10 2

PURE CIDER VINEGAR
3 years old will be supplied in small or large quantities to stores or private families by dropping a postal to
2 7 tf C. J. ACKERMAN.

ROSES,
Carnations and violets. F. W. MILES, Somerset st., near Johnston's drive.
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IRA F. RIKER,
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TERRILL & COLE,
Undertakers and Embalmers,
200 West 2d street.
Next to Trinity Reformed Church.
First-class livery attached.
Telephone 153. 11 26 6m

DEATHS.

WILSON.—In this city Wednesday, Feb. 7, 1894, John Wilson.
Funeral services in the Seventh Day Baptist Church, corner Madison avenue and 5th street, Sunday, Feb. 11, at 3 p. m.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

FOR SALE or to let, house and barn 109 West 4th st. Apply G. W. Force, 111 West 2d st. 2 8 3

WHAT have you got for sale or to let? Send a full list to the two hustlers, Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

WE have calls for some houses that will rent for $30 to $35 per month; send us a list at once. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung ave. 1 22 tf

FOR RENT—At 23 Pearl st., 7 room house. Inquire 54. 2 6 3-eod

FOR SALE—New harness, hand-made, $15; Mexican saddle $5; can be seen at Mumford's steam carpet works; also natural wood carriage, two seats, $50. 2 10 3

I HAVE several competent girls who want situations to do general housework. A. Corwin, 315 Park avenue

$2 REWARD—Lost or strayed Friday, Feb. 9, a Gorden setter; address on his collar. The above reward will be paid for his return to F. C. Harder, 832 Madison avenue. 2 10 tf

HOUSES to rent centrally located: 1 house 11 rooms, good condition, $20; 1 house 8 rooms, rent $12; 2 houses 7 rooms, rent $9; 1 house 8 rooms, rent $11 Apply 140 Park ave. 2 10 6-eod

FOR SALE—A very stylish team of bay carriage horses; chunky build; six years old; sound and no road too long for them; price $350; also team grays; sound and lady can drive; price $200. 517 East Front st. 2 9 2

FOR SALE—Two fish stands, ice box, scales, tools, etc. 331 Watchung avenue. 2 9 2

5-ROOM flat to let; new building; Watchung avenue; water in flat; rent $13; will be vacant April 1. Charles H. Hand, 317 Watchung avenue. 2 8 tf

$5 REWARD for return of gold link bracelet, lost between Huleti's Hall and the Crescent Avenue Church. Return to this office. 2 5 tf

TO LOAN, on 1st mortgage $600, $1,200, $1,700, $3,000. Mulford, broker. 2 7 tf

WANTED—Houses to sell or let. Crosley, real estate agent, 62 Duer st, North Plainfield. 2 7 4

WANTED—House, 5 or 6 rooms; centrally located; possession April 1. Address Z., care Press. 2 1 tf

TO LET—10 room house; modern improvements; 127 East 5th st. Apply Wm. H. Brower, 432 Watchung avenue. 1 31 tf

MONEY wanted on bond and mortgage or A 1 property at 6 per cent. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

AN elegant brick and brown stone house for sale or exchange for Plainfield property, on Halsey street, Brooklyn. Edward Love, corner North and Watchung avenues. 12 30 tf

FOR SALE—"The Medical and Surgical History of the Late War"; 4 rare vols. Address Books, care Press. 1 20 tf

175 BUILDING lots for sale; prices from $175 to $2,000 each on easy terms. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

MONEY wanted to invest on gilt-edge Plainfield mortgages. Chas. A. Reed sti'y, National Bank Building. 10 29 tf

STILLMAN MUSIC HALL,
J. A. DEMAREST.....Sole Lessee and Manager.
Thursday Night, February 15
First Appearance in Plainfield of the Celebrated Tragedian,
Thomas W. Keene,
Supported by his own distinguished company, in a superb production of
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Seats on sale at Leggett's.

Vocal and Instrumental Instruction.
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STUDIO—29 & 30 STILLMAN BUILDING, NO. 212 W. FRONT ST., PLAINFIELD, N. J.
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Everything in Winter Goods Must Be Sold.
Gloves, Caps, Shirts, Sweaters, Underwear
U. B. Crane, Hatter and Furnisher,
120 West Front Street.

Fulper's 19c. Sale
ALL THIS WEEK.
We will give you 3 lbs dried peaches, 19c., 6 lbs best currants, 19c., 3 lbs best raisins, 19c., 4 lbs good rice, 19c., 3 qts green peas, 19c., 3 qts soup beans, 19c., 3 qts lima beans, 19c., 1½ lb box best cocoa, 19c., 5 cakes best sweet chocolate, 19c., 3 lbs best mince meat, 19c., 4 lbs best jelly, 19c., 3 lbs soda crackers, 19c., 4 lbs best dates, 19c., 6 lbs oat meal, 19c., 5 boxes Bixby's best blacking, 10c size, 19c. Given away free—12½ lbs. best flour, one-half gallon jug filled with syrup, 25c.
At Fulper's, 207 West Front Street
1 12 tf

YOU CAN BUY
AT EDSALL'S
Great Clearance Sale!
FUR CAPES
At $3.99, were $5.50; at $8.50, were $12; at $11, were $16 25.
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GOSSIP OF THE BOROUGH.

What The Stroller Picks Up in His North Plainfield Rambles.

SPENCER'S GROCERY,
NORTH PLAINFIELD, Feb. 10.

A mid-winter ball is soon to take place at Pedelous's Hotel.

James Lynch, of Warrenville, is home on a visit to his family.

There is no change in the condition of Edward R. Vail of Greenbrook.

Ex-Borough Clerk H. H. Brokaw is visiting friends in the Quaker City.

The members of Warren Engine Company intend holding a smoker presently.

Town Committeeman Elias Allen has a cow that gives three pecks of milk daily.

A brother-in-law of John Becker, Jr., from Denver, is visiting with Mr. Becker's parents.

The hustling young country merchant of Warrenville, John D. Borman, is doing a thriving business.

James Quackenbush Miles is doctoring a severe cold at his brother-in-law's farm in Washington Valley.

Ex-Councilman Peter A. Emmons is doing considerable hustling in the interest of the Royal Arcanum.

Patient Job Coddington from South Somerville, formerly of the borough, is with us for a day or two.

A decision in the Watchung avenue matter is expected to be delivered in a few days by the Supreme Court.

Marshals are on duty today carrying pedestrians across Somerset street through the mud, pigback fashion.

John W. VanHorn, of Duer street, Overseer of the Poor, who has been confined to his home by illness the past two weeks, is now on the mend.

Henry Southard has gone to New York city today to bring a thoroughbred here that a boroughite purchased at the Kellog sale a few days ago.

That young active Democratic politician of Bridgewater township, James J. Meehan, is prominently mentioned for the office of Prosecutor of the Pleas for old Somerset.

They're figuring on cuffs and bundles of shingles and even on blackboards in reference to the approaching elections. Both borough and township elections occur on March 13

The treasurer of the township receives $100 a year salary, besides $50 as a committeeman. The borough treasurer receives no salary, and does three times the work that is done by the former official.

Levi Bird was prepared to erect another line of poles and seemed confident that the electric light franchise would be tendered the Plainfield company and was disagreeably disappointed by that company not receiving the same.

It's as yaller as a duck's foot and as easy to forecast, who will be who in the approaching election in this community, as though the returns were all in and the names had all been printed. The borough is chock full of prophets.

A committee from the Board of Freeholders will shortly confer with Mayor Saunders, Chairman Neal of the Committee on streets, and Street Commissioner Gavin, in reference to cleaning out Stony brook at upper Grove street.

The members of the Cracker Barrel Club nightly select village statesmen and before the meeting adjourns they break their idols into smithereens. There's not a statesmen outside the C. B. C., and every member knows it. The coal bin is empty, and the bloodless members are all cold and weary.

A mayor to serve one year, two councilmen to serve three years, and one councilman to serve an unexpired term of one year, with an assessor and collector, are to be elected at the ensuing borough election. In the township there are to be a freeholder, a town committeeman and a poor overseer, with a few minor officers, elected. There are already candidates enough to fill each office three times, and it is expected that by caucus night there will be at least ten after each office. The fattest snap is town committeeman, with $50 a year salary with nothing to do but crack hickory nuts and ride on a mason's wagon.

In a hut in the woods just underneath the historical Washington Rock for the past half century there has resided a good honest industrious colored citizen named Stephen Marsh. In a conversation between this old-time citizen and The Stroller, the kind-mannered old man said that times were very hard and the present was the most severe ever experienced by him. There are many who have known this man for years, and it would not be a bad idea to make a donation or two to brighten up the sundown of his life. It will be both appreciated and deserving, and whoever the donor he'll be more than repaid by this aged man's sincere thanks.

The committee of the whole on the state of the offices and finances of the Cracker Barrel Club are in continuous session. The hands on the face of the glass and brass clock have been put back four hours, and the janitor is fast asleep in his revolving chair. The member from the stone quarry has made his report, and no paying ore has yet been found since the last thrust. The treasurer is unable to make a report, and has forgotten his multiplication table. Mr. See-me-now, in a pathetic tone of voice and a fatigued manner, having just returned from a day's labor on Grove street, tells of his experience, and asks for a pension; Loose Chewing asks for the club's support for the office of poor overseer; every member is on his feet. The ball is set rolling and there are not enough offices to go round. A boiler factory could not make more noise. The chaplain invokes the aid of Providence, and a member from down near the graveyard says that New Providence is in Union County and should not be consulted. The uniformed police is called, and above the din and uproar, with the tread and mein of armor-bearers, the finest appear. Sour apples and little oyster crackers are passed, and in Indian file the greatest ragchewers and watchdogs of farmyards file out and go to their respective homes and hay stacks, wishing the proceedings could be held over again. The lights will always burn providing you always have the steam. The great Cracker Barrel Club has been once more disbursed with the aid of the law. The next meeting is called to discuss the income tax and will be held in a barn.

THE STROLLER.

A Progressive Plainfield Industry.

Walter Scott is too modest to proclaim to the world how much pressure his works are continually undergoing, and a reporter was surprised, on stopping in yesterday, to find orders accumulating in such magnitude and to find the industry kept at such full working capacity. Just now every part of the works is kept going at full time, with 180 men constantly employed, and one-half the entire force is kept at work overtime till 9 p. m. Such great journals as the Chicago Inter-Ocean keep clamoring for presses of the Scott make, and the Sunday World in colors which everybody reads is printed by a mammoth Scott machine. Mr. Scott needs more room, and has in contemplation the erection of a large addition at this end of the buildings, for the wood-working department. The entire works are equipped with patent sprinklers which are ready to put out fire automatically.

A Master of the Art.

Undoubtedly the leading dramatic event in this season's amusements will be the appearance of the distinguished tragedian, Thomas W. Keene, in Music Hall next Thursday night.

For the past twelve years Mr. Keene has been one of the great tragic actors of the American stage whose interpretation of legitimate characters has met with general commendation at the hands of the papers and an appreciative public. In these days when the stage seems about given over to the light and more vapid forms of theatrical entertainment, it is refreshing to witness the work of an actor who soars into higher and more intellectual fields of dramatic entertainment, and who, by his scholarly and thoughtful work, vivifies the creations of the master minds of literature. Mr. Keene is one of these, and lovers of the classic drama will be given a treat by his engagement.

Bad Fall from a Wagon.

Thomas Clacy, a driver for A. M. Griffen, hardware dealer, had an accident this morning which may prove serious. He was loading his wagon in the rear of the store, with supplies for the Babcock Building, when he slipped and fell off the wagon, striking his head and side.

Sometime ago Mr. Clacy lost a part of one arm and that remaining was also injured in the fall and was much swollen.

He was taken to his home on Somerset street by a fellow-workman named Freeman, and Dr. J. B. Probasco was called, but could not determine exactly the extent of his injuries at present. It is feared that several bones are broken and that he has received internal injuries.

Lyceums Lose.

The C. Y. M. L. bowling team rolled with the Alcyones in Elizabeth last night. The first frame ended with equal scores, but the Alcyones went rapidly ahead and won by 218 pins.

The scores:

ALCYONES.		C. Y. M. L.	
McAdams	157	Lynch	132
Fishborough	170	Carty	131
David, E.	134	Kiley	157
Hauss	112	Hibbitts	125
Weber	168	Hughes	117
Gillies, C.	148	Kiley, J.	151
Coleman	154	Gallagher	130
Hicks	173	Traynor	135
Bierkel	172	Galbraith	119
Gillies, W.	142	Butscher	115
	1530		1312

BY FRAMES:

Alcyones	120	266	414	574	752	910	1072	1222	1369	1530
C. Y. M. L.	120	258	379	500	622	770	900	1039	1156	1312

The Union Beneficial, Not Social.

President Nicholas Kelly of the Hodcarriers Union denies the statement in a letter printed and endorsed by another paper, that intoxicants were used at their meeting last Monday night in T. A. B. Hall. He says the Union is a beneficial and protective organization, not a social one, and that the meeting in question was closed at 9:30. No guests were admitted.

Mr. Kelly thinks the writer of the letter confused the hodcarriers meeting with a dance which started in the hall after they left and lasted all night.

The Baptist Revival.

At the business meeting of the Christian Endeavor society of the First Baptist church, last evening, the revival services to be held next week were discussed, and the society voted unanimously to join in the meeting, and assist as far as possible. From their number a large chorus choir will be selected. It is expected that Rev. Arthur Crane will have a solo singer and co-worker to assist him in the work. Meetings will be held every evening except Saturday, at 8, and Bible readings will be given every afternoon at 3:30.

Champions of the Parks.

The names of five Park Club bowlers are posted in the club-house as a challenging team who are willing to bowl any other five members of the club. The Captain has a score of 224 in a regular game.

The team consists of Captain Matthews, Dr. Charles Thiers, Charles Lyman, George Worth, Charles Reed.

—VanEmburgh & Son of East Front street under the First National Bank are preparing for another slaughter in prices that will astonish the natives. Look for their advertisement the first of next week.

2,000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from C. W. Maxon, Farina, Ills., says: "I consider your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have been in the drug business fourteen years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal satisfaction." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents.

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Geo. W. Rockfellow,

THE GROCER, Park ave. & 4th st. 1 27 tf

WEST END NOTES.

Miss Nellie McGinnis, of South Second street, is ill with the grip.

The Socialistic Club has suffered a relapse and no more dances are to be given.

The Potter Works will run all night tonight, but will not be open tomorrow night.

Superintendent Brooks, of the Potter Press Works, is in Washington on a short business trip in the interests of the firm.

It is stated on good authority that a man was seen wading through Manson place with a life-preserver on this morning.

Another train of cars loaded with ice for the Plainfield Ice and Coal Storage Company kept drill engine 200 busy this morning. A large gang of men was employed in unloading the cars.

James Welsh and John Dixon managed a dance in Welsh's Hall on Lee place last night. Samuel and William Dennick entertained the twenty who attended with banjo music. Daniel McGinnis was the musician.

The Potter Printing Press Works have thirty-three web presses ordered, a larger number than they ever had at any one time before. Among them are twelve double webs for the Chicago Herald, and 4 double webs for the Washington Star. It is probable there is some mistake in the statement in The Press of February 7 that the Scott Press Works have any order for either of these parties, as in a recent conversation they both declared they had given no orders to the Scott establishment for any presses.

WEST ENDER.

FRENCH OFFICERS KILLED

Latest Details of the Bloody Battle Near Timbuctoo

PARIS, Feb. 10.—The latest advices from St. Louis, Senegal, say that despatches bearing date of Jan. 27 have reached there from Timbuctoo. These despatches state that Col. Bohnier, of the marine artillery, who was in command of the French troops who captured Timbuctoo, had, with nine European commissioned officers and two European sergeants, 61 native sharpshooters and six native sergeants, been killed by the Tuaregs. When the despatches left Timbuctoo the city was surrounded by Tuaregs, who appeared here and disappeared there, making it impossible to form any accurate estimate as to their number. Capt. Philipe, upon whom the command of the French forces devolved after the death of Col. Bohnier, sends notice to the governor of Senegal that he is holding Timbuctoo with 300 rifles and six cannon, and that he intends to hold out until reinforcements arrive.

A later despatch from St. Louis says that Col. Bohnier left Timbuctoo on Jan. 12. On the night of Jan. 15 he and his column, while asleep, were surprised and surrounded by Tuaregs. Capt. Nigotte escaped, and he was wounded in the head.

Contract for Letter Carriers' Suits.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The postmaster general will award the contract for furnishing letter-carrier uniforms, bids for which were recently opened at the department, to Fecheimer Bros. & Co., of Cincinnati and Cohen & Co., of Baltimore, who will divide the country between them, the prices averaging about $26 a suit. There were 15 other bidders.

Mine Riot Cases.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 10.—The first case resulting from the miners' riots in the Mansfield valley resulted in acquittal. The 60 miners charged with rioting will be called for trial Monday. All will be tried together, a larger number than ever were tried together before in this county. It is expected that some will plead guilty.

Wind Storm at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 10.—A furious wind storm set in yesterday about noon. Telegraph poles, chimneys and fences were levelled. A big sign fell on Olive street and severely injured J. B. Cozzens, a contractor, and an unknown lady. Reports are coming in of damage to persons and property all over the city.

Big Plums to Fall Monday.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—A number of important treasury appointments are expected to be announced on Monday next as the result of an extended conference between the president and Secretary Carlisle. The Philadelphia appointments are looked for then.

House Talking Silver

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The house devoted the entire day yesterday to the consideration of the Bland seigniorage bill.

Honeyman's Private Tours.

Special party for Florida, including visit to Lake Worth, Indian River, the Oklawaha, St. Augustine, also Newport News and Old Point Comfort. Starts from Plainfield February 14. Absent sixteen days. Small, delightful party. For circular, call at office of Honeyman's Private Tours, 181 North avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 2-2-eod-td

I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for over ten years; had it very bad, could hardly breathe. Some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely, it is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it and with happy results in every case. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my deafness.—E. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Brief notices will be inserted under this head free of expense, but must be delivered at this office not later than 10 o'clock Saturday morning to insure publication.

Ex-Mayor Place will speak at Washingtonville tomorrow evening.

Gospel temperance meetings will be held in Reform Hall tomorrow as usual, at 9:15 a. m. and 4 p. m.

A. E. Crane, son of Evangelist Arthur Crane, will speak at Mt. Pleasant School-house tomorrow evening.

In Bethel Chapel, tomorrow, there will be morning service at 11, Sunday-school at 3 p. m., and evening service at 8.

Friends' meeting will be held at 11 a. m., tomorrow, in the Watchung Avenue Meeting-house. The First-Day school will meet at 10 a. m.

Masses will be celebrated in St. Joseph's Church tomorrow at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m. Sunday-school will be held at 3 p. m., and vespers at 8 p. m.

Capt. Geo. D. Morrison will again lead the young men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. rooms tomorrow at 4:15 p. m. There will be singing by the male choir.

The W. C. T. U. room will be open as usual tomorrow for the 9:15 a. m. praise and consecration service, and the Gospel temperance meeting at 4 p. m.

In All Souls Church, tomorrow, service will be held at 10:45 a. m. The pastor, Rev. Hobart Clark, will preach. The Sunday-school will meet at 11:45 a. m.

In the Mt. Zion A. M. E. Church tomorrow there will be preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. T. A. V. Henry, on the subject "The Christian Soldier".

In the Trinity Reformed Church tomorrow the pastor, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, will preach at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In the German Evangelical Lutheran St. Peter's Church services will be held tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school will meet at 9:30 a. m. Rev. E. Klonka, pastor.

In St. Mary's Church tomorrow masses will be celebrated at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30 and 10:30 a. m. Vespers will be held at 8 p. m. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In the German Reformed Church tomorrow services will be held at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m., with preaching by the pastor, the Rev. F. Koechli. The Sunday-school will meet at 9:15 a. m.

In the Congregational Church tomorrow Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor, will conduct services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday-school will meet at 2:45 p. m. Christian Endeavor service will be held at 7:30 p. m.

In the Crescent Avenue Church services will be held tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., with preaching by the pastor, Rev. Wm. R. Richards, D. D. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In the East Third Street Mission tomorrow there will be gospel services at 7:45 p.m. led by Edwin L. Bonny. The Christian Endeavor prayer service led by U. B. Crane will be held at 7 p. m. Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In the First Baptist Church tomorrow there will be early prayer meeting at 9:30 a. m., and preaching by the pastor, Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes, at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The Sunday-school and Bible classes will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In Grace Protestant Episcopal Church, tomorrow, there will be early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m., morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m., Sunday-school will be held at 3 p. m. Bible Class at 4 p. m., and evening service at 4:30.

In the Park Avenue Baptist Church tomorrow the Rev. J. W. Richardson's themes will be: In the morning at 10:30, "Paying What We Owe". In the evening at 7:30, "Elijah the Prophet who gained a victory, yet met defeat". The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In the First Church of Christ tomorrow there will be preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11:45 a. m., and the Sunday-school will meet at 2:45 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting will be held at 6:45 p. m. The theme of the evening sermon will be "Christian Endeavor Work".

In the Church of Our Saviour, tomorrow, the Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector, will officiate. There will be Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m. Sunday-school will be held at 9:45 a. m., morning prayer, litany and sermon at 11, and evening prayer at 4. Two free stages will leave the railroad station for the church and return, at 10:30 a. m.

In the First Methodist Episcopal Church tomorrow the pastor, Rev. C. R. Barnes, D. D., will preach at 10:30 a. m. on the subject "A Terrible Indictment", and at 7:30 p. m. on the subject "Discontent with Home: a chapter in a young man's life". The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 and the Epworth devotional meeting will be held at 6:45 p. m.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

The regular quarterly examinations commenced last Tuesday.

C. C. Gallup, '96, who broke his collar bone several weeks ago, has returned to school.

A. Woltmann, '94, has resigned from the presidency of the Lyceum, and S. Bull, '96 was elected in his place.

The Junior Class have finished the study of algebra and taken the final examination in it. They commence the study of rhetoric Monday.

At the regular meeting of the Lyceum, Friday afternoon, the following question was debated: "Has the Miser done more harm to mankind than the Spendthrift?" Campbell, '93, and Blair, '95, spoke for the affirmative, and H. W. Riley, '97, and Drake, '95, for the negative. The affirmative won after a very close debate.

A Good Counterfeit.

A mosquito, we own with the rest, is a pest, and a counterfeit one is the best, 'tis confessed, which is why we assert 'tis a boon if you soon get at Collier's his perfect *fac-sim* in a spoon.

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SCORES OF BEAUTIFUL HOMES now fronting on Sandford and Westervelt avenues have been located on the Crescent's ball field.
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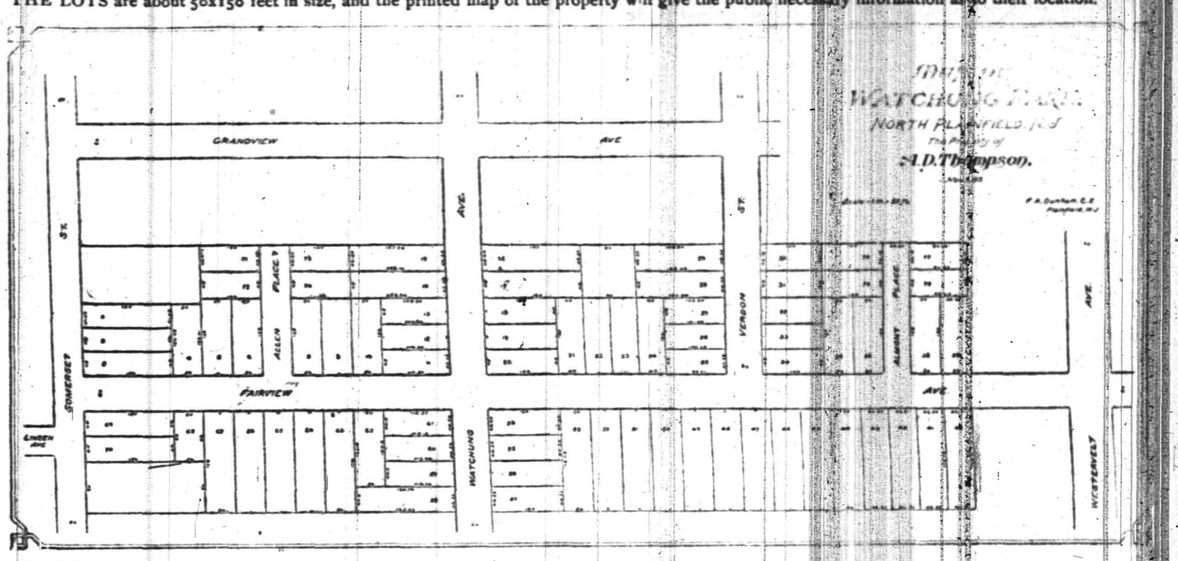

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ITS EFFECT IN THE SOUTH.

Opinions of the Operations of the Federal Election Law Repeal.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Discussing with Representative "Buck" Kilgore, of Texas, on the way to the capitol, the probable operation of the repeal of the federal election law, Senator Palmer, of Illinois, expressed the opinion that it meant the disintegration of the solid south by removing the fear of negro domination, and he thought that this would come about in less than six months.

Mr. Kilgore was not willing to concede that such a state of affairs was to be expected. "It may come in years," he said, "but it is certainly not a question of months. On the contrary, I believe that there will always be a white man's government in the south, and I cannot see how the repeal of the election law will make the least bit of difference."

Col. Kilgore was also certain that the populists would not get the negro vote, and he thought that any party that pandered for this vote would be sure to be defeated at the polls.

Representative Moses, of Georgia, who comes from what is known as a negro district in his state, said that if there were no other reason for holding the white men together in the south it would be the fear that republican supremacy would bring upon them something like the Lodge bill or a measure even more drastic in its nature. Mr. Moses was certain that the negro vote would not go to the populists.

"As a matter of fact," said Mr. Moses, "the federal election laws have never given us much trouble, and I do not think that their repeal will make any difference in the condition of things in the south."

Ingalls Among the Penitents.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 10. — When evangelist Sam Jones called for penitents at the gospel tabernacle in this city where he is holding a revival, the first person in the line of those who went forward to take his extended palm was no less a personage than Hon. James Ingalls, of Kansas. Mr. Ingalls has been in Nashville several days and will lecture here. His presence at the tabernacle was conspicuous, and it was noticed that he took a deep interest, several times laughing and joining in other demonstrations as the unique Georgia preacher continued his remarks. "I endorse every word you say," he remarked earnestly as he grasped the evangelist's hand.

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The right to reject any or all bids is herewith reserved.

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CHAPTER VII.

MORTIMER SENT AWAY BY RAYMOND.

Raymond saw his way clear to marriage with Isabel. He had no doubt of that; so he wanted to get rid of Inez.

Philip Mortimer's health had suffered more than usual during the winter. The decline had fairly set in, consumption had nearly done its work, and Mortimer was becoming less regular in his attendance at the office. Mortimer, as people afflicted with his disease will, indulged in the delusion that he would continue for years as he was, sometimes bright, sometimes dull, but with animation enough to deceive himself that the days still his were far from being few.

"Why not send him to Denver," mused Raymond, "and Inez with him? Before he dies he will linger there long enough to keep Inez from interfering with my plans."

With Raymond to think was to act. Mortimer had failed that day to put in an appearnce at the office This was nothing unusual, but Raymond made it the pretext of paying a morning visit to Inez and urging upon her the advisability of taking her brother to the west. "I will miss him, and I will miss you, Inez," said Raymond.

The words were not uttered in a spirit calculated to deepen Inez's impressions of his sentiments toward herself, but her anxiety for her brother made her regardless of inflection. She saw in Raymond a benefactor. She knew him to be practical, and an idle sentiment from him assumed the force of earnest determination in her eyes. He had been kind. He had even been tender. He had intimated much, had declared little, and his praise of Inez to her brother, repeated with fervor imparted by Mortimer's own love for his sister, gave Raymond's honeyed phrases to herself an importance unmerited.

Raymond was making a sacrifice, to her mind. Miss her he would. He had said so, while she knew that her brother must have been in some way especially serviceable to him, or the two would not have sought the library so often to discuss political and business affairs alone. But Raymond was really making no sacrifice. Mortimer's deputy was as acceptable as Mortimer, and in recent years more to be depended on by virtue of the physical strength that guaranteed his presence when demanded. But Inez knew little of politics, and Raymond's profession of interest in her brother's health more ennobled him. Gradually he was assuming the form of her ideal.

"Your sisterly care will be worth more to him than that of less interested nurses," continued Raymond. "The reports are that Colorado air is highly restorative to the lungs."

"Oh, I should so much like him to have a change," acquiesced Inez. "Come in now with me and let us prevail upon him at once."

"Better leave him to me," he interposed.

She had started up, and in her enthusiasm grasped his hand to lead him to her brother. Raymond lifted the hand gallantly to his lips, then playfully held her arms while reseating her, with mock force that was not displeasing.

"I know the way, and you stay right here. I can manage him better alone."

He went to Mortimer's room, in cheery voice saluted him, and after a conversation of half an hour's duration convinced him that he ought to go to Denver.

"You'll be up again tomorrow," was Raymond's advice, "and do not exert yourself. Husband your energies for the journey and remain inside until all the preparations are made."

Mortimer was so used to obeying the will and wishes of this man that he made no further objections.

"What does Inez think?" he inquired.

"She's worried lest you may not go. Your physician, I understand, for I met him yesterday and talked to him on the subject, counseled you some time ago, but you did not follow his advice and instructions. I'll call upon him on my way back and send him to you to build you up for the trip."

"Build me up! There's no need of that. I'll be all right."

"He ought to see you anyhow."

"Oh, yes. I didn't mean he shouldn't come, but simply that I'm not so bad as you think I am. How long ought I to stay?"

"Stay!" repeated Raymond. "Look here, you must agree to two things—take the advice of your physician here until you get to Denver, then take the advice of the physician there. You know something about politics, nothing about physics. Therefore, if you want to recuperate, you mustn't try to instruct a doctor, as you would an election district captain."

Mortimer smiled. That smile was an assurance he would not neglect to follow the course mapped out for him. Raymond accepted it as such and turned to go.

"I'll see you again," he remarked. "I want to talk to Inez."

He met Inez in the hallway. She had heard the door of the room close and advanced to meet him, so eager was she to know the result. He surmised this, and gently turning her face in the direction he was moving, by the pressure of his left arm around her, he took her right hand in his and they walked toward the outer door.

"It is settled," he said. "You must make arrangements to be absent some time. Discharge the servants, close up the house and be as speedy as possible. I will ask the doctor to see Philip this afternoon, and then he will tell you whatever he may consider wise under the circumstances."

He kissed her hand, and with a simple au revoir passed outward.

"Strange," thought Inez. "He is so cool. But maybe he was afraid that it would pain me to talk of parting, and that it was best to postpone it."

Her anxiety for her brother dispelled all other thoughts at the time. She began her preparations, and in three days everything was arranged. Francis Raymond had not visited the Mortimers. He wrote to Inez expressing his regrets and telling her that a very important matter had made his presence at Albany imperative, but urged her not to delay on that account.

"Philip will understand the situation," he wrote, "but when the legislative session closes I will straighten out my affairs and seek recreation in a

She lifted her head thoughtfully.

trip to Denver. By that time Philip will be stronger and I will accompany you home, when I will have many things to tell you."

"It's the only way I can get out of it decently," he reasoned with himself, as he inclosed the tickets he had promised. "If I went with them there might be a scene. Mortimer will never come back, although a change may prolong his life. I can easily write an excuse for not visiting them, ask them to remain awhile longer, if he does improve in strength—but, pshaw, he cannot. The doctor says his time is short. They are both out of my way, and it is better for her that she is not in the city when Isabel becomes Mrs. Raymond."

"He is killing himself with business," was the reflection of Inez as she perused Raymond's letter, "and yet he finds time to think of us and plan for our comfort. He will come back with us and—and"—while she reread the message to be sure of it—"will have many things to tell me. I wonder what they are"— and she lifted her head thoughtfully and allowed her imagination to linger among fancies that were never to pass into the world of actuality.

CHAPTER VIII.

SORROW TO INEZ MORTIMER.

The Mortimers were but a short time in Denver ere Philip took a turn for the worse, instead of improving. They were at the St. James' hotel, where they had decided to stay until they had selected a place where the bustle of city life was absent and the air uncontaminated with the breath of trade, the factory smoke and the exhalations from the thousand and one pestholes indigenous to municipal life and progress.

Philip's decline was a sad blow to Inez. She was alone in a big city, practically without friends, and her devotion to her brother precluded thoughts of aught but him. Hence she had not the opportunity to search for a country cottage and locate in more congenial quarters.

Her brother, too, had conceived an intense dislike for physicians. Their inability to infuse new vigor into his wasting frame was to him sufficient proof of their worthlessness. At the solicitation of Inez, he continued the medicines prescribed by the family medicine man, as he termed him through force of habit from his use of the nomenclature in the Society of Red Men, to which he belonged. But he had refused to listen to any more advice from physicians.

"They are a lot of quacks, Inez, all of them," he said in a peevish tone. "I can get well without them. If I'm not going to get well, I can certainly die without them."

She was propping him up in bed. A tear fell upon the pillow. He realized its import—a message from a heart suffering through his affliction, poignant with grief at his helpless state—and he hastened to satisfy the wish that he knew was hers.

"I'll tell you, Inez. You can bring in a physician. It will please you, but they're no good."

Inez had made many friends in the brief time she had been in Denver. People in hotels do not add many to their list of acquaintances, except at summer resorts where class distinction sinks temporarily before the generous operation of unrestricted recreation. But, somehow or other, from the bell boy to the chief clerk, on to the proprietor and through him to guests of permanence and character, sympathy arose to lighten the sacrifice she was making. Not through any act of hers was it known that she had trouble to bear, but Philip had become cross, was churlish to the servants, imperative in his ways, and they instinctively pitied his patient nurse.

But if Inez suffered it was not apparent. Indeed she became brighter than ever that morning when Philip consented to allow another doctor to test his skull, "experiment upon me," Philip would say, "and keep me from improving."

What physician should she summon? She knew nothing of the reputation of any one in Denver. She went down to the ladies' parlor to see the housekeeper, a woman well along in years, whose motherly spirit beamed in her kindly smile. The housekeeper advanced to meet Inez and asked:

"Anything I can do for you, Miss Mortimer?"

"I think there is."

"Im sure I'll be happy to do it. You don't care to bother me," she added, reproachingly, "and it isn't because I'm snappish, is it? Why, bless you, child, I'm the most worried woman you ever saw when people come and go and never asked me about anything. Perhaps they imagined I bite their heads off."

"That's not the reason. You are so careful that nothing is required."

"Do you think that is the cause?" and this old fashioned woman, who looked upon every guest in the hotel as her own, appeared to have a great load lifted off her heart.

"Undoubtedly that is it."

"Well, now, you want something. I see it. Be plain. I told the girl in charge of your rooms to be very careful, but she is always blundering, and I know she has made a muss of something."

"It isn't anything about the house, I assure you. I wanted your advice about a physician."

"A physician, child?"

"Yes, for my brother."

"Consumption?"

"Yes."

The old lady shook her head and mused awhile before she said:

"There is one, but I don't know what to say about him."

"Don't recommend one of whose ability you are in doubt."

"It isn't that, child. He is a very peculiar man. He will accept no pay for services. He is not a practitioner in the regular sense of the word. He has made a specialty of consumption. It is a hobby with him. He is the only doctor I have any faith in. But he labors among the poor. Just think of it! You wouldn't speak about bills, would you?"

"Oh, yes, I would have to pay him."

"Then he would be angry with me, indeed he would. But I'll tell you. Don't talk about payment for a time, and I'll fix it somehow. Trust to me."

"But who is this queer man?"

"Queer, child? He isn't queer. He is one of the best men on earth, and"—

"Oh, he must be. I'm sure of that," said Inez, lest the housekeeper might feel that a reflection had been cast upon her medical friend.

"Yes, and you'll like him. I know you will. Everybody is in love with him."

Inez had to smile at her earnestness. Then she asked:

"But are you sure he is the best man for a case like this?"

"Positive! Positive! Why he has studied abroad and, oh, let me give you his story and then you will know how good he is. Come over to the window and rest yourself while I tell you."

Inez was amused and interested—amused at the earnestness of the housekeeper and interested inasmuch as that the narration might afford her the opportunity to form an opinion on the doctor's merits.

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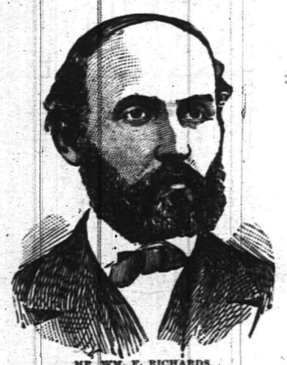

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 8 00, 9 10, 9 50 A. M., 2 15, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 30, 6 15 express, Saturdays, 6 45, 6 45, 6 00, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 00 P. M. 12 15, 1 night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1 30, 4, 5 30, 7, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A. M.

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Leave Newark 6 10, 7 15, 7 55, 8 9, 9 09, 10 08, 11 35 A.M., 1 15, 2 35, 3 20 Saturday only, 3 50, 4 30, 5 05, 6 05, 6 35, 8 05, 9 05, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 05, 8 05, 9 05, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—12 35, A. M., 1 10, 3 05, 4 10, 6 05, 7 05, 9 05, 10 05 P. M.

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Leave Somerville, 6, 6 50, 7 00, 7 35, 7 45, 9 35, 9 05, 9 55, 11 40 A. M., 12 00, 1 45, 3 05, 4 25, 4 55, 6 00, 6 30, 8 05, 9 05, 11 05 P. M. Sunday—9 55, 11 00 A. M., 12 00, 1 15, 5 05, 6 30, 8 05, 9 05, 9 40 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A.M., 12 45, 3 02, 5 05, 5 14, 6 30, 8 17 P. M. Sunday—6 45, 8 16 A. M., 2 02, 6 16, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 55, A.M., 12 22, 4 04, 7 26 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 02, A. M., 6 40, 7 20, P. M.

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WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

6 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Manticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 45 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 09 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk, Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 30 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

8 17 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 20 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin Williamsport, &c., 3 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, High Bridge Branch, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 9 37 a. m. 1 14p. m.

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For Perth Amboy, 9 37, 5 54, 8, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, 4 50, 5.54, 7 05 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 9 37, 8, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, p. m.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 39*, 10 45, a. m., 12 42, 3 00, 5 54*, 6 39*, 8 17*, p. m., 1 17 night. Sunday—5 45, 9 54, a. m., 3 00*, 8 17 p. m., 1 17 night.

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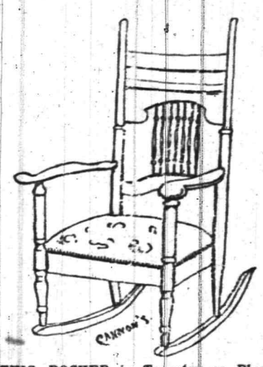

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Came Over on the New York With Her Half-Brother—They Gave Assumed Names, but the Deception Was Soon Discovered on Board—Mr. Mackay's Affectionate Greeting.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—W. B. Hess, United States consul-general to Turkey under the Harrison administration, arrived here yesterday from Constantinople *on the steamship New York.* He said the Turkish officials use every opportunity to persecute former subjects of the Turkish empire who have become citizens of the United States. Armenians especially, he said, are driven out of the country whenever they return on business or to visit their relatives. He cites a case in which an Armenian with United States passport and citizen papers was ordered out of the country as soon as he arrived in Constantinople. Mr. Hess went on board the steamer with an armed guard and demanded the release of the man. It was granted.

Among other passengers who arrived on the New York was Robert Fulford, the husband of the late Annie Pixley, the actress, who recently died in England. Mr. Fulford has come to meet the accusation made against him by the family of Miss Pixley in regard to the manner of her death and the disposition of the property she is supposed to have left.

Among others to arrive on the New York was the Princess Colonna, three children and maid, and J. W. Mackay, jr., and valet, thus settling all doubts as to the whereabouts of the princess.

Ever since the French courts allowed the prince to see the three children twice a week, the situation was almost unbearable, and the princess determined to place herself and the children beyond his reach. Accordingly, on Tuesday, Jan. 30, she left the Hotel Brighton, Paris, for a moonlight promenade taking her children with her. The greatest effort to avoid publicity has characterized every movement of the travelers since their departure from Paris. Their first effort to conceal their identity was when buying tickets for the voyage, when they gave their names as "Mr. J. M. Morgan and valet, and Mrs. Morgan and three children." The deception was subsequently discovered, and on the passenger lists brought over on the New York are printed the correct names of the party, while black lines have erased the names of the mythical Morgans.

The New York sailed from Southampton at noon last Saturday. The princess and party came down to Southampton on the regular London train, which got in half an hour before regular sailing time. They went directly aboard the steamer, having secured staterooms in London. The princess occupied a suite on the main deck and Mr. Mackay occupied stateroom No. 51 on the hurricane deck.

When Mr. Mackay stepped aboard the steamer at Southampton he was greeted by an officer of the vessel who knew him. "Why, how do you do, Mr. Mackay," said the officer.

Mr. Mackay responded to the salute, but with a smile added: "But I'm not Mr. Mackay this trip; I'm Mr. Morgan."

The officer who related the story of the voyage across said that the princess was as "chipper as a three-year-old." She continually romped about the deck with her children whenever the weather would permit. She seemed in the best of spirits.

When they steamed up New York bay the princess was among the first of the saloon passengers on deck. She gathered her children about her and explained to them the various points of interest in the harbor, which they had never seen before.

Mr. John W. Mackay, sr., was at the American line pier waiting for the arrival of the princess and her children. A private carriage was in readiness and a special conveyance had been engaged to remove the luggage. The princess was among the first to come down the gang plank, and the greeting between her and Mr. Mackay was most affectionate.

The party hurried rapidly up the pier, got into their carriage and were driven away to an aristocratic apartment, house where Mr. Mackay, jr., occupies apartments.

On Feb. 7 during a fierce southwest gale a seaman named Robert Blake was carried over the lee rail and drowned. A subscription was started immediately for his family by the cabin passengers and the name of the Princess Evelyne Galatro Colonna headed the list.

New York Legislature.

ALBANY, Feb. 12.—The present session of the legislature will continue two weeks longer than that of last year which adjourned on April 21. This is the opinion of the leaders of the majority. At the session this week much work cannot be accomplished before Wednesday as many of the members have been excused to attend the town meetings which are to be held throughout the state to-morrow. Enough republican assemblymen will be away to leave the majority in the lower house without the necessary 65 votes to pass any party legislation until their return.

Two Phat Places Filled.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The president has selected Messrs. Walker Fearn of Alabama and Somerville Tucker of New York to serve on the Egyptian International tribunal to fill vacancies caused by the retirement of Victor Barringer of North Carolina and Ernest H. Crosby of New York. These places pay handsome salaries and the appointments do not require confirmation by the senate.

Amnesty for Rioters.

ROME, Feb. 12.—Semi official authority confirms the report that after the military tribunals in Palermo and Massa shall have finished their work King Humbert will declare an amnesty for all those convicted by the tribunals, excepting the men found guilty of murder or pillage or other common crimes of a serious nature.

Cholera Reappears.

LONDON Feb. 12.—The Standard says that Cholera has reappeared in Constantinople. A dozen victims of the disease were buried on Saturday.

Knitting Mills Resume Operations

MECHANICSVILLE, N. Y., Feb. 12.—Operations in the mill of the Empire State Knitting company were resumed to-day.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

MR. WILSON VERY SICK

His Condition Takes a Sudden Turn for the Worse.

May Not Be Able to Leave Kansas City in a Week or More—His Physicians Extremely Anxious, but Fear Only Other Complications—Mrs. Wilson With Her Husband.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 12.—Last night a change for the worse came in the condition of Congressman W. L. Wilson, who arrived in this city Saturday, enroute to Mexico. Mr. Wilson caught a severe cold and suffered with a chill while on his way from Washington to Chicago last week. Against the advice of his physician, he left Chicago Friday night and came to Kansas City to fill an appointment to speak here Saturday night.

At 7 o'clock Saturday evening Dr. Porter positively forbade his leaving the hotel.

Sunday he felt better, and in the afternoon the doctor thought Mr. Wilson could continue his journey Tuesday, but last night the great tariff reformer was attacked by a high fever and is now a very sick man.

It is doubtful if he will be able to leave here this week.

Mr. Wilson is stopping at the Coates house. His wife is with him, and everything possible is being done to aid the sufferer, and although the physicians in charge say that Mr. Wilson will pull through unless more serious complications arise, it is plainly evident that they are exceedingly anxious.

LOVE'S WESTERN LAND VENTURE

The Watkins Bank's Money Probably Sunk at Muncie, Ind.

MUNCIE, Ind., Feb. 12.—Secretary George W. Love of the Western Improvement company of West Muncie and a cousin of J. W. Love, the absconding defaulter of the Watkins, N. Y., National bank, yesterday said his cousin was one of seven owners of the $500,000 capital stock of the company, but that only $100,000 has been paid in and he has only invested about $14,000 in cash and that his actions will not impair the interests of the corporation. The company is composed of New York men who purchased a fine tract of land four miles from this city, built an elegant summer hotel, artificial lake, located factories, built streets and made improvements with a view of selling town lots. The venture has not been a success financially, and the story that John Love likely lost a large amount of cash here is generally credited. George Love says his cousin was afflicted and might have lost his mind.

Keith's Concerts for Charity.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 12.—The most successful charity concert ever given in this city was held last night in Keith's Opera house. It was the fourth in the series of six concerts in aid of the poor, arranged by Mr. Keith for the various theatres in his circuit. The programme was a notable one, and a handsome sum will be turned over to the Organized charities. Mr. Keith's Philadelphia theatre gives the fifth in the series, and his Union Square theatre in New York the sixth and last, on Sunday, Feb. 25. The total fund netted from these entertainments will exceed $50,000.

Rival Lovers Meet Tragic Deaths.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 12.—At Johns, a mining town near here, Dennis Clemens and Will Barge, rivals for Miss Cora Burgess met at her house. A quarrel ensued and Barge drew a pistol and sent a ball through Clements' head, Clements falling dead in the arms of the girl. In resisting arrest Barge was shot dead.

ARMACAO ATTACKED

Brazil's Most Menacing Position Destroyed.

Fierce Battle Lasting All Night—Streets of Niotheroy Swept With Shell—Insurgents Repulsed After Succeeding Beyond All Hope—Many Killed on Both Sides.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Feb. 9, via Montevideo, Feb. 12.—The insurgent fleet attacked Armacao at 8 o'clock last evening and continued the fight until daybreak. The insurgents landed and destroyed the beach and hilltop forts of the government. With six heavy guns and two magazine guns they swept the streets of Niotheroy, but finally were forced to retreat before the superior numbers of the government forces.

The government admits the loss of 200; the United Press correspondent at Niotheroy says that 500 is nearer the true loss.

The insurgents succeeded beyond all hopes, having destroyed the government position most menacing to the fleet, and having lost but 270 men in all.

A COWARDLY ASSAULT.

Bad Blood Between Jack McAuliffe and Young Mitchell.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—There has been bad blood between young Mitchell, the Pacific coast champion middleweight, and Jack McAuliffe, the world's champion lightweight, ever since the latter officiated as referee in the eight-round contest between the former and Jim Ryan of Australia, some time ago. McAuliffe had made preparations to return to New York. In company with three others he called upon Mitchell and stated that as he was about to go east he had called for the purpose of squaring things in order that they might part friends. McAuliffe's amicable overtures were received in friendly spirit. The party then visited a number of places in town, and early in the morning as they were leaving one of them, McAuliffe without a moment's warning, struck Mitchell a terrific blow. The others took a hand in the proceedings and Mitchell was thrown to the sidewalk where all of the pugilistic contingent began to beat and kick him. Officers were attracted to the scene and placed all parties under arrest. There is no doubt but that the affair was premeditated, as upon several recent occasions McAuliffe has threatened to "do up" young Mitchell, and has boasted among his friends that if given an opportunity, he would punish the Californian in a way that the latter would not soon forget. Young Mitchell's injuries prevented him from appearing in court.

Riker Wants All the Bonds.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Following the legal proceedings instituted by the knights of labor to restrain Secretary Carlisle from issuing $50,000,000 of gold bonds, C. L. Riker of Chicago, who has recently acquired notoriety in connection with his proposal to purchase the lump sum at par value, came forward and filed a petition with the supreme court of the district *for a writ of mandamus* in which the judge of the circuit court is asked to issue an order to Secretary Carlisle commanding him to turn over the bonds to Mr. Riker according to his bid and not to those whom the secretary has already decided upon.

Big Business on the Consolidated.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 12.—The New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad is contemplating an important move in double tracking the Northampton branch, running from this city to Northampton and Holyke, Mass. The plan will not be consummated immediately but seems to be an ultimate necessity owing to the increased freight traffic now coming over the New Haven road as a result of the recent agreement with other roads in New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

Spain and Morocco.

MADRID, Feb. 12.—The government has received despatches from General Martines de Campos, who is trying to arrange with Sultan Muley Hassan the settlement of the Melilla difficulty between Spain and Mcrocco. The cabinet was summond at once to meet, and the ministers remained in conference six hours. Although nothing is known of the contents of the despatches, it is feared that the negotiations for a settlement are not making satisfactory progress.

Suckers Still Come.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Feb. 12.—Frank Lorenz, a saloonkeeper of Milwaukee, Wis., arrived here to fill an appointment with green goods men. Lorenz was taken in hand by the police before the sharpers had a chance to secure the $9,000 which he desired to invest and he started for his home a wiser man. The person whom Lorenz was to meet was one W. M. Row of New York, who escaped arrest.

Spanish Cigarmakers Must Stay Out.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Feb. 12.—Special cablegram to the Times-Union from Key West, Fla., says that 93 of the Spanish cigarmakers who recently arrived there were arrested by Special Immigrant Agent Deshler, in accordance with instructions from the treasury department at Washington.

Northern Pacific Troubles Settled.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 12.—The Northern Pacific receivers and men reached an amicable agreement, the men accepting a schedule practically the same as that which went into effect January 1, and the receivers granting modifications of the rules that govern the men.

Henry Ward Beecher

Said:—

"Dyspepsia is equal to seven devils. If H-O can cast it out, success to H-O."

H-O Hornby's Oatmeal

H-O owes its popularity and unprecedented success to its uniformity of quality—it is never bitter, sour, or unclean—it is made and sold on honor, and has gained the entire confidence of the people.

THE H-O COMPANY, NEW YORK.

THE WEEK IN CONGRESS.

Programme of the Work in Both Branches.

Short and Savage Contest Expected To-Day Over Peckham's Nomination—The Senate to Sit Only Three Days—The Bland Seigniorage Bill the One Event in the House.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The one event of the week is expected to be the vote in the house on the Bland seigniorage bill, providing that measure is not sidetracked before the last legislative stage is reached. It is not expected, in any event, that a decisive vote can be had before Wednesday afternoon, and probably not before Thursday. The chairman of the committee of the whole on Friday last announced that upwards of 40 gentlemen desire to speak on the bill. While it is not probable that all this number will be heard, it is safe to assume that more than 20 on the list will attempt to address the house at greater or less length. There cannot be more than two hours' debate on the bill to-day, inasmuch as the Stanford eulogies have been made a special order for 3 o'clock this afternoon. The contested election case of O'Neil, dem., vs. Joys, rep., the sitting member from the 11th Missouri (St. Louis) district, has the right of way as a question of the highest privilege if Mr. Patterson, of Tennessee, who has it in charge, on behalf of the committee on elections, should choose to insist on his rights. Sometime during the week that matter is sure to come up. It has been agreed that six hours shall be set aside for the consideration of the case, which will, of course, carry it over to the *following* day *before* a vote can be had. After this case has been disposed of the appropriations committee will bring forward some of the bills reported by them that are now on the house calendar. There are five of these measures, viz: Urgent deficiency, fortifications, pensions, District of Columbia, and sundry civil.

In the senate there may be some renewal of the Hawaiian debate, as Senator Daniels and Senator Gray, the latter a member of the committee on foreign relations, have given notice of speeches on that subject which will not probably be deferred until the report of the committee is made. The Berry bill requiring railroads in the Indian territory to stop at townsites is the unfinished business. An adjournment over from Thursday till the following Monday is to be expected in order to give the committee now engaged in the revision of the tariff bill further opportunity to complete their labors. In the event that the committee on the judiciary takes up the Peckham nomination at to-day's meeting there may be a short but savage contest in executive session.

BRUTAL WHITE CAPS.

A Woman Shamefully Beaten—Numerous Acts of Cruelty.

New York, Feb. 12.—A special from Louisville, Ky., to the Sun, says: Mercer county white caps have whipped five or six men, killed one man, whipped one woman and made raids on a large number of farm houses in Mercer and Washington counties in the last six months. The whipping of the woman, Mrs. Sam Milton, was on Wednesday night last.

A party of fifty men broke open the door of Milton's house, and a dozen levelled their guns at Milton, who was sitting by the fire listening to a music box. Then the outlaws pulled his wife from her seat and tore her clothes from her and whipped her until she was unconscious.

They left, saying she was not living the life of a true wife, and they wanted this to be a warning to other faithless wives.

The circuit court is in session and Judge M. N. Saufley has instructed the grand jury to ferret out the white caps, even if it is necessary to extend the term of the grand jury.

Gave Them a Great Fright.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Feb. 12.—The inhabitants of the town of Westmont had the worst scare they have had since the South Fork dam broke and carried death and destruction through the valley of the Conemaugh. Westmont is situated on the mountain side five hundred feet above the valley, and its water supply is drawn from an artificial dam 100 feet higher up the mountain. Saturday night the dam broke and the familiar and terrible sound of the rush of the water down the mountain side awoke sleeping villagers and they beheld them rushing in a panic in the streets of the town. Fortunately the volume of water in the dam was insufficient to do any harm.

Will Resign as Prefect.

ROME, Feb. 12.—The report published last week that Cardinal Ledochowski was about to resign his office as prefect of the Propaganda Fide has been confirmed. His retirement is due to differences between him and the French ambassador as regards the Vatican's policy towards France. Ledochowski was archbishop of Gnesen, Russia, at the beginning of the Kulturkampf, but, after having been prosecuted, fined and imprisoned, he left the country. Recently he was conciliated by Emperor William.

Was the Olympia Lost?

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 12.—The unknown steamer that foundered with all hands on Outer Diamond shoal, Cape Hatteras, last week, is believed here to have been the British steamship Olympia, Captain Coleman, from Matanzas, Cuba, for Philadelphia, with a cargo of 2,000 tons of sugar for the Franklin Sugar refinery. The Olympia carried a crew of 32 men, beside Captain Coleman.

Lobman Sent to an Asylum.

ORANGE, N. J., Feb. 12.—Howard Lobman, the young man who disappeared from his home here Jan. 27, and was found Saturday after a long search by his father and the Y. M. C. A. of New York, has been sent to the South Orange Insane asylum. He will remain there until cured.

An Old Minister to Retire.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 12.—The Rev. Dr. Dann Boardman, D.D., the venerable pastor of the First Baptist church of this city and one of the most eminent divines of the country, announced yesterday his determination to resign on May 13, the sixtieth anniversary of his pastorate.

Local Weather Forecast.

Rain or snow; easterly winds.

THE DAILY PRESS.

A. L. FORCE, - - Publisher and Proprietor.
WALTER IRVING CLARKE, - Managing Editor.

CIRCULATION EXCEEDS THAT OF ALL OTHER PLAINFIELD DAILIES COMBINED.

While everything else is getting ready for a move, April 1, won't the railroad people kindly get a move on the freight-house project?

Everybody who loves a good story, full of love, mystery and plot, is reading "A Fight for Millions", the new serial now running on Page 4.

Brave men are Perth Ambogeans. When someone shouted "Anarchists!" and shot off a firecracker, in the local court room, Saturday, there was a hustle from Bench to yellow dog to see who could get out quickest.

Everybody praises the fire department for the quickness in which it gets night fires out. Its handling of fires in wooden buildings is wonderful. The only defect in the department is the daytime abuse of the fire horses.

Talk about carrying coals to Newcastle! The Union County Charities Aid Association met in Elizabeth Wednesday afternoon, yet not until Saturday did the Elizabeth papers publish the doings thereof, and then they copied from The Press the full report first and exclusively published by The Press Thursday.

The Westfield Standard tells of a local clergyman who is devoting his preaching hours to "Lenten readings" from a book called "Who Wrote the Bible?"

What's the matter with his sticking to the straight out-and-out Gospel?

The preacher who finds the Bible too old-fashioned is in a pretty bad way.

A funny case is reported of how one family "retrenched". They decided to begin saving money on rent, and asked for a cheaper house after April 1. They looked at every available property in town, and finally chose and leased a house at $35 a month. They have been paying $30. The mathematical schoolboy will be interested in calculating how a family already living up to its means is going to exceed its income by increased expenditure and then grow rich off the income.

The book of views which some journals dispose of to the unwary at 10 cents a part to all first purchasing a certain number of papers with coupons, are being hawked about the State by peddlers at 10 cents each "and no coupons required". They were first offered to The Press at 6 cents a part, wholesale, and the final offer was 4. Even that was refused, as this paper prefers to stick to its business of being a newspaper, without seeking to impose on the public goods which are offered at a profit for less money by regular dealers.

Do you ever think of the chance of your house getting afire?

Do you ever count on the likelihood of insurance rates being raised if the companies get on to the fact that your much-vaunted fire department has a fatal defect?

Then a very good thing for you to do, a very loyal way to prove yourself a first-class family man and tip-top citizen, is to go to your Councilman and say:

"See here!

"I pay a big enough tax-bill, goodness knows; but say—

"I'd rather pay what more tax it'd cost, and go to my work every day feeling satisfied that the fire horses 'd be right on the jump every minute, than t' have things running on as they are now, with the horses luggin' big loads all over the township, maybe a mile an' a half away from Headquarters when my house gets afire.

"Now it is n't going to break anybody to keep those horses t' home.

"And t' home is where I want 'em.

"See!"

A fine day, yesterday: was it not!

How you enjoyed that promenade, that walk to church, that stroll about your grounds!

The air—the fresh, invigorating air—what a blessing!

But did you notice no taint in that atmosphere which your nostrils and your lungs drank so eagerly?

If not, it is because that taint is as insidious as it is deadly.

Your physician will tell you that the taint is there.

Your physician will tell you that the cesspools of Plainfield, more numerous than the houses, are a continual menace to the health of the people and to the welfare of the place.

What are you going to do about it?

Your own commonsense convinces you of the great need of a sanitary sewerage system, and down in your own heart you feel that you have neglected your duty in not signing the petition.

Is n't that so?

Well, then——

Hunt up the Mayor without further delay, and give him the requisite scratch of the pen.

Do n't be a Wayback!

LANDLORD AND TENANT.

The question of rents is the all-absorbing topic of the day.

Tenants say they're too high.

Landlords say they're not.

Each of these remarks was to be expected.

In spite of malicious misrepresentation to the contrary, The Press, in opening its columns to the discussion of the matter, has not taken stand one way or the other. It has merely recorded facts as they have appeared, and has invited and still invites views on the topic.

Let's have a calm view of the situation.

First, as to the landlords.

Said one of these excellent individuals: "I only get 3 per cent. profit on my houses."

The dwellings he constructs are the prettiest, most substantial and most complete small houses in the city of Plainfield. They make snug and delightful quarters. If he doesn't get more than 3 per cent., what is the reason?

Is it because he is too generous to his tenants?

Let one of his own houses speak.

Take one which he has just completed. Real-estate agents are offering it for sale at $4,000, and it can be had from the builder for less, at a considerable profit to him. The rent demanded is $40 a month. The insurance he pays is nominal. The tax rate (in the borough) is $1 82, on a low assessment. As a rule, one month's rental on such a house pays for taxes; and two months' rental covers everything.

Do a little arithmetic on that.

If the profit is n't more than 3 per cent., it's because there's a big mortgage in the way, and almost any man will be satisfied to make 3 per cent. clear profit on borrowed capital, when he has so much invested as has this particular man.

Naturally, the real-estate agents are interested in maintaining prices, and they are bravely striving to do it. But this Spring they are bucking against a most stubborn lot of tenants.

For instance:

There is in Plainfield a street which is full of houses renting at $30 and $35. These are chiefly the attractive, modern structures the supply of which in Plainfield is far less than the demand. Yet these houses are being deserted by wholesale, and the dealers are at their wits-end to entice others to take them. They are houses just suited in attractiveness for families of good taste, yet the people of moderate means who have been occupying them protest that they cannot afford the expense their tenancy entails.

So marked is the desertion of these homes that the dealers are actually afraid to put up signs on all that are to be vacant April 1. They dread taking a prospective tenant to a street where every house is labeled To Let. As it is, when they show a customer through house after house on the street, till there seems to be no end to the list of vacancies, one naturally exclaims "Why, what's the matter here?"

And what is the matter?

The houses are, with one or two exceptions, substantially built, and desirable in every respect. But when people who have lived in them, or who look at them with the idea of renting, figure up the profit made by the landlords at the present rate of rental they come to the conclusion that the tenant is required to pay a higher rate than the investment merits.

The class of people for whom this style of houses is fitted are the sort who make local trade prosperous, whose expenditures are chiefly with the town's own tradesmen, and who are generally considered the best citizens, so far as local business interests are concerned. This is the class that is complaining that Plainfield does not supply houses for them at a fair rental. This is the class that is beginning to consider the claims of towns other than Plainfield. This class includes a number of families whose heads tell The Press that they would straightway move to some such place as Roseville did not the expense of getting their goods there mean such a heavy immediate outlay, an outlay which they nevertheless claim could be more than saved by the difference of rental for the same kind of a house in the respective localities.

You are hurting the town, to say such things!—cry the real-estate men.

Far, far, is that, from the motive and purpose of The Press.

But because, being a newspaper and not an organ, The Press goes into the homes and among the people, it hears and sees these things; and its duty to the people and to the city which it champions is to strive to effect whatever reform is necessary.

It is n't the statement of facts that hurts or helps a town. It's the facts themselves. And besides the facts that have already been stated here, there are many others.

One such fact is floating about in a Jersey town which furnishes just as many attractions, conveniences and comforts as Plainfield furnishes, yet whose houses for people of moderate means rent for less than do Plainfield's of similar pattern.

The Press ran up against this floating fact, Saturday, and the people of that town who inquire about Plainfield are running up against it every day.

The person involved is a young and ambitious business man. He spent two years in Plainfield, where he was esteemed as a citizen and where in social and musical circles he and his family were agreeably received.

The Press, meeting him casually, expressed its regret that he had left Plainfield.

"I loved that town"—he said earnestly.—"But I tell you, Mr. Press, that the mere matter of rent alone makes Plainfield too extravagant a place for a poor man to live in—that is a poor man like me who wants to pay his bills and get something ahead."

Right here at home is another effective object-lesson.

It is the case of a man who has grown wealthy from building elegant homes and renting or selling them to elegant people.

"I 'm through with that sort of thing"—he told another citizen recently.—"I make big money at it, it is true; but at the present rate of rental of cheaply built but attractive houses I can almost double my profits by building and renting small houses for the middle class."

Whether rents in Plainfield are or are not too high is not a matter of opinion, but of fact.

To whomsoever has facts to present on this important topic, The Press offers the free use of its columns.

If you own a house, if you rent a house, figure it all out, and let's have the result.

Edwin's Forrest's Successor.

By his painstaking efforts and scholarly work, Thomas W. Keene has reached that height in the dramatic world to which all actors aspire, but few attain. Mr. Keene is deservedly the greatest living tragedian on the American stage, a position which he has attained only after long and tedious labor, with the great Edwin Forrest his ideal. His appearance in Music Hall Thursday night should crowd the house.

As a cure for chilblains frosted feet and chapped hands, Salvation Oil is a conspicuous success. 25c.

PARTICULAR MENTION

Dr. J P. Allis was in town Saturday visiting friends.

Albert Wooden, of Newark, is visiting his parents here

Miss Marion Williamson, of New York, is visiting Plainfield friends.

J. M. Harper has rented apartments over George W. Rockfellow's new store.

Mrs J. W. Jackson, of Crescent avenue, returned from a short trip Saturday afternoon.

Charles Hyde and family have left the Buckingham Hotel, New York, and gone South.

Miss Nellie Piker, of Orange, is visiting Miss Dollie Bolsterle, of Chatham street.

W. C. Kelly started for the St. Johns River district today to inspect his orange groves.

Frank Vanderhoff has secured a position with Marketman Ballentine of Park avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Bartlett, Jr., have moved from 19 Craig place to 339 Park avenue.

Wm. Hunt, formerly a Plainfield photographer, was visiting friends in town yesterday.

Dr. Robert Sinclair of Westfield is lying dangerously ill at his home with an attack of pneumonia.

Miss Blanche Bresant, of New York, spent Sunday with Mrs August Trust, of Somerset street.

Councilman Fisk went to Trenton today to look after matters in the estate of his late father-in-law.

Joseph Angerbauer, of Brokaw Bros., is enjoying a three-weeks vacation with his parents in Plainfield.

Miss Belle Van Winkle, who has been confined to her home on Central avenue since last July, is no better.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mulford, of New York, were the guests of E. C. Mulford, of East Fifth street, yesterday.

Miss Margaret Day, of East Fourth street, a member of St. Mary's R. C. Church choir, is quite ill at her home.

The young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pierson of 610 Liberty street has fully recovered from her severe illness.

Craig Waldron is the first to take possession of one of the new Clifton Flats, corner of Park and West Fourth street.

John F. Plummer, Jr., formerly of Netherwood, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Bowen of Watchung avenue.

Mayor Gilbert will speak in memory of Lincoln at the dinner of the Lincoln Association of Union County in Elizabeth tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene H. L. Randolph, of 52 Westervelt avenue, have rented a house on Richmond street, and will move there April 1.

Daniel Manning, of South Plainfield, was able to be about town Saturday for the first time after an illness of three weeks from pneumonia.

Miss Mamie Lyons, formerly of North Plainfield, but now of New York city, spent a few days with her cousin, Mrs. McClinton, of Lee Place.

Mrs. F. M. Perley and daughter, of Waverly, N. Y., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Merritt, 305 East Third street. Mrs. Perley is a sister of Mrs. Merritt.

Mrs. Tams and her young son returned to Trenton this morning after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Tams's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmore D. Moffett of Orchard place.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore F. French and family will remove, April 1, from 62 Westervelt avenue to the property owned by P. M. French at East Front street and Netherwood avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Couch were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Leggett, yesterday. Mr. Couch was a classmate of Mr. Leggett, and is manager of Atwood's New York Pharmacy.

The funeral of John Wilson was held from the old Seventh-Day Baptist Church at 3 yesterday afternoon. The Rev. J. W. Mitchell preached the sermon. The interment was made in Hillside Cemetery.

L. A. Goodenough, principal of the Scotch Plains District School, presided over the meeting of Union County teachers in Elizabeth, Saturday, when they discussed "Practical Pedagogy" and "Literature in the Public Schools".

Among the army of April movers will be Mr. and Mrs. Robert Luckey and family, who will leave 54 Westervelt avenue and occupy premises on Madison avenue. Mr. Luckey is the popular and progressive merchant tailor of the New York Evening Post Building.

Mrs. Helen E. Coombs, who has been spending the winter in the metropolis, will resume possession of her cottage at 56 Westervelt avenue this spring; and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Marshall of North avenue, her son-in-law and daughter, will make their home with her.

Mrs. S. R. Krom of this city has been appointed chairman of the Committee on School Suffrage, by President Mrs. David P. Hall of the New Jersey Woman's Suffrage Association. Aaron M. Powell of Plainfield will represent the New Jersey association in the National Woman's Suffrage Convention in Washington, D. C., Feb. 15 to 20, as auditor.

Jacob F. Sharp, father-in-law Baggagemaster J. S. Garretson, died early yesterday morning of heart failure at his home in Somerville, where he was an old and highly respected resident. Mr. Sharp was 71 years of age, and leaves a widow and three children. The funeral will be from the First Reformed Church of Somerville, Wednesday afternoon at 3.

Didn't Catch Him.

Constable Mattox and Policeman Giese enjoyed a drive yesterday afternoon, an incidental pleasure of which was an exciting chase in which young Peter Schneiderwin outran Mattox's horse and hid in the swamp.

The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands can testify. Proper local treatment is positively necessary to success, but many, if not most, of the remedies in general use afford but temporary relief. A cure is rarely cannot be expected from snuffs, powders, douches and washes. Ely's Cream Balm, which is so highly commended, is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power, with perfect safety and pleasantness to the patient. The druggists all sell it.

SCRUB and WASH as you will, it is not easy to keep the hands smooth and white in winter time. In fact, the more you scrub and wash, the rougher seems the skin, and you find that the best of soap fails to whiten it. Now if, after washing, you will moisten your hands with LEMON JUICE AND GLYCERINE, the effect will be to soften and whiten the skin, even in the worst weather. Used by hundreds of the "best people" in Plainfield. Originated and sold only by H. P. REYNOLDS, Pharmacist, Park and North avenues.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT.—Notice is hereby given that the account of the subscriber, administrator of Katharine Sauermann, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the seventh day of February next.
FREDERICK J. SAUERMANN.
Dated November 29, 1893. 12 1,30-osw

THE REV. ARTHUR CRANE,
Evangelist.
Will conduct Gospel Meetings at the First Baptist Church, (Rev. D. J. Yerkes pastor), commencing
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12,
At 8 o'clock p. m.
Singing by the choir. Gospel Hymns No. 5 will be used at the meetings.
Bible readings will be held each day at 3:30 p. m. (Saturday excepted). 2 10 6

SECOND LANTERN EVENING
—OF THE—
Plainfield Camera Club,
At their rooms (over post-office),
TONIGHT,
Exhibition of slides made by the Orange Camera Club. Interchange set.
ADMISSION 25c.
2 10 2

PURE CIDER VINEGAR
3 years old will be supplied in small or large quantities to stores or private families by dropping a postal to
2 7 tf C. J. ACKERMAN.

ROSES,
Carnations and violets. F. W. MILES, Somerset st., near Johnston's drive.
P. O. Box 695 1 11 1m

VAN BUREN & TIMPSON,
Real Estate and Insurance
163 North ave., Opp. Station.
60 Cedar street, New York City.

HENRY NISCHWITZ,
Dealer in Flour, Feed, Grain, Hay, Straw, Salt, Country Produce, etc.,
62 MANNING AVE., 55 RACE STREET, } North Plainfield.
Patronage solicited. Orders delivered free. 2 10 3m

IRA F. RIKER,
Funeral Director
And Embalmer,
Has removed from 325 Park avenue to 472 West Front street.

TERRILL & COLE,
Undertakers and Embalmers,
200 West 2d street.
Next to Trinity Reformed Church.
First-class livery attached.
Telephone 153. 11 26 6m

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. Less than ten words, ten cents. Cash must accompany ads.

WHAT have you got for sale or to let? Send a full list to the two hustlers. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

WANTED—A neat girl to assist in the care of two children. Apply to Mrs. Ellis, Fanwood.

TO LET—Portion of furnished house to party who will board 3. Address V., care Press. 2 12 tf

TO LET—April 1, seven-room house; furnished; centrally located; improvements. Furnished, care Press. 2 12 tf

FOR SALE—First quality lawn dressing. Apply to Evan Jones. 2 12 2

FOR SALE—100 loads best manure. Address A. B. Dudley, Netherwood post-office. 2 12 2

WE have calls for some houses that will rent for $30 to $35 per month; send us a list at once. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung ave. 1 22 tf

FOR SALE—New harness, hand-made, $15; Mexican saddle $5; can be seen at Mumford's steam carpet works; also natural wood carriage, two seats, $50. 2 10 3

$2 REWARD—Lost or strayed Friday, Feb. 9, a Gordon setter; address on his collar. The above reward will be paid for his return to F. C. Harder, 832 Madison avenue. 2 10 tf

5-ROOM flat to let; new building; Watchung avenue; water in flat; rent $13; will be vacant April 1. Charles H. Hand, 317 Watchung avenue. 2 8 tf

TO LOAN, on 1st mortgage $600 $1,200, $1,700, $3,000. Mulford, broker. 2 7 tf

WANTED—House, 5 or 6 rooms; centrally located; possession April 1. Address Z., care Press. 2 1 tf

TO LET—10 room house; modern improvements; 127 East 5th st. Apply Wm. H. Brower, 432 Watchung avenue. 1 31 tf

MONEY wanted on bond and mortgage or A 1 property at 6 per cent. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

AN elegant brick and brown stone house for sale or exchange for Plainfield property, on Halsey street, Brooklyn. Edward Love, corner North and Watchung avenues. 12 30 tf

FOR SALE—"The Medical and Surgical History of the Late War"; 4 rare vols. Address Books, care Press. 1 20 tf

175 BUILDING lots for sale; prices from $175 to $2,000 each on easy terms. Chas. H. Hand or J. F. McIntyre, 317 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

MONEY wanted to invest on gilt-edge Plainfield mortgages. Chas. A. Reed att'y, National Bank Building. 10 29 tf

STILLMAN MUSIC HALL,
J. A. DEMAREST.....Sole Lessee and Manager.
Thursday Night, February 15
First Appearance in Plainfield of the Celebrated Tragedian,
Thomas W. Keene,
Supported by his own distinguished company, in a superb production of
Richard III.
Seats on sale at Leggett's.

Vocal and Instrumental Instruction.
Walter A. Hudson (of New York), Voice Culture, Etc.
W. H. Miner, Piano, Boy-voice Training and Theory.
STUDIO—29 & 30 STILLMAN BUILDING, NO. 212 W. FRONT ST., PLAINFIELD, N. J.
10 3 tf

STANDING BY THE PEOPLE.
AMOS H. VAN HORN
LIMITED
Wish it distinctly understood that they are doing better by the people in
Easy Terms and Low Prices
Than previous to the hard times, notwithstanding some of our competitors are selling exclusively for cash at the old prices. For Carpets, Parlor Suits Bedroom Suits, Bedding and Stoves and all kinds of Household Furnithings you can do better at our store in terms and prices than any other house in the trade. Please give us a call and be convinced.
Furniture stored at low rates in the new storage building at 88 Bank street and moved at reasonable prices.
Telephone 580. Goods delivered free to any part of the state.
Amos H. Van Horn, L't'd.,
73 MARKET STREET,
Furniture store nearest Plane st., Newark, N. J. 10 10 y

BIG CUT IN PRICES.
Everything in Winter Goods Must Be Sold.
Gloves, Caps, Shirts, Sweaters, Underwear
U. B. Crane, Hatter and Furnisher,
120 West Front Street.

Fulper's 19c. Sale
ALL THIS WEEK.
We will give you 3 lbs dried peaches, 19c., 6 lbs best currants, 19c., 3 lbs best raisins, 19c., 4 lbs good rice, 19c, 3 qts green peas, 19c., 3 qts soup beans, 19c., 3 qts lima beans, 19c., 1½ lb box best cocoa, 19c., 5 cakes best sweet chocolate, 19c., 3 lbs best mince meat, 19c, 4 lbs best jelly, 19c, 3 lbs soda crackers, 19c., 4 lbs best dates, 19c, 6 lbs oat meal, 19c., 5 boxes Bixby's best blacking, 10c size, 19c. Given away free—12½ lbs. best flour, one-half gallon jug filled with syrup, 25c.
At Fulper's, 207 West Front Street
1 12 tf

YOU CAN BUY
AT EDSALL'S
Great Clearance Sale!
FUR CAPES
At $3.99, were $5.50; at $8.50, were $12; at $11, were $16 25.
Ladies' muslin gowns, best quality, well made, full length and width.
Gowns that were 79c., now 69c.
Gowns that were $1.10, now 89c.
Gowns that were $1.35, now 99c.
Gowns that were $1.49, now $1.25.
Gowns that were $1.67, now $1.49.
One lot ladies' fast black cotton hose at 19c, were 25c; one lot ladies' wool hose at 17c., were 23c; one lot ladies' black cashmere hose at 21c., 29c., 40c., were 25c., 35c., 50c; one lot men's Scotch wool gloves at 39c., were 50c; one lot men's Scotch wool gloves at 29c., were 35c.
Besides thousands of other BARGAINS, all must be sold prior to removal. It may be a long time before you will have such a splendid opportunity to buy fine goods at such remarkably LOW PRICES.
EDSALL'S
Great Clearance Sale of Boots & Shoes
—OVER—
8 THOUSAND PAIRS
Marked down in price. This is your opportunity if you want to get good reliable Footwear at manufacturer's prices.
DOANE & EDSALL.

CHEESE. CHEESE.
Fromage de Brie, Fromage de Camem Belt, Club House, Pine Apple, Paragon, Edam, Swiss, Roquefort, Neuchatel, Philadelphia Cream, Orange Co., English Dairy, Pamasau, Sago
DEMAREST.

WHO TRADES AT PECK'S WELL, Most Everybody.

Sebring's,
BIG SALE OF TROUSERS.
ALL WOOL $1.95.
REDUCED FROM $3.00.
Park Avenue, Packer's Block.
12-6y

GAVETT'S
Fine China Glass and Dinner Ware.
THE BELGIAN LAMP.
11-6y

Another Wonder Come.
Prevents Lamp Chimneys From Breaking.
Price 10c. at the 5 and 10c. store.
It is commonly known that a spoon placed in a glass will prevent breaking even though scalding water is poured in the glass. A similar principel is used in "THE NEW WONDER." Article is guaranteed, and money refunded if not as represented. Not since "Pigs in Clover" has there been such a demand. Get your supply before factory is overtaken.
ALLEN'S, 202 WEST FRONT STREET.

SCISSORS.
Want a pair that will cut? Our assortment of such is elegant. The steel is German and guaranteed. We have scissored the prices.
LEGGETT, THE DRUGGIST.

"Seeing is Believing."

Simple, Beautiful, Good—these words mean much, but to see "The Rochester" will impress the truth more forcibly. Its marvelous light is purer and brighter than gas light, softer than electric light, and more cheerful than either. The choicest bric-a-brac in the palace of a Vanderbilt reveals nothing finer. We have 2,700 artistic varieties, in brass, bronze, silver and black iron.
Ladies often like to go down among the large wholesale houses and buy of first hands. They will find our salesrooms (the largest in the world) a rare collection of Art in lamps. A catalogue to send you if you cannot come.
THE ROCHESTER LAMP CO.,
42 Park Place, } New York City.
37 Barclay St., }
"The Rochester."
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WHEN? NOW. WHERE? PARK AVE. WHO? WILLETT'S.
SPECIAL
Ladies' $2.50 Hand Welt Button reduced to Two Dollars ($2.00.)
Do you wear 2½, 4 or 7? It doesn't make any difference, we have your size.
107 PARK AVENUE.

Great Slaughter in Prices.
Watch for the Ad.
VAN EMBURGH & SON.

W. H. BROKAW,
Carpenter. Builder and Jobber,
PLAINFIELD, N. J.
Residence 661 West Front st.
Estimates furnished. Jobbing promptly attended to. 1 10 tf

Gold Dollars for Fifty Cents.
BUT FULL VALUE.
E. C. Morse, Painting and Paper Hanging,
17 CHATHAM STREET. 4214-y

WOOLSTON & BUCKLE,
141 and 145 North avenue.
New Line of Wall Papers
20 PER CENT. LESS
Than last year's prices. Last year's stock at
Great Reductions.
Painter's Supplies.

Fresh Pork Tenderloins, Scrapple & Sausage
AT THE
Plainfield Packing House,
153 West Front Street.
ULRICH & BLATZ, Proprietors

NEUMAN BROS.,
Grocers,
Watchung Avenue,
Cor 5th St.

CASH
Paid for old gold and silver at
COLLIER'S,
103 Park ave.
ESTABLISHED 1866.

IN THE OLD DOMINION.

Plainfielders Enjoy Another Trip with Prof. Fiske.

The second lecture by Prof. John Fiske under the auspices of the Monday Afternoon Club took place in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Church last Saturday evening. Prof. Fiske was greeted by a large attendance. His subject, "The Lord's Proprietary and Their Domains", was treated in a most interesting manner.

A paper on that portion of American history is usually dry, but on this occasion Prof. Fiske held the close attention of his hearers, interspersing his remarks here and there with humorous references.

The principal domains of the lords proprietary were Maryland, the two Carolinas and Georgia. Prof. Fiske dealt with the history of each colony in the order mentioned.

Maryland was granted to Lord Baltimore by Charles the First of England in 1632. The success of the colony of Virginia had been without its effect upon the English kings and they were beginning to see how their power might be increased by the colonies across the sea. Lord Baltimore was a great favorite of the king, who had conferred the title of lord upon him and now in return for his many services had given him a grant of land, which included what is now Maryland. According to the conditions of this grant the whole responsibility of the colony rested upon Lord Baltimore. He became invested with nearly all the royal prerogatives. By his authority taxes were levied, laws passed, courts convened, etc. This is one of the unique facts of American history that from the time of its founding until the Revolution, Maryland was ruled by members of the Baltimore family. Fortunately this Baltimore family was composed of men of broad ideas and sound judgment, and for that reason its history was singularly free from those disturbances which characterized the early history of so many of the colonies. Owing to the broad-mindedness of its rulers Maryland soon became an asylum for persecuted Catholics and discontented Protestants, all sects were tolerated and the colony soon began to grow in size and importance. One of the most important events of Maryland's history was the passing of the celebrated "Toleration Act" in 1749, which secured the Catholics from all religious persecution. The peace of the colony was disturbed by Clayborne, who refused to acknowledge the authority of the governor, and later by the accession to the English throne of William and Mary, which sovereigns annulled the charter of the colony, but in the main the history was uneventful until the Revolutionary War.

The land embracing both North and South Carolina was granted on the same conditions to Lords Albemarle and Clarendon and five associates in 1663. An elaborate constitution was prepared for the colony by the noted philosopher, John Locke, but it was so poorly adapted to the wants of the settlers that it never went into full effect. Owing to the indifference of its rulers and the unpopularity of the government the colony soon became a province of the crown.

The early inhabitants of North Carolina were of poor stock, being composed of the "white trash" from Virginia, who formed themselves into lawless bands and pillaged the country. Life or property was not safe, and lynch law was not infrequent. For the first 100 years of its existence there were no schools or printing presses in North Carolina. But later a better element was introduced in the shape of Hugenots from France, the Swiss and the Scotch-Irish. These sturdy peoples had a regenerating effect on the condition of the colony. Law and order were gradually restored, and the lawless element was driven westward.

The principal settlers of South Carolina were Hugenots, Germans, and a sprinkling of Scotch-Irish in the mountains. One peculiar feature of their religious government was the fact that their clergymen instead of being appointed by the Crown were elected by the congregations. One good result of this system is seen in the fact that at the outbreak of the Revolutionary War, the ministers and clergymen instead of siding with the Crown as most of them did in Virginia and some of the colonies, took up arms with their congregations and rendered efficient service.

The staple products of South Carolina are rice and indigo. The cultivation of these articles is such an unhealthy occupation that white men are unable to engage in it. Accordingly large number of slaves were brought over to supply their place. The Negroes were treated more cruelly in South Carolina than in most States, and Negro uprisings were frequent. These combined with the frequent attacks of the Indians who had been incited by the Spaniards, kept the early history of that state in a rather unsettled condition.

Owing to these circumstances great power came into the hands of a few. This state of affairs, combined with the fact that there was little social life and very few books, tended to make the upper class of the people of South Carolina haughty, quick of temper and intolerant.

During the lecture Prof. Fiske showed how potently the history of the colonies was affected by geographical surroundings, and how the progress of the colonies were so often dependent upon the natural conditions of the surrounding country.

A Sunday Experience.

Six boys rode on the street railway to the end of the Somerset street line yesterday afternoon and thence walked to Petillous's Hotel. Desiring to return they engaged a farmer to take them to town in a buggy. Four sat in front with the driver and two perched on the box in the rear. Before Somerset street was reached the carriage upset and its seven occupants were thrown into a ditch. The top of the buggy was considerably damaged. The farmer tried to collect twenty-five cents from each of the passengers but succeeded in obtaining but sixty cents in all.

2,000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from C. W. Mason, Farina, Ills., says: "I consider your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have been in the drug business fourteen years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal satisfaction." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents.

ANOTHER HEBREW BURNED OUT.

No Known Cause, Unless It Was the Friction of the Rapid Succession of Business Changes.

Another Hebrew dry-goods store on East Front street was burned out Saturday night.

The store, which is 128 East Front street, has been occupied but a week by the dry-goods business. In establishing it, J. Goldstein, of Somerset street, sublet the place from J. M. Schorb, Jr., who has a lease expiring April 1. Goldstein set his brother-in-law, M. Silverman, up in business.

Silverman remained in charge until Saturday afternoon, when Goldstein hired Simeon Klein, took Silverman back to his Somerset street shop, and put his new employe in the new store. Klein closed the store at 10:45 Saturday night.

A few minutes after 11, Henry Giles, who lives over the store, was alarmed by the barking of his dog, and, going into the kitchen, found that room full of smoke. His son-in-law, Ira Huff, hurried downstairs, found the store in flames, and ran to R. J. Shaw's drug store. Mr. Shaw was just closing up, at 11:15, and sent in an alarm when Mr. Huff told him of the fire.

The fire department made excellent time in reaching the store, and had the flames out in a few minutes. None of the stock was totally destroyed although almost everything was damaged.

Klein says he left a lamp burning in the store, but is sure the fire was not caused by that. He had company that evening, and thinks a lighted cigar stump must have been thrown among the goods unnoticed.

The stock is insured through W. A. Woodruff in the London and Globe insurance companies for $1,200. Goldstein says he put $1,700 worth of goods into the store the beginning of the week, and others testify that none of it was sold.

The building was a part of the Leeson estate of which Mrs. F. S. Moon, nee Leeson, is the sole heir. It was insured through Pope Bros. in the German American and Guardian companies for $2,000. The loss will not exceed $400.

OVER-AMBITION DROVE HIM MAD.

Found Wandering and Almost Dead, and Taken to the Asylum.

John Kirch, of Warrenville, was taken to the Morris Plains Asylum Friday by Dr. Zeglio. He had been examined a few days before by Dr. Zeglio and Dr. Adams.

Kirch is in his seventy-ninth year, and a carpenter by trade. He worked at his trade for thirty-six years, until fifteen years ago, when he began farming on sixty acres of land and became fairly well to do. He has a wife seventy years old and eight children. His son George keeps a grocery on the corner of Somerset street and Grandview avenue.

Several nights ago he wandered away from home and after searching many hours his daughter found him almost perishing from the cold and exposure. The family think he strained his mind by being over-ambitious for his age. For over a year he has believed himself able to work and has worried because he was not allowed to.

He seemed to realize his position the morning he was taken away and quietly dressed himself and drove with the doctor to Millington whence they took the cars to Morristown.

WRIGHT WAS FLIGHTY.

He Imagined He Was Immensely Rich, When His Place Was in the Sheriff's Hands.

A rumor was in circulation in Jersey City recently that Louis R. Wright, a druggist at 132 Jackson avenue, and son of Benjamin Wright the Plainfield nightwatchman, had fallen heir to an estate in England estimated to be worth over $100,000,000. Previous to this report Sheriff John Toffey attached Wright's place to satisfy a judgment secured by W. H. Schieffelin & Co., wholesale druggists. The business was sold out. When the story of the inheritance leaked out a number of Wright's friends congratulated him. A few days ago Wright was taken ill. Then it became known that his fortune only existed in his imagination. Greenleaf Voorhees, an old friend of the druggist, says that Wright had no friends or relatives able to leave him money.

A Business Man Grows Suspicious.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—In five days we have had two fires in the heart of the business section of our city, which if not for the quick and effective work of our good fire department would have resulted disastrously to the business interests of Plainfield. And the writer thinks it is about time something was done to drive out this class of people, who are of no benefit to our town in anyway. They come here, stock a store with cheap goods, and are always well insured for about five times as much as the stock is worth. Such things do a town no good, and the owners of buildings, and insurance agents of Plainfield, for their own protection and for the protection of the legitimate business men of Plainfield, should not rent or insure people of that class. ONE OF OUR BUSINESS MEN.

What Won't He Find Out Next!

The Plainfield correspondent of the New York Times sprung upon an startled world yesterday the news that "A number of women with bright minds and clever with the pens have formed themselves into a Current Event Club". The doings of the Current Events Club, dear boy, have been recorded in The Daily Press for month and months and months. Try again.

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.

A DEALER GROWS COMMUNICATIVE.

Admits that Landlords Are Worrying Over Spring Prospects, and Says They're Afraid to Put Up All the Signs.

The remarks recently published in The Press on the topic of rents have been the occasion of much discussion ever since. The original article was confined to house rents, but merchants protest also that store rents are too high. They plead high rents as an excuse for high prices in goods, the subject of high prices having been brought up by a group of prominent citizens, who told a Press representative that his paper should go beyond rents into the entire question of living.

"I think"—said one influential man—"that you'll find everything is too high in Plainfield."

A real-estate man protested against this.

"I have compared"—he said—"the prices of goods in Plainfield with the prices of goods in Newark and New York, and I and my family have quit shopping in other places because we are satisfied we can do as well at home and save carfare and time.

"But I frankly admit"—he added—"that the man who can afford to pay only $20 or $25 a month for house rent can't very well get suited in Plainfield, and not much choice is offered in houses up to $30. Mind, I'm not saying the rents are or are not to high, but the fact is Plainfield has n't got the houses she ought to have for the common people. I've got lots of nice people on my books to whom I'm ashamed to show the houses of the price they can afford to pay. And we're afraid to put up the signs on half the houses that will soon be vacated. If we put them all up, there's one nice street it would kill altogether, and it's a fact that the houses for rent are a good deal more numerous all over town than the signs actually exposed.

"I tell you"—he concluded—"the landlords are getting scared—that's what they are."

SOCIETY CARD SHARP.

Long Time Suspected, and at Last Detected.

Society young people have for two weeks been laughing at the way they trapped a gay fledgling whom they had long suspected of being tricky at cards.

It was after a delightful evening at progressive euchre in one of the pleasantest of Plainfield homes. The young blood in question had as usual enjoyed a great run of luck and skill combined, and had "tied" with two other young men for first prize. The record shown by each of the trio was 7 won, 1 lost.

When the tie-off was played, the suspected chap won. That his victory was not a matter of general satisfaction does no credit to the popularity of the youth.

After the card party was over, and when the young people were on their way home, one bright young woman remarked:

"Well, I did n't win anything, but I had the satisfaction of getting one game from the dear boy who got the prize."

"Why, so did I,"—exclaimed another of the party—"and that makes two games that he lost, when he claimed only one."

The matter was investigated, and it was found that the gay and festive youth had indeed palmed off a misrepresentation of the facts, which under the excitement and pressure had escaped attention until discovered by the chance after-conversation.

The social enemies of the young man are in great glee over this expose of his unlovely conduct.

WEST END NOTES.

George VanNess has broken ground for a new house on Spooner avenue.

A sociable will be given to the young people of Hope Chapel Thursday evening.

Harry DeHart, formerly of this city and now of New York, is spending a few days with his parents on Stebbins place.

A lecture illustrated with stereopticon views will be given in Hope Chapel Thursday evening, Feb. 22, to which all are welcome.

WEST ENDER.

Souvenir Volumes of Local Homes.

Westfield's streets, stores and homes are pictured and described in the handsome and interesting souvenir book just issued by The Standard.

The book is on the plan of the one of Plainfield in preparation by The Press, and is a volume that will be treasured in many homes and that will be of great value in attracting people to residence in Westfield.

No better means can be utilized to present an inviting yet truthful impression of Westfield's charms than the pleasing description by E. M. Hooker and the elegant photogravures taken from G. Thorn's photographs.

But even the excellence of Westfield's book is to be surpassed by that of Plainfield's, work on which is now progressing.

Fought on a Coal Train.

An east-bound coal train Saturday afternoon carried a pair of tramps who were fighting desperately on the top of a car. Near the Richmond street bridge they clinched and rolled down the high bank together. The fight was continued on the ground.

Honeyman's Private Tours.

Special party for Florida, including visit to Lake Worth, Indian River, the Oklawaha, St. Augustine, also Newport News and Old Point Comfort. Starts from Plainfield February 14. Absent sixteen days. Small, delightful party. For circular, call at office of Honeyman's Private Tours, 181 North avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 2-2-eod-td

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The public school flags fly for Lincoln today.

—Nearly 900 electric house lamps are burned all night.

—Look at the window display of valentines at Harper's, 411 Park avenue.

—Because of the firebug craze, nearly every man in Cranford carries a gun.

—A small black dog was struck and killed by a Royal Blue train Saturday afternoon.

—A choir of 30 voices will assist in the evangelistic services in the First Baptist church this week.

—Dr. Hurlburt narrowly escaped being run over by a fire apparatus on East Second street Saturday night.

—The members of Columbia Lodge, No. 58, A. O. U. W., will have a banquet after the initiation Friday night.

—All of the recent appointees of the Mayor should be on hand in his office tomorrow from 5 to 6, to be sworn in.

—A recent number of The Golden Rule, the Christian Endeavor paper, contained an excellent picture of Rev. Dr. Hurlbut.

—Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., hold their regular meeting this evening, and will enjoy another "smoker".

—The Board of Trade will bowl a return game with the Westfield team Tuesday evening, Feb. 20, on the Westfield alleys.

—The quarreling of two colored women at the corner of Park avenue and Front street attracted much attention at 9:30 Saturday evening.

—The staff and soldiers of the Salvation Army will go on the 7:12 train to Bound Brook this evening to visit the post in charge of Capt. Merritt.

—W. H. Rogers today received the 1894 Spaulding bicycle. He invites his friends and the public to call and see a beauty in weight and workmanship.

—A prayer meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. of Trinity Reformed church will be held in the lecture room of the church tonight at 8. Everybody is welcome.

—The sensational story of an alleged scalding accident at the Pond Tool Works, published by an irresponsible paper Saturday, was an invention.

—The Young Ladies Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church will hold its regular sewing meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2 in the Bible Class room.

—Two hackmen had everything arranged for a fight at the North Avenue station late Saturday afternoon, when the approach of a policeman interfered.

—It is expected that the Plainfield Knights of Pythias will attend divine service at one of the churches next Sunday. The particular church will be decided Wednesday evening.

—Two newsboys who were fighting at the corner of Park avenue and Front street, Saturday evening, were nearly run over by a carriage in which Mr. and Mrs. I. McVoy were riding.

—A delay of at least ten minutes was caused when the alarm of fire was sounded Saturday night, because of the balking of the black horse attached to the new hook and ladder truck.

—Walter S. Gibson, of West Second street, has accepted a position with Nelson & Cullen, contractors, as timekeeper on an electric railroad which they are building from Paterson to Hoboken.

—The total attendance at the Salvation Army meetings last week was 2,173, divided as follows: Monday, 24; Tuesday, 45; Wednesday, 175; Thursday, 200; Friday, 150; Saturday, 400; Sunday, 1,079.

—The Plainfield Cold Storage Company received a telegram this morning from Nolan's Point, Lake Hopatcong, asking them to send 10 good men that understand ice cutting. If you want a job, go now.

—The Christian Endeavor society of Trinity Reformed Church will give a social entertainment in the lecture room of the church Thursday evening. One of the prominent features will be a mock trial.

—The night engineer at the electric light station can't hear the telephone ring, so he has rigged connections which lights a blue lamp when a call comes in. When he gets a blue light he runs to the 'phone.

—Milkman Powers says that he was not at all to blame for his dispute with Milkman Hogan Saturday. He says that he merely asked Hogan to pay a bill that was long overdue, and that Hogan then abused him.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Church of Christ will hold a dime sociable at the home of Henry Van-Middlesworth, 111 Elmwood place, tomorrow evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

—At the Wednesday evening prayer meeting in Trinity Reformed church, the pastor, the Rev. Cornelius Schenck, will speak on the work of the McAll Auxiliary in Paris. A collection will be taken for the very excellent mission.

—The Dunellen Bowling team have two games scheduled for this week. Wednesday evening they bowl the Pioneers in Elizabeth, and Thursday evening they bowl the Union County Roadsters of Rahway on the Dunellen alleys.

—The widow of John Groblensky received from Recorder N. C. Mague this morning a draft for $2,000, the death benefit of the A. O. U. W. During his two years of membership with Central Lodge Groblensky paid in but $31.

—David McLearned, an 10-year-old scamp who has managed to keep away from the police for a year, was caught this morning, and sent to the county jail for 30 days by City Judge Coddington. He was charged with disorderly conduct and lead-pipe stealing.

—Dr. Chauncey M. Field has a phenomenal practice. Not only has he local fame, but people come from a distance, as well, to be treated. Bound Brook and Somerville have long given him a considerable list of patients. People drive over from Orange and other towns to submit themselves to his skill. Yesterday a man came all the way from Boston to be specially treated for an ailment in the cure of which Dr. Field has been remarkably successful.

FANWOOD FLASHES.

Plainfield's Progressive Neighbor Adopts an Electric Fire-Alarm—Various Notes Collected by the Westfield Standard.

George H. Muller, of Jersey City Heights, has been looking at property in Fanwood, with a view to purchasing land on which to build.

The new street light at the railroad bridge on Martine avenue is, at last, a realization, and is greatly appreciated by residents of the south side.

Oliver B. Lightowler has purchased the famous bay mare "Birdie" and intends giving his friends a "brush" occasionally. This animal has a reputation for speed almost equal to her owner.

H. C. Christianson, of New York city, has purchased land on South avenue and intends building a very handsome house for which several prominent New York architects are now preparing plans to submit to Mr. Christianson.

There was a large attendance at the annual meeting of the Fanwood Fire Company which was held recently in the company's parlors. It was voted to do away with the old method of calling members together at a time of fire by the bell, and to substitute a system of electric wires to certain members' houses who are to notify nearby members. It is to be hoped that this new plan will be the means of getting out all the members (even the sleepy ones) whenever there is a fire. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, F. D. Warren; Treasurer, Walter S. Force; Secretary, George H. Renaud. A vote of thanks to the retiring officers, Alfred D. Beeken, President; Clarence W. Smith, Treasurer; and George U. Miller, Secretary, was taken.

Robert McNabb's Bad Fall.

Robert McNabb, of Randolph road, met with an accident this morning at his home. He was working about the barn finishing up a few odd jobs, and when he got ready to leave, he went up into the second story of the barn to close a door which had been left open. In doing this he missed his footing and fell to the ground, a considerable distance, with much force. Mr. McNabb received several bruises, and it was at first thought that some bones were broken.

Drs. E. W. and Benjamin Hedges were called and cared for the suffering man. No bones, however, were broken. He will probably be laid up for a week.

Great Programme, All Free.

Tomorrow evening Choirmaster Cheeswright will give his second free organ recital. The time was changed from the afternoon on account of so few being able to attend except at night. The following excellent programme will be given:

Choral March from Athalie.....Mendelssohn
The Lost Chord.....Sullivan
Asa's Tod } from Peer Gynt.....Grieg
Morganstimming }
Gavotte from Mignon.....Thomas
Funeral March.....Chopin
Prelude to "L'enfant prodigue".....Wormser
Nocturne } from Midsummer Night's
Wedding March } Dream—Mendelssohn

How to Enjoy Tonight.

The lantern slides to be shown in the rooms of the Camera Club tonight consist of a set of 100 beautiful views made by the Orange Camera Club.

If you have not attended any of these exhibitions, it will pay you to spend this evening with the camerist.

The views will be thrown on a large screen by means of a hydro-oxygen light. They have been carefully selected by a committee of the Interchange Committee, thus avoiding any weak or poor positives being used in the exhibition. These entertainments are instructive as well as interesting.

8 is the hour. The club rooms are over the post-office. The admission is only 25 cents.

BY THE WAY.

—Court will not be session again in Eliza beth until Wednesday, on account of the illness of Judge McCormick.

—Judgment for $24 was entered in Justice Nash's court this morning in favor of the plaintiff in the case of the New York Belting & Packing Company against Lister.

—A $250 horse owned by Charles Brower was raffled off in Campbell's club house Saturday evening. The winning number, 46, belongs to Mr. Carpenter, of Poughkeepsie. A box of oranges and a coop of poultry were also disposed of.

The Prospect of Sports.

A committee of the Crescent Wheelmen is seeking for grounds for a base-ball diamond and bicycle track combined. $1,000 was pledged Saturday to Aaron Kline, who is the prime mover in the affair. By combining these two popular sports, the Wheelmen will be sure of big crowds Saturday afternoons. A local amateur nine should be formed, and John McLaughlin is just the man to get them together. The Press would suggest J. Hervey Doane as the best available manager for the bicycle races. Zimmerman says he 'll be on hand at the opening.

—The women of Mt. Zion A. M. E. Church will give a grand valentine social Wednesday evening, the 14th inst., at the residence of Joseph Dunham, 517 East Sixth street, for the benefit of the pastor. Admission will be 10 cents.

AMONG THE FLOCKS

of people who visit the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y., are many who are sent there, by those who have already, from personal experience, learned of the great

Triumph in Conservative Surgery

achieved by the Surgeons of that famed institution. Little heroic, or cutting surgery is found necessary. For instance,

TUMORS Ovarian, Fibroid (Uterine) and many others, are removed by Electrolysis and other conservative means and thereby the perils of cutting operations avoided.

PILE TUMORS, however large, Fistula and other diseases of the lower bowel, are permanently cured without pain or resort to the knife.

RUPTURE, or Breach (Hernia) is radically cured without the knife and without pain. Trusses can be thrown away!

STONE in the Bladder, no matter how large, is crushed, pulverized, washed out and safely removed without cutting.

STRICTURES of Urinary Passage are also removed without cutting in hundreds of cases.

For Pamphlets, numerous references and all particulars, send ten cents (in stamps) to World's Dispensary Medical Association, 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

CHARLES H. PELLETREAU.

A Man of Worth, and One Loved By Many, Laid at Rest.

Rev. T. Logan Murphy read the funeral service at 7 last evening over all that is mortal of the late Charles H. Pelletreau, father of Mrs. Charles R. Thiers. Many friends of Mr. Pelletreau from Brooklyn, his former home, were present, testifying in this manner their high regard for him as a man of true worth and of loving qualities.

Mr. Pelletreau will be missed by a host of friends in private life, and his death is sorely regretted by the men prominent in Brooklyn municipal government who knew his worth thoroughly after a service of a great many years.

Mr. Pelletreau's body was taken to Brooklyn this morning, and interred in Greenwood Cemetery. Stella Lodge, No. 455, Free and Accepted Masons, will have charge of these last rites in Brooklyn.

Lincoln Day at the High School.

Lincoln Birthday exercises were held in the chapel of the High School this morning, and the stars and stripes were raised. A quartette composed of Miss Mabel Mitchell '94, Miss Alice Thompson '96, Messrs. Thomas Blair '95 and Henry F. Drake '95, rendered the opening selection. Miss Miller '94 recited a selection by Lowell entitled "The Martyr Chief", and Fred. Goddard '94 gave "Lincoln's Address at Gettysburg". A song "Morning Invitation" by the school closed the exercises.

A neglected cold often terminates in consumption. Take Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup in time, and forestall the disease.

—Buy your valentines of Harper, 411 Park avenue.

A Shot and a Cry.

Mrs. Pliny Fisk heard a pistol shot and a cry "Oh, mamma!" on Sixth street, back of her home, at 10 Saturday night, and notified the police, who attributed the disturbance to the skylarking of youths.

—Valentine novelties are found in endless variety at Harper's, 411 Park avenue.

—Birds of Scotch Plains fought fifteen battles with birds of New Brunswick near that city Saturday night. "Old Ben" won the main.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY—"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75c. Sold by H. P. Reynolds, druggist, Plainfield. 12 6 2m

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.

Sealed Proposals

Will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the city of Plainfield, No. 109 Park avenue, until 6 o'clock p. m. of the twenty-seventh day of February, 1894, for furnishing and laying all the cross-walks required by the city of Plainfield during the remainder of the year 1894.

Specifications for said work may be procured at the office of the Street Commissioner.

The right to reject any or all bids is herewith reserved.

Sealed Proposals

Will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the city of Plainfield, No. 109 Park avenue, until 6 o'clock p. m. of the twenty seventh day of February, 1894, for furnishing crushed stone to the city of Plainfield for the remainder of the year 1894.

The bids to state the prices for furnishing the following sizes, viz.: "Dust" No. 1 or one inch; No. 2 or one and one-half inch, and No. 3 or two and one-half inch, in such quantities and at such places as the Street Commissioner may direct.

The stone must be of the best quality of trap-rock, free from dirt, clay or other foreign matter, and in every way acceptable to the said Street Commissioner.

The stone must be weighed on such scales as the Street Committee may direct, and a voucher or weigh-bill must be delivered with every load to the said Street Commissioner or his authorized representative.

The right to reject any or all bids is herewith reserved.

Sealed Proposals

Will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the city of Plainfield, No. 109 Park avenue, until 6 o'clock p. m. of the twenty-seventh day of February, 1894, for the macadamizing of Grant avenue from West Front street to West Fourth st.

Specifications for said work may be procured at the office of the Street Commissioner.

The right to reject any or all bids is herewith reserved.

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

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CLAIRVOYANT.

MRS. DR. EDWARDS,

The most celebrated Clairvoyant in the world, has arrived Thursday, Feb. 8, and will remain one week only, until Thursday, Feb. 15. Call at once at the

CITY HOTEL, ROOM 2, ONE FLIGHT UP.

See sign upstairs. Office hours 9 to 9.

Ladies 50c. to $1. Gentlemen $1.

The lady wishes to state that she stopped here by urgent request on her way west, and it is positively your last opportunity to see her. Call at once and consult the most gifted medium on earth. 296

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Every Friday from 8 to 10:30 p. m. for ladies and gentlemen; every Tuesday from 4 to 5:30 for children in Hulett's Hall. Private lessons any hour; all the latest dances; Two Step, Columbia Lancers, Kaiser William's New Court Dance, etc. Waltzes a specialty. Cotillions, Kirmesses, Cotillions, Fancy Dances, etc. Address 339 Park avenue or Hall. Send for circulars.

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Notice to the Public

Having transferred our lumber and coal business to Curtis M. Thorpe & DeWitt C. Irvine we request our patrons to make as early settlement as possible of outstanding accounts, and announce that we shall continue our office at 305-315 Watchung avenue for the convenience of our patrons. Soliciting for our successor a continuance of favors, we thank the public for its patronage of the past.

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THIS PROPERTY is in the heart of the recently opened residence section of the city, being within a few minutes walk of the Central railroad station.

THE NEW WATCHUNG PARK, with its new streets and avenues, will be among the handsomest residence sections in this pretty suburban place.

ONLY HIGH GRADE RESIDENCES will be erected. The neighborhood will be restricted, making it as desirable as any in Plainfield.

ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS will be in force by early spring. The work of macadamizing the streets is now being pushed rapidly.

ELECTRIC CARS PASS the property. Electric lights, gas and city water will be introduced as soon in the spring as they are needed.

SCORES OF BEAUTIFUL HOUSES now fronting on Sandford and Westervelt avenues have been located on the old Crescent ball field.

JUST AS PROPERTY VALUES jumped in Sandford and Westervelt avenues, so will they also increase rapidly in Watchung Park. Those who buy now will reap the benefit of an early investment.

THE LOTS are about 50x150 feet in size and the map of the property printed in these columns on Wednesdays and Saturdays will give the public necessary information as to their location.

For further information regarding prices and terms, large copies of the map, etc., address or call upon

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It's time to give a thought to Spring wear. Look over last season's things. Bring us the best of them and let us cleanse or color them now. We can take more time to it—probably give you a little better job than when we're rushed, as we always are in the Spring.

Hillier & Co. 175 North ave.

UPSIDE DOWN.

That is the way we have been turning our stock and prices this week. Next week we do the same. The crowds who daily throng our store know a good thing when they see it—know where a dollar will go the farthest.

This may interest you.

$2.29 is the price of 7 yards of dress goods, 5 yards of skirt lining and 2 yards of silesia. This is without an exception the best bargain in dress goods we have ever offered. Be sure and see 'em.

28c—On sale this week 500 rugs. Regular value 60c.

4½c—"Be you going to sell them ere ginghams for 4½c. next week?" asked a stranger from over the mountains. We told him yes and would also sell Fruit of the Loom, Dwight Anchor and Lonsdale muslin for 7c.

Embroideries—Our display of Hamburg embroideries we think, and every one who has seen them has said, is the finest ever brought to our town. There are five specials, 5c., 7c., 10c., 12c., and 15c.

Hosiery—Hermsdorf is the name of the man who dyes all our hosiery fast black. Do you know that we import all our hosiery direct from the makers and sell them at the same price that the other fellows have to pay for them? You just save 25 per cent. See what we offer for 10c., 12½c., 15c., 20c. and 25c. per pair.

Housefurnishing Department improving all the time. Just now we are pushing our Golden Brown dinner ware, one of the prettiest decorations we have ever brought out. You can buy just as many pieces as you wish and it only costs a trifle more than plain white.

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LOTS ON THE INSTALLMENT PLAN.

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A FIGHT FOR MILLIONS

By JOHN J. McGINNISS.

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When she entered the suite of rooms occupied by her brother and herself, Mortimer was lying on a couch reading the papers from his home. The news from the city where he was born and bred acted like a tonic, and Inez was delighted at the change in his appearance.

"I'm trying to catch up with the times, Inez," he remarked.

"I had intended to read up myself," she said. "We forgot to subscribe for the local papers, and some good friend has remembered us—Raymond, I suppose, as his apology for not writing."

"Raymond writes little. If I keep on as I now feel I'll go back soon, and in that case, should he care to see us here, it's about time he began the journey."

Inez was so used to her brother's convalescent periods, so to speak, and had seen them so often followed by days of weakness, that she was not inclined to agree with him. But it was better to acquiesce, as she did by saying:

"You look much improved. Dr. Leland may be able to keep up the improvement."

"Dr. Leland?"

"Yes, you know you told me I could call in a physician."

"It was the name, not the profession, that prompted me to inquire."

"Why the name?"

"It was that of a client of the old lawyer with whom Raymond and I studied."

"Nothing strange in that."

"No, Inez, nothing. It occurred to me and at the same time I remembered that he was killed in Denver."

"Why, so was the doctor's father too. That is strange."

"Then Raymond is — oh, never mind."

"Raymond is what?"

"Now, Inez, don't bother me."

The peevishness returned. She turned aside while her brother tore the covering off another paper and threw the crumpled wrapper on the carpet. She stooped to pick it up, watching him all the while. His eyes suddenly took a wild expression, he arose from his recumbent position with a strength born of excitement, rescanned the paragraph that had caught his attention and stirred him, and holding the paper out before him exclaimed:

"I'll tell you what Raymond is, Inez. I'll tell you what he is!"

"What?"

"A fraud!"

"A fraud!"

"Yes, look here"—and he pointed to the paper—"he has deceived me, he has wronged you! He has swindled everybody!"

"Don't excite yourself, Phil. Let me see what's the matter."

"What's the matter? He sent me here to kill me! That's what he did! I'll go back tomorrow, and I'll live to kill him!"

He went walking around the room as quickly as his weakened state would allow, crushing the paper in his frenzy and denouncing Raymond.

"What has he done?" asked Inez, going close to him and putting her arms around him to soothe him.

"Everything, Inez, everything!"

"Tell me one thing."

"That one thing is everything. He has"——

"What?"

There was a rap at the door.

"Come in," said Inez, who, recognizing the tap as that of the housekeeper, lightly ran across and opened the door. The old lady entered, the doctor following.

"Oh!" exclaimed Inez.

"You're not frightened, my child?"

"No-o-o," said Inez.

She had been struck by the singular resemblance Dr. Leland bore to Isabel Le Clair. He was a man about 25 years old, the slight stoop of a student making him appear less tall than he actually was, but detracting nothing from his dignity. He wore a Vandyke beard which made him look older than his years, but notwithstanding that this classed him in a set of men of facial uniformity his bright eye and strong individuality of feature lifted him above the level and distinguished him from his fellows. He was too well bred to notice Inez's ejaculation of surprise. He knew the old housekeeper well enough to know that unless he stopped the fountain of her curiosity right at its source she would let her linguistic outpourings run and carry embarrassment to the girl.

"We were unexpected, I see," said the physician, presuming on the license his profession enjoys. "I am Dr. Leland. Your good friend and mine was under the impression that you awaited us."

"We are glad, indeed, that you called," said Inez.

The more formal introduction came, and in a few minutes Mortimer and Dr. Leland were engaged in conversation. There was something about the

He went walking around the room.

physician that attracted him. Not so keen as his sister, Mortimer could not associate the face with that of Isabel Le Clair, but he did connect the name with that of the client of his old preceptor in law.

"I knew a man of your name, a George Leland, who was killed in Denver, but he was old enough to be your father."

"And he was my father."

"He was?"

"Yes. What did you know of him?"

"Nothing."

"You must have heard something."

"I was a student in the office of the lawyer that transacted his business."

"You were? Then maybe you can explain what my father meant when he said, 'Telegraph my death east.' He left no papers. His attorney in Denver had only the deeds of recent purchases here. An eastern lawyer had other papers and a will. I have frequently advertised for claims against my father, thinking that creditors would be most likely to turn up and give a clew. But no responses were received. Now fate has sent you here to unravel the mystery. The public administrator appointed an executor, and I, as the only living relative, own the property that was once beyond civilization, it seemed, but on which this hotel and the blocks around have been erected."

Mortimer listened and said nothing. He picked up a paper, the one he had been reading and had dropped when the doctor entered. He read over the paragraph again and said:

"I may be wrong. But there is one man who can straighten things out. I shall write to him tonight, or better, why not you come home with me?"

"You are not able yet to stand the journey, however much I might like to go."

He said this emphatically. It attracted the attention of Inez, who had just taken leave of the housekeeper. Inez's anxious, inquisitive look, noticed by the doctor, awakened his interest.

"Your brother wants to go back," he said. "I'm sure, Miss Mortimer, you will join with me in urging him to remain here a little longer."

"He ought to be guided by medical counsel," was her reply. "He promised me he would."

"Dr. Leland understands me," said Mortimer. "I'll obey his wishes. He should be more impatient than I."

"Why?" queried Inez.

"Never mind," said her brother.

Dr. Leland had been so completely unnerved by the unexpected revelation that he felt it would be wiser to turn to other subjects until he could regain his equanimity. Inez was not blind to his agitation. She ascribed it to some reflection of her brother upon his profession. Philip was liable, in some fit of peevishness, to forget the courtesies required by social law. Inez regretted that she had been the means of bringing any one into a disagreeable situation. Her sympathy went out to Dr. Leland.

Cultivation may reserve the more forceful of the feelings that seek expression in look and gesture, but where the outburst is restrained more gentle indications unconsciously assert themselves. Dr. Leland felt a strange thrill under the intense solicitude her eyes betrayed. A physician, skilled in the ways of human nature, the loveliness of this girl's character had at once impressed him. He was not a man to be touched with personal beauty alone, but somehow he felt himself envying Mortimer the care and affection of which he was the recipient.

"With your permission," said the doctor, "your brother and I will retire to his chamber. Perhaps I may soon strengthen him. You mustn't be discouraged, Miss Mortimer. Our air here is good, but, like medicine itself to strange lungs, it must be taken under instructions. We will leave you for awhile."

"As you will, doctor."

The two men went back to Mortimer's room. There the unselfishness of the physician first turned to the physical discomfort of the patient. In words that had a subtle influence upon Mortimer, impelling him to cheerful acquiescence, he made him move as he pleased until the basis for diagnosis had been obtained.

"I will bring you some medicine later," said Dr. Leland, when the examination had been finished.

"But about that other thing, doctor—your father's case?"

"Oh, yes. You spoke about a man whom you could write to. Who is he? The lawyer?"

"No; he is dead. That's the trouble."

"Who is the man?"

"Laurence Mangan, a newspaper man. He is on the track of a discovery. I will write him a letter now. You mail it, and it will bring him on surely."

Mortimer walked over to a secretary, unlocked it, arranged the desk board and wrote:

ST. JAMES HOTEL, DENVER, April 20, 1891.

DEAR MR. MANGAN—The secret of the commission bill and more startling revelations will be given you, if you pay me a visit here. I am too weak to go home. I will defray your expenses. You are needed to hunt down fraud. Do not fail. Yours truly, PHILIP MORTIMER.

"What does this mean?" asked Dr. Leland.

"It means that you and your sister are"——

"My sister?"

"Yes."

"I never had one."

"There must be some mistake. I understood your father left a boy and a girl. I heard the old lawyer once refer to a will of George Leland, your father. My partner took the papers and later said to me that you were both dead."

"Why not go to him?"

"No use. He has reasons for deception. You cannot prove that the two George Lelands are the same."

"But my sister, what of her? Let him restore her to me, and I care not about the will."

"I know nothing about her. I tell you, we must wait for Mangan."

"What can he do?"

"What can't he do? We must consult him."

The doctor took leave of Mortimer and said a few encouraging words to Inez as he passed out, promising to return later.

"Inez! Inez!" her brother called.

She obeyed the summons. There was evidently something annoying her as she entered:

"What is it, Phil?"

"Bring me in The Bugles."

"I've been reading them."

"Then you know what Raymond has done?" he asked, peering into her face from the lounge whereon he sat. "I see you do."

He laid back resignedly, turning his eyes upward, as if imploring strength from God, and Inez considered it best not to disturb him.

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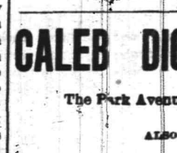
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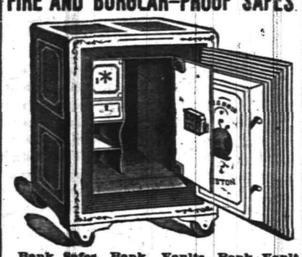
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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 30, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 45, 5 00, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30, 6 45, 8 15, 9 00, 7, 9 00, 9 30, 10 30, 11 30 P. M. Sunday—7 00, 8 00, 9 00, 10, 11, 12 30 P. M. 12 15 night. Sunday—7 00, 8 00, 9 00, 10, 11, 12 30 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.
Leave Plainfield 8 06, 6 28, 6 58, 7 36, 7 50, 8 36, 8 48, 9 03, 10 04, 10 37, 11 24, A. M., 12 08, 1 14, 2 07, 2 30, 3 23, 4 03, 4 50, 5 54, 7 08, 8 03, 9 13, 10 17, 11 23 P. M. Sunday—7 08, 8 03, 9 13, 10 17 P. M.

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Leave Newark 6 18, 7 18, 7 55, 8 33, 9 08, 10 05, 11 28 A. M., 1 18, 1 38, 2 20 Saturday only, 2 56, 3 35, 4 08, 4 56, 6 06, 6 48, 7 20, 7 58, 8 38, 9 13, 10 06, 11 38 P. M. Sunday—7 58, 8 38, 9 13, 10 06, 11 38 P. M. Sunday—7 58, 8 38, 9 13, 10 06, 11 38 P. M., 1 10, 1 38, 4 10, 5 05, 7 20, 9 38, 10 20 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 6 48, 7 10, 8 14, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 43, 2 00, 3 23, 5 05, 6 56, 8 05, 9 14, 9 36, 10 05, 11 26, 11 05 P. M. 12 36 night Sunday—8 43, 9 30, 9 54, A. M., 3 05, 5 26, 6 14, 6 38, 10 18, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 7 05, 7 00, 7 38, 7 48, 8 30, 9 08, 9 46, 11 10 a. m., 12 48, 2 05, 3 28, 5 10, 6 25, 6 58, 8 26, 9 45, 11 36, P. M. Sunday 8 26, 11 00 A. M., 12 08, 1 16, 5 05, 6 36, 8 08, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.
Leave Plainfield 6 48, 8 16, 9 54, A.M., 12 43, 3 05, 5 14, 6 36, 8 17 P. M. Sunday—8 46, 9 30 A. M., 3 05, 6 36, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 08, 7 00, 8 53, A.M., 12 22, 4 04, 7 28 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

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7 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazleton, Wilkesbarre, Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

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2 09 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Bangor Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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8 17 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

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For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 14p. m.

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For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 9 52, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, 4 50, 5.54, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 8 20 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 37, 9, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, p. m.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 45, 10 45, a. m., 12 45, 2 00*, 5 24*, 6 50*, 8 17*, p. m., 1 17 night. Sunday—5 45, 9 24, a. m., 2 00*, 8 17 p. m., 1 17 night.

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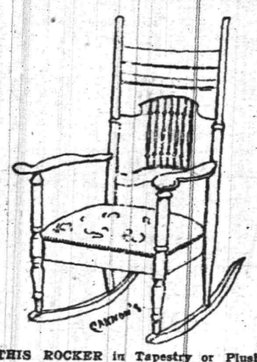

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I followed their advice and visited the doctor on May 5. How glad I am that I took this step no one can realize who has not been similiarly situated. The doctor gave me a complete history of my case, describing with surprising accuracy the conditions and symptoms which I had endured for years, but what gave me the greatest surprise and pleasure was when he assured me that there was no need of any surgical operation. Proper means, he said, would overcome my troubles without any surgery. I commenced at once to follow Dr. Starkweather's directions and treatment. Having gradually and steadily improved since that time, as he stated I would, until now I am the wonder of all my friends, while rejoicing in renewed health, strength and spirits. Am constrained by a sense of duty and gratitude to accord the praise due Dr. S. for his gentle, soothing and skillful treatment of my case, and advise all sufferers from whatever cause to consult this eminent physician.

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SNOW, WIND AND SLEET

Furious Storms Rage on Two Continents.

This Country Swept By a Fierce Blizzard from the Rockies to the Atlantic Coast—Traffic Delayed and Communication Interrupted—Fears for the Safety of Vessels Off the Coast—People in Chicago Blown About the Streets—Another Fatal and Destructive Cyclone in the South—Furious Storms Abroad.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—The city this morning is covered with a mantle of snow several inches thick. Travel of all kinds is greatly impeded and the inconvenience to pedestrians is so great that none but those who are compelled to, venture on the streets. The storm was the most severe one of the season. Throughout the night the wind was blowing from the northeast at the rate of forty miles an hour. Railroad traffic is almost demoralized. All trains are behind time and the mails from the south and west are greatly delayed.

Danger signals are up all along the coast and vessels have been warned not to leave port.

Reports from all points throughout the states indicate that the storm was general and very severe, and that traffic is greatly impeded. Trains are belated every where.

Despatches from New Jersey report a similar state of affairs. The storm along the New Jersey and Long Island coasts was particularly severe. A high northeast gale prevailed all night and the air was thick with flying snow. Mariners off the coast had a hard time of it, and it is probable that several wrecks will be reported. The life-saving crews doubled their patrols and are on the alert so as to promptly answer signals of distress.

At Long Branch, Monmouth Beach, Seabright and Highlands the surf is washing over the bulkheads. The waves are undermining the tracks of the New Jersey Central at Highlands.

Country roads in New York and New Jersey are badly drifted and in many places entire'y closed. The thermometer is falling, and to-night, zero weather may be expected in many localities.

The Storm in Pennsylvania.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 13.—Yesterday opened clear and cold. By 9 o'clock a vigorous snow storm was in progress with the wind blowing twenty-five miles an hour. Toward noon the snow gave way to a downpour of sleet, which continued without cessation until night when a fresh gale set in continuing until morning. The electric and cable car service throughout the city is greatly impeded, some of the grades becoming almost impassible. Telegraph and telephone communication throughout the western part of the state is almost suspended. The weather is much colder to-day. Reports from all parts of the state tell of the severity of the storm. Country roads are piled high with drifts.

IN NEW ENGLAND.

The Storm Severest on the Coast—Two of a Schooner's Crew Lost.

BOSTON, Feb. 22.—The snow storm which began in this vicinity late yesterday afternoon was not in itself as severe as the last heavy snow storm, but the high wind, snow and low temperature combined to make one of the roughest and most disagreeable nights of the winter. The storm is reported severest along the southern and southeastern coast of New England, and thus far nothing has been received from points east of Boston to indicate any serious results from it. The most serious disaster reported is that to the schooner Fortuna, of Gloucester, aground off Race point, two of her crew having be drowned, and the vessel herself being in great danger of going to pieces on the bar. Eighteen persons were landed safely on the beach.

At Fall River a heavy northeasterly gale blew the snow 35 miles an hour.

New London reported the fiercest storm of the winter, the clouds of blinding snow being so dense that all vessels in the harbor were shut out from view. Tug Thomas J. Scully reached port just before noon, it being hazardous for her to keep on down the sound. Tug Gertrude from Fall River brought in wrecking schooner Fly and dragged half a dozen barges to an anchorage where they might ride out the storm. The gale increased during the night and raged furiously, indicating disaster to any craft that is caught outside a harbor.

The blizzard struck Newport with great fury and a large fleet of barges and schooners which left there yesterday morning will have a hard time to reach a secure port.

Connecticut Roads Blocked.

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 13.—The blizzard struck this city yesterday afternoon and from all parts of the state come reports of the blocking of country roads by huge snow drifts. The storm is similar to the blizzard of 1888. Towards midnight the wind had increased to a fierce gale.

WILD HURRICANE AT CHICAGO.

People Blown About and Injured and Business Blocked Generally.

CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—Chicago was visited yesterday by the wildest hurricane ever experienced in this city. The wind was strong all night, but along toward 4 o'clock it suddenly increased in force and an hour later a small cyclone was on the city. By 6 o'clock snow was falling, and, with snow and wind and a falling thermometer, Chicago was being treated to a first class blizzard. The storm abated about 7 o'clock last evening and was followed by a cold snap that sent the mercury down below zero.

All methods of transportation suffered from the blizzard. Street cars plowed their way through the drifts drawn by four horses. The cable trains were frequently blocked. The force of the hurricane made travel on the elevated trains uncomfortable. On nearly all railroads in-coming trains were from half an hour to eight hours late.

The force of the wind as it roared through the streets was fearful. Strong men reeled before it and many were fairly lifted off their feet. One woman was caught by the storm and dashed against a water plug and two of her ribs broken. On Jackson street, near Michigan avenue a man was knocked down by the wind and his over-coat spreading to the gale and acting as a sail he was carried along the smooth pavement for several yards.

The lake was like the sea in a tempest. The gale from the northwest piled the water in tremendous waves on the shore. The billows beat over the breakwaters and piers. At Lincoln park the sea wall was practically under water.

Telephone and telegraph wires suffered from the storm. Many wires were torn from their fastenings, and poles blown down.

In the central district of the city the storm was at its worst. The gale swept from the north and east with a fearful velocity. The streets between the big business blocks became paths for the tempest.

Down on the lake front the storm had full play. In the outlying districts business was practically suspended. Drifts of snow from five to ten feet high were piled up against the front doors of many stores.

The driving snow made signals on railroad tracks practically useless. Several accidents occured, but none of a serious nature.

Many accidents were reported to the police. In spite of the fearful weather and the awful condition of the streets the ambulances were kept busy a large part of day.

All day long Capt. Byrne found it necessary to have six stalwart police officers stationed at the entrance to the alley just west of the masonic temple to protect the lives of those passing. The wind blew a gale down the alley behind this high building, and people going to the Illinois Central depot and coming from it were for a time blown from their feet and many narrowly escaped serious injuries.

Manitoba Weather in the West.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 13.—A veritable Manitoba blizzard of rain, hail, sleet and snow raged throughout this state all day yesterday and travel is delayed or suspended. From all points south and west come similar reports, showing the storm to be wide-spread and disastrous.

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 13.—Reports from points throughout Illinois, Michigan, Indiana and this states indicate that the storm was general and the fall of snow the heaviest of the season.

Another Fatal Storm in the South.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 14.—Advices received in this city last night indicate that a storm approaching in violence to a cyclone in many respects swept over the country of Louisiana and Mississippi yesterday and left in its wake many casualties and a vast amount of destruction.

EUROPE STORM SWEPT.

Great Damage Reported from England, Germany and Austria.

LONDON, Feb. 13.—On account of serious interruption of telegraphic communication, reports of the damage caused by the terrific gale that swept the British kingdom for over 48 hours are slow in coming in.

At Teighmouth, in Devonshire, a church in course of construction was entirely destroyed. The spire of St. Mary's church at Shrewsbury, county of Salop, was blown down. At Peterborough, county of Northampton, the pinnacle of the parish church of St. John was blown down, and the glass roof of the Great Eastern railway station was destroyed.

The English Presbyterian church at Holywell, Flintshire, Wales, was also among the buildings wrecked. A boarding school and many dwelling houses in the town were also blown down. At Newport, in South Wales, the roofs have been blown off a number of houses.

It is feared that there have been many wrecks along the coast. Several vessels have gone ashore off Margate and Ramsgate, isle of Thanet, Devonshire.

At Dudley, in Worcestershire, a number of factory chimney stacks were blown down. In two or three instances the falling chimneys struck the factories, causing great damage. In this town many persons were injured. Scores of houses were unroofed.

The Yarmouth steamer Resolution, bound from Cardiff, has been wrecked. Her crew were rescued.

Hartlepool, county of Durham, which is situated on an almost insolated promontory, was exposed to the full force of the storm, and considerable damage was done in the town.

Damage Throughout Germany.

BERLIN, Feb 13.—High winds have been reported from many parts of Germany in the last three days. Numerous accidents have been caused by the storm in Brandenburg. The Stettin railway station here has been damaged considerably, and the stations at Helensee and Rummelsburg have been partly unroofed. Many houses in Bopparsl, near Coblenz, were burned last night, the wind being so high that the firemen were unable to prevent the spreading of the flames.

Death and Destruction.

HAMBURG, Feb. 13.—The tide has run exceptionally high here for the past 24 hours, and it has been blowing a gale. Many vessels broke from their moorings and numerous collisions were reported. Scores of small craft went to the bottom. So far but two deaths by drowning have been reported, but several men are missing from vessels in the harbor. Trees have been blown down in the parks, chimneys have been thrown down and roofs have been lifted. A dispatch from Luebeck says that the town hall there has been greatly damaged by the storm. At Friedrichsruhe, Prince Bismarck's home, and in the surrounding district, much damage has been done to the forests and sheds.

Severe Storm in Austria.

VIENNA, Feb. 13.—A heavy storm is sweeping over Austria. Many trains have been stopped by the trees blown across the tracks. Great damage is reported.

Mr. Barrett's Appointment.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—John Barrett, of Portland, Ore., who was nominated yesterday as minister resident and consul-general to Siam, is the youngest man appointed by this administration to an important foreign post. Mr. Barrett is a native of Granton, Vt., and a son of Hon. Charles Barrett. He is a graduate of Worcester (Mass.) academy and Dartmouth college.

For Woman Suffrage.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Mr. Pence (pop., Col.) has offered in the house a bill providing for woman suffrage. The bill differs somewhat from others presented on the same subject heretofore, as it does not propose to amend the constitution but simply gives women over the age of 21 the right to register and to vote at all elections for members of the house of representatives, and provides that the right shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or any state.

Indian Girls Sold to White Men.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Feb. 13.—Governor Moouresby and Indian Agent Devlin have been instructed by the government to investigate the sales of Indian girls to white men, and to put a summary stop to the practice. A local paper has traced seven cases in which Shiawah girls have been sold to white men for prices ranging from $5 a month to $15 cash.

Gladstone Will Appeal to the Country.

LONDON, Feb. 13.—A meeting of the cabinet was held at the official residence of Mr. Gladstone in Downing street prior to the reassembling of parliament. It is stated that Mr. Gladstone intends to drop the parish councils bill and the employers' liability bill and make an appeal to the country within a month.

Switzerland Expelling Anarchists.

BERNE, Feb. 13.—The federal council has decided to expel from Switzerland thirteen men who are suspected of being anarchists. The passage in England of the expelled men will be paid by the government.

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DYNAMITE IN FRANCE

A Public House Wrecked and People Injured.

A Bomb Thrown in the Cafe of the St. Lazare Railway Station—Twenty Persons Wounded, Several Among Them Women, and the Restaurant Demolished—The Culprit, a Young Anarchist, Endeavors to Escape and Fires on and Seriously Wounds One of the Pursuing Officers and a Woman in the Crowd.

PARIS, Feb. 13.—Edeon Breton, 23 years old, threw a bomb in the cafe of the Grand Terminus, at the St. Lazare railway station last night. The bomb exploded in the middle of the room and wounded 20 persons.

An instrumental concert began in the cafe, which is on the ground floor of the hotel, at 8 o'clock. Shortly before 9 o'clock a pale, thin young man with a pointed beard paid for a drink which he had taken at a table in the middle of the room, and started to leave. When near the door he turned suddenly, drew a bomb from his coat, and threw it toward a group of persons who had gathered next to him. The bomb struck an electric light fixture then fell on a marble table and exploded.

The great hotel and station were wrecked by the shock. The mirrors, windows and doors were blown to atoms. The ceiling and floor were rent and the walls were cracked. A dense, offensive smoke filled the cafe for four minutes, and in the confusity the bomb thrower escaped.

When the smoke cleared away, five persons were found severely wounded, and fifteen had slight injuries. The bomb had been filled with bullets and rough bits of iron, which had riddled the furniture and walls and inflicted most of the wounds.

After leaving the cafe the bomb thrower started down the street on a run.

Three policeman, going on duty, and just passed in an omnibus when the explosion occurred. They jumped into the street and gave chase. The young man turned on them as they called for him to stop and fired five shots. Policeman Poisson fell badly wounded in the side. Policemen Lenoir and Bigot, however, continued the pursuit, and with the help of Policeman Barbes and a waiter seized him down.

The struggling anarchist was taken to the police station in the Rue de Rome, where, after some hesitation, he gave his name and age.

"Yes, I am an anarchist!" he exclaimed fiercely, in response to reiterated questions, "and the more of the bourgeoisie I killed the better it would please me."

As Policeman Poisson fell the person stumbled, but he saved himself and almost instantly fired again at the crowd of pursuers behind the other policemen. A woman sank, dangerously wounded, to the pavement. Breton continued to flourish his revolver after he had emptied it. A policeman struck him violently in the face with the flat of his sabre and Breton fell, but only to rise and struggle fiercely when the policemen laid hands on him. It was only with difficulty that the police prevented the crowd from lynching him.

Meantime the sound of the explosion, the smoke and the cries of the wounded had attracted a great crowd to the Hotel Terminus. Drs. Sereno, Bouffe and Faysun offered their services. They dressed the wounds of the injured, some of whom had been carried to rooms in the hotel, others to the drug stores in the neighborhood.

Among those seriously injured are three or four ladies.

Reform in the Treasury Department.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—A "shake-up," the first of many yet to come, occurred among the clerks in the registers office of the treasury department yesterday. Fourteen clerks were transferred from that office temporarily to the stricken letter's office, the card system in vogue in the registers office having been abolished. The work of reorganizing the registers office is now in progress. Reforms will follow in other offices and a plan mapped out by Secretary Carlisle contemplates the saving of from $350,000 to $400,000 a year in the treasury department.

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Oh for a new police station!

If you have any views on the question of rents, or any facts proving or disproving the claim that rents in Plainfield are too high, send them to The Press, the people's paper, and they'll be published.

The several inches of snow which the biting blast swept to earth last night brought work to idle hands and infused good cheer into the people. The jollity a good substantial snowstorm can generate is remarkable, and the music of the sleighbells is a refreshing break to a monotonous winter.

An athlete who wants to keep in training avoids burdensome work. The Plainfield fire horses are athletes. They are meant for quick and speedy service. But they are being spoiled by the hard and drudging labor exacted of them. The fire horses should by all means be given exercise, but they should be at headquarters on the jump for alarms. The Plainfield Fire Department will not be perfect till the pennywise policy of working the horses on the streets is abandoned.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Plainfield Lodge, No. 44, I. O. O. F., worked the first degree last night.

—Manager Runyon is about to establish a telephone pay-station in Raritan.

—The telephone service was uninjured by the storm, but the telegraph suffered.

—Westfield is planning for a battery of 50 recruits from Westfield, Fanwood and Cranford.

—Edward Martin will be the policeman stationed at the North Avenue station after today.

—Janitor Hope, of the Bryant School, cut down four large trees in front of the school yesterday.

—The street railway snowplough was kept at work nearly all night, to keep the tracks clear for travel.

—This evening Special Policeman Stephen Hope will be sworn in by the Mayor for the twenty-fifth year.

—J. B. Young made the highest score on the alleys of the Dunellen Bowling Club, last night, which was 266.

—Hoagland's Express is now making contracts for spring movings. He reports an unusually large booking.

—The Coachmen and the C. Y. M. L., Jr's, will begin a second series of three games on the Lyceum alleys this evening.

—The sociable and mock trial which had been arranged by the Y. P. S. C. E. of Trinity Reformed Church for Thursday evening has been unavoidably postponed till next month.

—The suit of Long & Co., against Miller, on contract, and the attachment suit of Davis against Brett will be tried before Justice Mosher February 21 and March 5.

—The shattering of a plate glass in Candy-Man Barnes's store door was done by a girl who boasted how carefully she could move about among the bric a-brac.

—Thursday night in Dunellen the Union County Roadsters will bowl the home team, which will be: W. Walter, C. Giles, J. B. Young, C. Krewson, C. D. Taylor.

—Hillier & Co., who know how to advertise as well as how to run a laundry and dyeing establishment, write that their advertising in The Press is greatly increasing their business.

—The team from Dunellen that will bowl the Pioneers at Elizabeth this evening are as follows: Messrs. W. Walters, J. B. Young, C. D. Taylor, C Giles, G. Voehl, J. Hanson, W. Case, F. Sandford, G Neal and F. Shepherd.

—The repairing of the damage caused by fire in the Central Hotel has been sublet by Contractor William Pierson to Woolston & Buckle, who will do the painting and papering, and R. C. MacCollough, who will furnish the woodwork.

—The congregation which has been worshiping in the Mt. Bethel school-house for many years expect to have a church of their own by spring. Plans and specifications of a stone building to cost $1,000 have been prepared, and ground will be broken as soon as the weather permits.

—The local post of the Salvation Army, thirty strong, led by Capt. Mimms, went to Bound Brook with the drum corps last night and visited Capt. Merritt's corps there. The services conducted were very enthusiastic and many converts testified. The meeting was still in progress when the Plainfield soldiers left to catch the 11:20 train.

—A speculative farmer came down from North Branch yesterday and visited all the meat markets in town. He had 200 pounds of pork at home for which he had been offered seven cents a pound. He was offered the same here, but held off for half a cent more, and finally returned home with his pork unsold. His expenses exceeded the desired gain, but—he had seen Plainfield.

—The Men's Association of Grace Protestant Episcopal Church will take charge of the 7:45 Sunday evening services on and after Feb. 25. They will give a full choral vesper service. The sermon on the 25th will be by Rev. Father J. Everett Johnson, rector of the Church of Our Redeemer, New York, and another clergyman will intone the service. The following Sunday evening, Dr. Greer of the Vanderbilts church, will probably be the preacher.

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BAPTIST REVIVAL.

Evangelist Crane Begins a Series of Plainfield Meetings.

Rev. Arthur Crane, evangelist, opened the revival services in the First Baptist Church last evening.

Owing to the very stormy night the audience was small, about seventy being present.

The service was an excellent one and very interesting. L. G. March, of Rockland, Me., a fellow-worker of Mr. Crane, was present, and had charge of the singing. He sang several solos, which were deeply impressive.

The Rev. Dr. Yerkes, pastor, opened the meeting with prayer.

Mr. Crane then said that he would not preach a sermon, but give a short talk on revival, and his remarks were exceedingly helpful. He spoke of the things essential to a thorough revival, and apparently quickened the hearts of all present by the pointed truths brought forth.

Numerous valuable testimonies were then given and several prayers offered. The meetings bid fair to bring out large results, and the attendance will no doubt increase. Bible reading will be held every afternoon. Mr. Crane wants all who can to meet at 7:30 each evening for a short season of prayer, previous to the service which follows.

Rev. Arthur Crane was born in London, England, thirty-nine years ago. He received his education in the King Edward Collegiate School of that city and finished his studies at the Tregony Baptist Seminary in Cornwall. He was converted when thirteen years old. He came to this country in 1883.

For several years he lived a worldly life. Seven years ago, after what appeared to be a miraculous recovery from an illness which had been pronounced fatal, he determined to consecrate the rest of his life and all his energies to the service of God. His labors have been successful. Many conversions invariably accompany his ministrations. He has received many calls to settle as pastor, but his special delight is the work of an evangelist.

In 1890 Mr. Crane took charge of a church in Great Falls, N. H., while the regular pastor was absent, and as the result of his work a great revival swept through the town. Three years later he took temporary charge of a church in Saco, Me., and there was a revival by which 100 members were added to the church, and the other churches in the city also received large additions to their membership.

Mr. Crane has a clear, logical, and impressive way of presenting the truth, a way peculiarly his own, and his words appeal rather to the understanding and conscience than to the emotions. There are many men among the converts he makes.

He is a member of the Riverside Baptist Church of New York and lives in Plainfield.

STRUCK BY A CENTRAL TRAIN.

A Bayonne Young Man, Out of Work, Badly Injured in Plainfield.

William Medrick, of 39 West Ninth street, Bayonne, was struck by the 6:14 train on the Central Railroad near Richmond street last evening, but was not dangerously injured.

Medrick is a young stationary engineer and has been out of work for two months. Yesterday he came from Bayonne on engine 408 which was drawing a coal train.

The train went on the side track at Richmond street to let the 6:08, 6:14 and 6:20 passenger trains by. Medrick stepped down from the engine just before the 6.14 train came up and for some reason did not notice its approach. He was struck and hurled aside.

The train backed up and the man was brought to the telegraph office in the North Avenue station. He was speechless, although he made an effort to tell who he was. His name was ascertained by means of a letter addressed to Miss Florence M. Wolff, Plainfield. Detective Corsa found Miss Wolff in Miss Kenney's West Front street dressmaking establishment. She recognized the writing at once.

Railroad Physician Fritts was notified and had the man removed to Muhlenberg Hospital. His injuries were found to consist of two wounds in the shoulder and cuts about the face. This morning he was improving and the opinion was expressed that he would be able to go home in a few days.

Insurance Men Know How to Live.

The Assistant Superintendents of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company gave their monthly dinner to the agents in Brown's Cafe, Rahway, last night. Music was furnished by Martin Brothers string sextette.

MENU.

Prime Ribs Beef,
Mashed Potatoes,
Chicken Fricassee, a la Bolte.
Sweet Potatoes.
Green Peas.

COLD.

Baked Fresh Ham,
Cold Boiled Ham,
Pickles. Chow Chow.
Potato Salad, a la brown.
Apple Pie. Pumpkin Pie.
Cocoanut Custard.
Cheese, Crackers, Coffee, Cigars.

Those present were: Supt. Price, Elizabeth; Assistant Superintendents, A. Norbury and J. B. Martin, Plainfield; Assistant Superintendents Charles Drake of Rahway, Green and Wentworth of Elizabeth, Mullin and Donaldson of New Brunswick, and Agents Merrick, Heath, Stowell, Fleming, Flemmer, Dore, Straub and Weber.

Postmaster Scudder.

Postmaster Whitaker, of Westfield, is now working on holdover time. His commission expired February 5. Those who claim to know say that Congressman Dunn has endorsed the application of M. M. Scudder and that the appointment has been made, but not yet sent in for confirmation. There does not seem to be any objection raised to M. M. Scudder as postmaster.

As a cure for chilblains, frosted feet and chapped hands, Salvation Oil is a conspicuous success. 25c.

PARTICULAR MENTION

J. F. MacDonald was confined to his home by illness today.

Miss Maggie Spillane, of West Seventh street, is ill with the grip.

Mrs. John Valiant, of Craig place, was much improved this morning.

William H. Sprague has moved from Muhlenberg place to Spooner avenue.

Lewis S. Bond has tendered his resignation as Superintendent of the Boys Club.

Rev. J. W. Richardson denies the rumor that he has accepted a call to New Brunswick.

The Girls Musical Club held a meeting this afternoon at the home of the Misses Ellis, Netherwood.

The engagement is announced of Randolph Vail, of Greenbrook, to Miss Lizzie Ludlow, of Duer street.

Miss Carribel Harris, of Cranford, is visiting her grandfather, Stephen Hope, of 223 Richmond street.

Martin B. Young, salesman for the firm of Young, Smythe, Field & Co., of Philadelphia, is in town today.

Will F. Dunn, brother of F. S. Dunn, the electrician, is ill with the grip at his home, 217 West Second street.

Mrs. S. O. Doane, mother of Chief Engineer T. O. Doane, is quite ill at her home on East Fourth street.

Isaac Hillier, the veteran, who has been in the Soldiers Home in Kearney for six weeks, is in Plainfield on a visit.

Mrs. George E. Rogers and family, of 201 Watchung avenue, are visiting Mrs. Rogers's sister, Mrs. Hall, in Yonkers.

William Kitchen, the obliging and efficient clerk in J. Hervey Doane's store, Park avenue, is confined to his home by illness.

Mr. Runyon of Dunellen visited the First National Bank yesterday afternoon and in coming out slipped and fell, spraining his wrist.

Josiah Layton, who was stricken with paralysis last week, is slightly better today. His brother John, of Brooklyn, visited him yesterday.

John M. Schorb, Jr., has opened an office at 232 Broadway, New York, and will place on the market a newly patented bolt for wagon shafts.

Mrs. Alice Fellows and her daughter, Miss Blanche, will occupy a first-floor flat in the new Manning Building on West Front street, after April 1.

Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector of Grace P. E. Church, Plainfield, will preach in All Saints Church, Fanwood, tomorrow evening. The service will begin at 8.

Miss Baker, for many years bookkeeper and general superintent for Loomis & Rice, concludes her labors Saturday, and goes to Brooklyn to live with relatives.

The funeral of Charles H. Gill, the contractor, who died Thursday last, was held in Grace P. E. Church Sunday afternoon at 2. The burial was made in Hillside Cemetery

Charles E. Blume and Miss Minnie Spencer, both of Washingtonville, were married in Brooklyn, Thursday, Feb. 8 The bride is a niece of Collector H. N. Spencer of North Plainfield.

Mrs. J. W. Reinhart of Netherwood will give a juvenile party Thursday afternoon for the children of some friends visiting her at present. Punch and Judy and a magic lantern will be the features of the occasion.

Miss Dora Grant, daughter of Chief George W. Grant, has passed a most creditable examination before the State Board of Schools Examination in Trenton, and has been assigned to a school in Rosedale, Mercer County.

Mayor Gilbert, Craig A. Marsh, W. R. Codington, V. W. Nash and H. M. Stockton of Plainfield; Sheriff Kyte, Deputy Sheriff Miller and Dr. Westcott of Fanwood, attended the banquet of the Lincoln Club in Elizabeth last night. Senator Voorhees and Mayor Gilbert spoke.

Mrs. Hildebrandt, nee Miss Mamie Moore, died at her home 432 East Eighty-ninth street, New York, yesterday. She was known here from having spent last summer with the family of Andrew Carney and singing in St. Joseph's fair. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moore.

The Newark Sunday Call states that a pleasing feature of the musicale held at the residence of H. VanSant, 329 North Seventh street, Roseville, February 7, was the very excellent piano playing of Miss Kittie Quinn, of Plainfield, a pupil of Miss Alice O. Smith. "Miss Quinn"—adds The Call—"possesses a well-trained hand, as was evidenced by her technique and expression. The pieces played were duets by Miss Smith and Miss Quinn and a solo, 'LaBelle Amazone,' by Miss Quinn".

—The Ladies' Aid Society of Trinity Reformed church desire through The Press to thank all who patronized their Rainbow Tea of last Thursday evening. The remaining cakes, aprons, etc., have since been disposed of to swell the amount realized, over all expenses, to be $105. The women deserve high compliment for the excellent management to secure so large a result.

A Judge Assaulted.

PARIS, Feb. [illegible] of the [illegible] police raids [illegible] was immediately sentenced to [illegible] months imprisonment. As the judge concluded, the prisoner, who had a large piece of bread in his hand, drew back his arm and threw the bread at the judge. The missile struck the judge on the nose. At the same moment Boisson shouted: "You are a crowd of pigs. We will blow you all up. Long live anarchy." The act of the prisoner created great excitement, many of those present thinking the piece of bread was a bomb.

Five Handsome Residences Burned.

TUCKAHOE, N. Y., Feb. 13.—Fire completely destroyed five of the handsomest residences in this place yesterday afternoon. They were owned and occupied by Amos Brown, Charles Wigant, Nathan Wigant, William Lloyd and George Corston, all New York business men. The loss is estimated at $35,000. Origin supposed to have been a defective flue in one of the houses.

2,000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from C. W. Mazon, Farina, Ills., says: "I consider your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have been in the drug business fourteen years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal satisfaction." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents.

SCRUB and WASH as you will, it is not easy to keep the hands smooth and white in winter time. In fact, the more you scrub and wash, the rougher seems the skin, and you find that the best of soap fails to whiten it. Now if, after washing, you will moisten your hands with LEMON JUICE AND GLYCERINE, the effect will be to soften and whiten the skin, even in the worst weather. Used by hundreds of the "best people" in Plainfield. Originated and sold only by H. P. REYNOLDS, Pharmacist, Park and North avenues.

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Will conduct Gospel Meetings at the First Baptist Church, (Rev D. J. Yerkes pastor), commencing
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12,
At 8 o'clock p. m.
Singing by the choir. Gospel Hymns No. 5 will be used at the meetings.
Bible readings will be held each day at 3:30 p. m. (Saturday excepted). 2 10 6

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Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

TO LET—Portion of furnished house to party who will board 3. Address V., care Press. 2 12 tf

TO LET—April 1, seven-room house; furnished; centrally located; improvements. Furnished, care Press. 2 12 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 301 Madison avenue.

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FOUND—Commutation ticket between Dunellen and Plainfield. Apply at this office

WANTED—Second-hand radiators for hot water heating Jones, care Press. 2 13 2

TO LET—Large house and barn, Front street and Clinton avenue, Evens, opposite station. Wm. McD Corliell. 2 13 6

FURNITURE at private sale, consisting of sofa chairs, 2 B. & W. bedroom suits dining extension table, fancy stove and table, kitchen utensils, parlor gas chandeliers, 3 clocks, student lamp, bed springs, at No. 1113 Putnam avenue after 2 p. m. 2 13 5

HOUSES to rent centrally located: 1 house 11 rooms, good condition, $20; 1 house 8 rooms, rent $12; 2 houses 7 rooms, rent $9; 1 house 8 rooms, rent $11. Apply 140 Park ave. 2 10 6-eod

FOR SALE—First quality lawn dressing. Apply to Evan Jones. 2 12 2

FOR SALE—100 loads best manure. Address A. B. Dudley, Netherwood post-office. 2 12 2

FOR SALE—New harness, hand-made, $15; Mexican saddle $5; can be seen at Mumford's steam carpet works; also natural wood carriage, two seats, $50. 2 10 3

$2 REWARD—Lost or strayed Friday, Feb. 9, a Gordon setter; address on his collar. The above reward will be paid for his return to F C. Harder, 832 Madison avenue. 2 10 tf

TO LOAN, on 1st mortgage $600 $1,200, $1,700, $3,000. Mulford, broker. 2 7 tf

WANTED—House, 5 or 6 rooms; centrally located; possession April 1. Address Z., care Press. 2 1 tf

TO LET—10 room house; modern improvements; 127 East 5th st. Apply Wm. H. Brower, 431 Watchung avenue. 1 31 tf

AN elegant brick and brown stone house for sale or exchange for Plainfield property, on Halsey street, Brooklyn. Edward Love, corner North and Watchung avenues. 12 30 tf

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At Fulper's, 207 West Front Street.
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At $3.99, were $5.50; at $8.50, were $12; at $11, were $16.25.
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One lot ladies' fast black cotton hose at 19c, were 25c; one lot ladies' wool hose at 17c., were 23c; one lot ladies' black cashmere hose at 21c., 29c., 40c., were 25c., 35c., 50c; one lot men's Scotch wool gloves at 39c., were 50c; one lot men's Scotch wool gloves at 29c., were 35c.
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WORK OF THE ORGANIZED AID.

Charity Council Consults Over What It Has Done and What *Is* in Prospect.

The Council of the Citizens Organized Aid Association met in the parlor of the Crescent Avenue Church last evening. Fifteen were present. President Tyler was chairman. The minutes of the meeting of January 2 were adopted, after being read by the secretary, Miss E. B. Leonard.

The minutes of the weekly meetings of the Executive Committee at the home of J. M. Whiton were offered as a report. The Committee had apparently discussed thoroughly many important questions brought up in carrying out the aims of the constitution. Mrs. Dexter Tiffany and Dr. W. H. Murray had been requested to investigate the providing of night lodging to wayfarers. Mrs. H. B. Opdyke had been appointed to consider the question of aiding drinking men. Dr. H. K. Carroll had been added to the District Committee. Changes had been made in the Employment Committee. Charles Place had been accepted as a representative of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. These, with other actions of the Executive Committee, were adopted without discussion.

The Treasurer reported:

Donations	$111.50
Local C. E. Union	11.32
Membership Fees	26.00
Received to Feb 1	$158.82
Total paid out	11.60
Balance on hand	$147.22

After the payment of all claims the association would probably have $25 left. The report was accepted and placed on file.

The Finance Committee reported that a careful estimate of the working expenses was $600 a year, as arrangements were at present.

The Printing Committee reported that they had had printed and distributed a prospectus of the society prepared by members of the Executive Committee. Cards of record had been issued and a number of copies of the constitution had been reprinted from the columns of The Press. Subscription blanks, other printing and stationery had cost $80. Several items had been paid for by individuals. From time to time the press of Plainfield had given more or less full accounts of meetings obtained by their own reporters, and had also printed communications on the subject. The report was received and ordered filed.

The Committee on Co-operation had communicated with twenty-seven charitable organizations. Twenty-two had replied stating their willingness to help, and five had not responded. A number of cases which had been ingestigated had not been recorded, as they would beg in no other way and their church standing was a guarantee of their worthiness. There were twenty-two circles of King's Daughters in Plainfield, and the committee thought that if their efforts were wisely directed their financial influence and their youthful enterprise would be of great service to the association.

The work of the agent had been facilitated by individuals who had furnished their private carriages two hour a month. The Daily Press had called the attention of the householders to the tickets issued. Complete distribution of these had not been effected.

The District Committee reported six meetings at which they had received reports from the agent and approved or disapproved of her action for the temporary relief of the destitute. The Relief Association had preferred to use their own visitor in cases referred to him. The cases brought before them numbered 115, disposed of as follows:

Relieved	45
Sent to Relief Association	41
Sent to churches	4
Assisted by City	5
Sent to King's Daughters	2
Aided by Loan	1
Received no aid	11
Assisted by others	3
Unworthy of Relief	3

Ninety-seven men were reported at work on the streets. Five had not used their cards. A number of cards had been issued by the Overseer of the Poor and others. Four visitors had been appointed and the committee had a list of sixty-one persons who were willing to act as such. The report was received and filed.

The Employment Committee had prepared lists of persons who needed aid, but it had not been in existence long enough to have a complete labor bureau ready.

For the special committee on lodgings, Mrs. Tiffany said that E. L. Bolce kept a twenty-five cent lodging house at the corner of West Third street and Central avenue and furnished meals at 20c. The custom of the Y. M. C. A. had been to deliver applicants to Mr. Bolce's care. Mr. Bolce usually took the boarders to Salvation Army meetings and afterwards to his home for lodging. A. D. Holmes had offered men work in his woodyard. Various phases of the use of these two places by the Association were discussed, among them safe escorting of a man from the house to the yard.

H. P. Reynolds having resigned as Chairman of the Printing Committee, I. C. Pierson was appointed in his place.

A vote of thanks was given to the local newspapers for their aid.

Mr. Reilly and Rev. Hobart Clark were appointed on the District Committee.

Eugene M. Cave was accepted as a representative of the Local Christian Endeavor Union. David Titsworth resigned as representative of the Seventh-Day Baptist Church, as did Miss Webster of the Hicksite Friends and Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson of the W. C. T. U. Mrs. George A. Hallock was elected to represent the Hicksites, Mrs. J. W. Yates for the W. C. T. U., and Charles Fisk in place of J. T. Clawson, resigned.

The Methodist and the Mt. Olive Baptist churches were requested to select representatives.

The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands can testify. Proper local treatment is positively necessary to success, but many, if not most, of the remedies in general use afford but temporary relief. A cure certainly cannot be expected from snuffs, powders, douches and washes. Ely's Cream Balm, which is so highly commended, is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power, with perfect safety and pleasantness to the patient. The druggists all sell it.

In an informal discussion a number of cases were brought up to show the character of the work and the difficulties which were met with. One matter that had caused much anxiety as to the proper course had been the applications for aid of unmarried men. At least twenty men without families, which were necessary to constitute a successful applicant under the present rules, were in the greatest distress.

One young man had asked for work twice and had been given four days work on the road to go toward the $27 he owed his landlady, although this action was not according to the rules.

A man sixty years old had applied and stated that he had a wife and three children and that he had been out of work for three months. He was put to work at once, but it was afterwards found that he had no one dependent upon him, and he was sent away. His board bill had run up to $110, and his landlady had not the heart to turn him outdoors.

President Tyler remarked that if everyone assisted the poor as much in proportion as the woman who gave $110 in board there would be little work for the Association.

The meeting was adjourned after further discussion.

THE QUESTION OF RENT.

What Is Said by Men in a Position to Know.

L. B. Woolston and Clarence J. Rice, two of the most active and liberal-spirited of Plainfield's real-estate men, told a Press representative today that they felt that rents in Plainfield were cheaper than in any other town they knew anything about, and that they were as low as property-owners could possibly afford to put them.

From their own knowledge they figured that the ordinary gross profit on rentals was 8 per cent., which insurance, taxes and repairs reduced to 5½.

Mr. Woolston said that property renting for $30 a month cost, as a rule, $4,500, and Mr. Rice stated that from the $8,500 brick double house he put up on East Second street he got an income of only $55 a month.

Both agreed that the talk about rents being high was unjust and injurious to Plainfield's reputation. Their experience was that most tenants were satisfied with what they had to pay, and that dissatisfied tenants were those who wanted too much for their money.

Real estate has never—they added—been more active in Plainfield than at present.—Houses are renting rapidly, and everything will be taken by moving day.

They desire to disabuse the minds of the people from the impression that the property-owners are making any more than a legitimate rate of interest on their investments.

A real-estate broker who desired not to have his name quoted said that he knew most of the facts quoted in the The Press of yesterday to be true. He said the trouble lay with some of the landlords who were too grasping, but that the too-high rent was not a general evil, as some desirable property could be rented for a very reasonable figure. He held that if Plainfield had of the right type of houses for people of moderate income enough to supply the demand they would all be rented at a fair profit on honest terms. The trouble is—he said—that such houses are scarce and that owners are able to get whatever they choose to demand. He thought that during the year many new houses of this class would be built.

Struggling Rivals in a Row.

The Plainfield Sunday Call is a "ready-print" journal, printed by a newspaper union which keeps the miscellaneous type standing for a syndicate of such papers, filling in two columns with local matter. The Call is four weeks old. It was not well received by the Plainfield Courier, and in reply to that paper's attacks says:

We extend thanks to our esteemed local contemporaries for their cordial welcome to the Plainfield Call. As "silence is golden", it appears that from all but one we have won golden opinions, and this one, the Plainfield Courier, gets upon its hind legs long enough to bray, in a double-leaded tone of voice, its dissatisfaction with the manner in which our paper is made up. This is interesting, but not surprising. The history of modern journalism is replete with instances of the mutual love that exists not between rival local editors. If Editor Runyon would devote less time to sneering at reputable newspapers and more to giving the residents of Plainfield a decent, readable paper, everybody would be benefited by the transaction, and Runyon himself would have less cause to regret that an extraordinary city clerkship career made it desirable for him to prostitute the fair field of journalism in an effort to earn a livelihood.

America's Great Tragedian.

Thomas W. Keene, who will appear as Richard III in Music Hall Thursday night, is the last of the great American tragic actors now before the public, Barrett, McCullough and Booth having passed over to the great majority. Mr. Keene is now the only representative on this side of the water whose portrayals of Richelieu, Hamlet, Louis XI, Shylock, Richard III and Macbeth have met with popular approval.

Fined and Robbed.

John and Kate Hickory were brought before the Court at Westfield Saturday evening. The charge against them was drunkenness and disorderly conduct. Philip Weep was complainant. They were fined the costs of court and discharged with a warning of heavier punishment if brought up again. When the couple returned home they found that during their attendance at court some one had entered their chicken coop and stolen all their fowls.

How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

West & Truax, wholesale druggists, Toledo, O.

Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, wholesale druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. a bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

SETTLING LABOR TROUBLES.

Work Done by the State Board of Arbitration—How the Great Lehigh Strike Could Have Been Avoided.

The State Board of Mediation and Arbitration have completed their annual report, and in it they give an account of the many labor difficulties which they adjusted since the board came into existence, starting with the trouble in the Russian Refuge Colony at Woodbine, where 200 cloakmakers, employed by Messrs. Meyer, Jonasson & Co., went on strike because they had been most unjustly and inhumanly treated, and which they adjusted. They give an account of the following troubles:

The sixty coopers employed by the Standard Oil Company at Bayonne who struck, the silk winders at Paterson, silk weavers at Paterson, shirtmakers at Freehold, linemen of New York and New Jersey Telephone Company and electric motormen at Paterson, stonecutters at Hoboken.

The board, in discussing briefly the strike on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, said:

"In December, 1893, the great Lehigh Valley strike took place. It embraced all classes of employes and extended over the entire line, affecting the interests of the people of three States and the destruction of much property, also seriously inconveniencing the public generally. Had it continued the result is hard to conjecture. This strike was happily ended by the united efforts of the Boards of Arbitration of New Jersey and New York to co-operate with them in the endeavor to effect a settlement. It occurred so recently that the public is fully informed of the whole subject, and therefore it is unnecessary to make further allusion to it here than to simply draw attention anew to the subject. The cost of the strike to the Lehigh Valley Railroad, as reported officially to the board of directors, was nearly one million dollars. The loss to the strikers and tradesmen reached into the thousands, all of which could have been saved if the matter had been submitted to the Board of Arbitration prior to the strike."

JERSEY MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES.

Statistics Which Show Both Are on the Increase in this State.

The vital statistics of the State for 1893, which have just been made public, give the number of people married during the year as 17,188, many of whom crossed the Delaware River from Pennsylvania. The marriages in the State in 1885 were about 12,000, with only 2,799 to the credit of Camden. This was before the enactment of the marriage law in Pennsylvania. In 1857 the Camden marriages were 4,912, and in 1888 the number amounted to 5,140, with a total in the State of 16,025. In 1889 the Camden marriages were 4,055, with 15,726 in the State. In 1890 they increased to 4,821, with 15,554 in the State, and in 1892 the number was 4,495, with 16,082 in the State, proving that about 50 per cent. of the Camden marriages are of Philadelphia people.

The number of divorces granted in the State has increased greatly. The average per year ten years ago was only 180, and in 1878 the number granted was only 144. The number of cases now docketed in the Court of Chancery is about 1,500.

BY THE WAY.

—The Camera Club showed slides made by Orange amateurs, last evening.

—Grace P. E. Church will begin, next Sunday, the publication of a monthly journal of the parish.

—Rev. J. W. Richardson asked Sunday morning for $1,300 to cover the current expenses of the coming year. In 10 minutes $800 was subscribed, and a number of the liberal givers of the church were absent.

—Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., will meet tonight.

—The date of the next Choral concert has been changed from March 8 to March 15.

—The Grocers Protective Association held no meeting last evening, a quorum not being present.

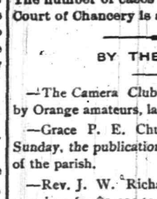
—David Bodine and John Goodwin are taking the voters census in North Plainfield today, preparatory to the next election.

—The better to accommodate those who are to go on A. V. D. Honeyman's Florida Tour, it is postponed until Monday next, when he will personally conduct it.

—An enormous stock of wall-paper and picture mouldings is being shown in the establishment of Woolston & Buckle on North avenue. The paper includes patterns and styles enough to make it possible to suit everyone, and the prices have been cut down so that the money question does n't interfere very much with selection.

—A very interesting programme was given by the Loyal Temperance Legion in the W. C. T. U. room last evening. The programme included recitations, choruses by the school, piano soloes, tambourine drill, readings by Miss Etta Raybert and a camp scene by the boys. "Grandma at the Masquerade", by Miss Lillian Hope, was very pretty. Miss Addie Winter is the efficient superintendent of the Legion.

COUGHED DAY AND NIGHT.



MRS. L. F. COATES.

Three years ago, I was so sick I could not eat, sleep or walk, for I coughed all day and night, my weight was reduced from 150 to 127 pounds. I slept four hours at one time, was afraid I had taken three doses of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. The offensive matter expectorated grew less every day and when I had taken the whole of one bottle I could sleep all night without coughing, and have been well ever since and weigh 178 pounds.

Mrs. LOUISE F. COATES, Blythebourne, Kings Co., N.Y.

PIERCE Guarantees a CURE

OR MONEY RETURNED.

In Severe Coughs, Bronchial, Throat and Lung Diseases, Asthma, Scrofula in every form, and even the Scrofulous affection of the lungs that's called Consumption, in all its earlier stages, the "Discovery" CURES.

JUST A SCRIMMAGE!

There are many lively scenes in Our New Serial—naturally enough, too, for it deals with

MUNICIPAL POLITICS

the plots of a wily Brooklyn politician and the counterplots of an alert journalist.

Oh, there is lots of fun and excitement in

A Fight For Millions

ARE YOU READING IT?
TURN TO PAGE 4.

$6,000 FOR 85 LBS. OF COPPER.

A Wealthy Old Woman Comes East to Sell Her Supposed Gold.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 13.—Mrs. Harriet Morrison, of Jackson, Mich., a wealthy widow of 74 years, accompanied by Chas. Helling, the husband of her adopted daughter, and Dr. Blanchard, the family physician, presented themselves at the United States mint yesterday with two heavy bars of metal, which they supposed to be gold and worth $30,000. The men carried the metal, which weighed 85 pounds, in a grip and the trio announced "they had gold bullion to sell." The mint attaches made an assay of the metal and discovered that the metal was nothing more than a low grade of copper and zinc and worth but eight cents per pound.

Thirteen years ago Mrs. Morrison advanced $6,000 to a nephew and recently a stranger came to her with the two cupola-shaped bars which, he said, were mined by her nephew in British Columbia and were worth $30,000 and which the nephew wanted to give her as security for an additional loan. Mrs. Morrison paid the intermediary $6,000 and then the trio named above started east to sell the "gold." The old lady is greatly grieved over the swindle.

Malfeasance Charged.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 13.—Charges of malfeasance have been made against John P. Eberhardt, president, and William Springer, secretary of the Window Glass Workers' association, the wealthiest labor union in existence. The charges are based on the alleged failure of the accused to properly itemize accounts of funds placed in their hands to be expended for the benefit of the association. The accused are now on trial before a court of district assembly K. of L. The prosecutors are the auditing committee.

DREXEL HAS THE LEDGER.

Announcement of the Successor of George W. Childs.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 13.—The Ledger in its editorial columns says: "The Public Ledger, founded in 1836, and of which George W. Childs was editor and proprietor from Dec. 3, 1864, to Feb. 3, 1894, passes, by reason of his so universally lamented death, and in consonance with an agreement entered into during the life time of each by Mr. Childs and his friend and partner, Anthony J. Drexel, under the absolute ownership of the Drexel estate, and the editorial and business management of George W. Childs Drexel, whose name appears at the head of this column as editor and publisher. The formal announcement of this complete change of proprietorship and direction of the Public Ledger makes necessary the statement that it involves no change in the character of this journal, as its character was created and maintained by that wise, just man, who for 30 years of unremitting energy and sagacity wrought in high principles, good conscience and unselfish public spirit to render the Public Ledger worthy the confidence, respect and support of popular intelligence and virtue. That Mr. Childs succeeded in doing this is testified to by the extraordinarily long continued and existing prosperity of the Ledger, the general esteem in which it is held, the wholesome influence it exerts, and the respect entertained for it by its contemporaries."

A neglected cold often terminates in consumption. Take Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup in time, and forestall the disease.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY.—"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 5 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75c. Sold by H. P. Reynolds, druggist, Plainfield. 12 6 3m

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. It is insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure For sale by L. W. Randolph. 21 West Front street. Price $1.00

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by I. W. Randolph 21 West Front street. Price $1

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

TO DUSTY ARCHIVES

Precious Parchment Withdrawn from Public View.

Efforts to Preserve the Original Copy of the Declaration of Independence—The Text Rapidly Fading and the Paper Deteriorating—A Fac Simile to Be Substituted.

WASHINGTON Feb. 13.—The original copy of the declaration of independence has been withdrawn from public exhibition in the state department library, made into a roll and placed in a tin box for filing with the archives of the government. The rapid fading of the text of the declaration and the deterioration of the parchment on which it is engrossed from exposure to light on account of age rendered it impracticable for the department to allow it to be exhibited or handled longer. In lieu of the original a fac simile will be placed on exhibition.

Some years ago it was noticed that the ink on the original parchment was fading and it has been gradually growing fainter. Recently chemists were called on to examine it and they gave the opinion that the full strength of the ink could be brought out by coating it with a chemical solution. But this experiment was not tried owing to the fear that the precious paper might be injured in some way, and because no alteration or anything whatever could be done to it without the authority of an act of congress. It required an act of congress to bring the declaration from Philadelphia to Washington.

HAWAIIAN CORRESPONDENCE.

Willis Gives No Reason for Declining to Attend the Celebration.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The president sent to congress yesterday another chapter in the Hawaiian matter. This latter batch consists of copies of two letters, one from Secretary Gresham to Minister Willis, setting forth an account of his interview with Minister Thurston when he called to ask if the United States would use force to put the queen on the throne, and the other from Minister Willis to Secretary Gresham giving an account of his declination of the invitation to attend the celebration of the establishment of provisional government. In his letter to Mr. Willis Mr. Gresham says Thurston called upon him in the morning and asked if force would be used, and he (Gresham) declined to answer until afternoon, when he asked Thurston to return. Meanwhile Mr. Gresham called upon the president, and in the afternoon, in response to Mr. Thurston's inquiries told him it was not the intention to use force nor do anything to injure the provisional government or the people; that if injury came to them it would be through their own acts. Mr. Willis, it appears, gives no reason for declining the invitatation sent him.

BUSINESS GOOD AT WORCESTER

All the Cotton and Nearly All Woolen Mills Running.

WORCESTER, Mass., Feb. 13.—Business is picking up in the cotton and woolen mills of Worcester county. Last September 462 sets of woolen machinery were idle in the county. These, when running, gave employment to 10,000 operatives, whose monthly wages aggregate $400,000. Now every cotton mill in the county is running, and only 154 sets of woolen machinery are idle and about 3,000 hands are now out of work. This shows that about 70 per cent. of the operatives who were idle in September now have employment. Some of the mills are running full time with a full complement of help, others full time on part machinery, and still others part time with all machinery. The manufacturers say that there is some demand for goods, but the buyers insist on low prices. They say goods must be produced for less money and that means another cut down in wages.

New Jersey Legislature.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 13.—The legislature transacted no business last night, giving the time to a celebration of Lincoln's birthday. Outside a blizzard raged, but within the capitol all who braved the storm found a scene of comfort and brilliancy. The assembly chamber was white with electric light, flags, bunting, evergreens, and portraits of Washington and Lincoln were used in profusion. In the men's gallery a band played patriotic airs. Mr. Parker the first speaker first eulogized Lincoln eloquently, then alluded to anarchism and boss sm in general terms and finally launched into a discussion of the trouble between the democrats and republicans in the state senate.

Mr. Wilson's Condition Improved.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 13.—Congressman W. L. Wilson, chairman of the house ways and means committee, who is lying ill at the Coates house here, is closely confined to his room, but is somewhat better this morning and expects to resume his journey to Mexico Thursday. His condition is not regarded as serious.

A RETIRED BUSINESS WOMAN.

A Page From Her History.

The important experiences of others are interesting. The following is no exception: "I had been troubled with heart disease 25 years, much of that time very seriously. For five years I was treated by one physician continuously. I was in business, but obliged to retire on account of my health. A physician told my friends that I could not live a month. My feet and limbs were badly swollen, and I was indeed in a serious condition when a gentleman directed my attention to Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, and said that his sister, who had been afflicted with heart disease, had been cured by the remedy, and was again a strong, healthy woman. I purchased a bottle of the Heart Cure, and in less than an hour after taking the first dose I could feel a decided improvement in the circulation of my blood. When I had taken three doses I could move my ankles, something I had not done for months, and my limbs had been swollen so long that they seemed almost putrified. Before I had taken one bottle of the New Heart Cure the swelling had all gone down; and I was so much better that I did my own work. On my recommendation six others are taking this valuable remedy."—Mrs. Morgan, 269 W. Harrison St., Chicago, Ill.

Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, a discovery of an eminent specialist in heart disease, is sold by all druggists on a positive guarantee, or sent by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind., on receipt of price, $1 per bottle, six bottles for $5, express prepaid. It is positively free from all opiates or dangerous drugs.

Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North Avenue, opp. station.

IN SENATE AND HOUSE

Peckham's Case Probably Hopeless Now.

To Be Called Up for Consideration Again Thursday—Mr. Gray to Finish His Hawaiian Speech To-day—House Passes the Urgency Deficiency Bill—Silver Talk Interrupted.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Senator Gray (dem., Del.), a member of the committee on foreign relations, discussed the Hawaiian question yesterday for three hours and without concluding his speech, yielded for a motion to proceed to executive business. He is to finish his speech to-day and is to be followed (if the "unfinished business" be not pressed) by Mr. Daniel (dem., Va.) and Mr. White (dem., Cal.). Mr. Gray treated the question largely as one of international morality, and declared that a treaty of annexation with the provisional government of Hawaii would be inconsistent with the honor and dignity of the United States and would be in violation of the plainest obligations of international morality as well as of the settled practice and traditions of the government of the United States. Notices of a substitute to be offered to the Wilson tariff bill was given by Mr. Gallinger (rep., N. H.), the substitute being a declaration that, in view of the wide-spread industrial depression, it is unwise to attempt any change in the tariff laws.

At the executive session the nomination of Mr. Peckham was discussed with considerable animation for some time, and an additional number of letters were read. The votes against Mr. Peckham were Messrs. Pugh, Hill, Teller, Coke, and Wilson. Those for him were Messrs. Vilas, Lindsay, Mitchell (Oregon), Platt and George. Either side could have secured a postponement, but Mr. Hill was favorable to the report without recommendation. Mr. Hoar, who was absent, it was positively stated by one of the committee, would have voted in the negative, so that the opponents of Mr. Peckham look upon the result as practically a rejection. Mr. Hill expressed himself as satisfied with the result, and believes the nominee will share the fate of Mr. Hornblower. The nomination will again be considered Thursday next.

House of Representatives.

Consideration of the Bland seigniorage bill in the house was deferred until to-day and the committee on the District of Columbia had the right of way for the disposition of local measures. The urgency deficiency bill, carrying $398,958, was passed. Among the items appropriated by the bill are $50,000 to aid in carrying into effect the provisions of the Chinese exclusion act, $11,958 to repair Ford's theatre and $50,000 to be expended by the secretary of the navy in repairing the gunboats Castine and Machias. A special order for eulogies upon the late Senator Stanford, of California, was taken up, and after a number of addresses, the house adjourned as a further mark of respect.

Sealed Proposals

Will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the city of Plainfield, No. 109 Park avenue, until 6 o'clock p. m. of the twenty-seventh day of February, 1894, for furnishing and laying all the curbs required by the city of Plainfield during the remainder of the year 1894.

Specifications for said work may be procured at the office of the Street Commissioner.

The right to reject any or all bids is herewith reserved.

Sealed Proposals

Will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the city of Plainfield, No. 109 Park avenue, until 6 o'clock p. m. of the twenty seventh day of February, 1894, for furnishing crushed stone to the city of Plainfield for the remainder of the year 1894.

The bids to state the prices for furnishing the following sizes, viz.: "Dust" No. 1 or one inch; No. 2 or one and one-half inch, and No. 3 or two and one-half inch, in such quantities and at such places as the Street Commissioner may direct.

The stone must be of the best quality of trap-rock, free from dirt, clay or other foreign matter, and in every way acceptable to the said Street Commissioner.

The stone must be weighed on such scales as the Street Committee may direct and a voucher or weigh-bill must be delivered with every load, to the said Street Commissioner or his authorized representative.

The right to reject any or all bids is herewith reserved.

Sealed Proposals

Will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the city of Plainfield, No. 109 Park avenue, until 6 o'clock p. m. of the twenty-seventh day of February, 1894, for the macadamizing of Grant avenue from West Front street to West Fourth st.

Specifications for said work may be procured at the office of the Street Commissioner.

The right to reject any or all bids is herewith reserved.

J. T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

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CLAIRVOYANT.

MRS. DR. EDWARDS,

The most celebrated Clairvoyant in the world, has arrived Thursday, Feb. 8, and will remain one week only, until Thursday, Feb. 15. Call as once at the

CITY HOTEL, ROOM 2, ONE FLIGHT UP.

See sign upstairs. Office hours 9 to 9.

Ladies 50c. to $1. Gentlemen $1.

The lady wishes to state that she stopped here by urgent request on her way west, and it is positively your last opportunity to see her. Call at once and consult the most gifted medium on earth. 295

Madam Iza Lezem's School of Dancing

Every Friday from 8 to 10:30 p. m. for ladies and gentlemen; every Tuesday from 4 to 5:30 for children in Hulett's Hall. Private lessons any hour; all the latest dances; Two Step, Columbia Lancers, Kaiser William's New Court Dance, etc., Waltzes a specialty. Carnivals, Kirmesses, Cotillions, Fancy Dances, etc. Address 339 Park avenue or Hall. Send for circulars.

E. M. TOMLINSON,

STATIONERY

—AND—

CONFECTIONERY.

325 Watchung Ave., Plainfield, N. J.

DEL MARVIA FARMS DAIRY,

327 Watchung avenue.

Prices down on butter.

Philadelphia sweet cream 32c. Fine Dairy 25 and 28c.

Thomas McBride,

THE BAKER,

41 Somerset Street.

Everything usually found in a first-class bakery. Also choice candies. 1 5 tf

Notice to the Public

Having transferred our lumber and coal business to Curtis M. Thorpe & DeWitt C. Irving we request our patrons to make as early settlement as possible of outstanding accounts, and notice that we shall continue our office at 205-215 Watchung avenue for the convenience of our patrons. Soliciting for our successor a continuance of favors, we thank the public for its patronage of the past.

1 5 tf LOOMIS & RICH.

You Want the BEST.

HUCKINS SOUPS

They Have No Equal.

Highest Award. Gold medal and diploma at Wold's Fair.

Geo. W. Rockfellow,

THE GROCER, Park ave. & 4th st. 1 27 tf

Watchung Park Property.

Handsomely Situated

BUILDING LOTS

NOW OFFERED FOR SALE.

THIS PROPERTY is in the heart of the recently opened residence section of the city, being within a few minutes walk of the Central railroad station.

THE NEW WATCHUNG PARK, with its new streets and avenues, will be among the handsomest residence sections in this pretty suburban place.

ONLY HIGH GRADE RESIDENCES will be erected. The neighborhood will be restricted, making it as desirable as any in Plainfield.

ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS will be in force by early spring. The work of macadamizing the streets is now being pushed rapidly.

ELECTRIC CARS PASS the property. Electric lights, gas and city water will be introduced as soon in the spring as they are needed.

SCORES OF BEAUTIFUL HOUSES now fronting on Sandford and Westervelt avenues have been located on the old Crescent ball field.

JUST AS PROPERTY VALUES jumped in Sandford and Westervelt avenues, so will they also increase rapidly in Watchung Park. Those who buy now will reap the benefit of an early investment.

THE LOTS are about 50x150 feet in size and the map of the property printed in these columns on Wednesdays and Saturdays will give the public necessary information as to their location.

For further information regarding prices and terms, large copies of the map, etc., address or call upon

A. D. THOMPSON,

12 19 6m—m t t 147 North avenue, opp. Railroad Station, Plainfield, N. J.

It's a Great Satisfaction

to know that you have an extra clothing outfit ready to put on at any time.

It's time to give a thought to Spring wear. Look over last season's things. Bring us the best of them and let us cleanse or color them now. We can take more time to it—probably give you a little better job than when we're rushed, as we always are in the Spring.

Hillier & Co. 175 North ave.

UPSIDE DOWN.

That is the way we have been turning our stock and prices this week. Next week we do the same. The crowds who daily throng our store know a good thing when they see it—know where a dollar will go the farthest.

This may interest you.

$2.29 is the price of 7 yards of dress goods, 5 yards of skirt lining and 2 yards of silesia. This is without an exception the best bargain in dress goods we have ever offered. Be sure and see 'em.

28c—On sale this week 500 rugs. Regular value 60c.

4½c—"Be you going to sell them ere ginghams for 4½c. next week?" asked a stranger from over the mountains. We told him yes and would also sell Fruit of the Loom, Dwight Anchor and Lonsdale muslin for 7c.

Embroideries—Our display of Hamburg embroideries we think, and every one who has seen them has said, is the finest ever brought to our town. There are five specials, 5c., 7c., 10c., 12c, and 15c.

Hosiery—Hermsdorf is the name of the man who dyes all our hosiery fast black. Do you know that we import all our hosiery direct from the makers and sell them at the same price that the other fellows have to pay for them? You just save 25 per cent. See what we offer for 10c., 12c., 15c., 20c. and 25c. per pair.

Housefurnishing Department improving all the time. Just now we are pushing our Golden Brown dinner ware, one of the prettiest decorations we have ever brought out. You can buy just as many pieces as you wish and it only costs a trifle more than plain white.

WHITE, of Plainfield.

LOTS ON THE INSTALLMENT PLAN.

J. F. MACDONALD

Has a few left over from his two auction sales

At Netherwood

There is no better time to build a house than now. Men want work; you can build cheaply and at the same time help others.

HATTER HALLOCK,

109 West Front Street,

Will be pleased to show you the latest styles in Hats, whether you wish to purchase or not.

International Fur Store,

114 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J.

FURS

REPAIRED, ALTERED AND STORED.

A FIGHT FOR MILLIONS.

By JOHN J. McGINNISS.

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CHAPTER IX.

RAYMOND KILLS MORTIMER OFFICIALLY.

And what had Francis Raymond been doing?

He returned home the day after he had received word that the Mortimers had gone to Denver. His plot was progressing favorably, his mind was eased of worriment, and his step had an elasticity that distinguished him among the pedestrians who rushed by the public buildings in the forenoon.

It was Raymond's rule, as it is with other political leaders less cautious even than he, to exact from every appointee a resignation with a blank date. When that official gets refractory, the date is filled out on his resignation and sent in by the leader to the proper officer. With it goes a recommendation of another man for the office. This is an appointment practically. It only requires the form of an announcement through the legitimate authority, who acknowledges, without protest or murmur, the power behind the throne.

Raymond held Mortimer's resignation. The time had arrived to use it.

He walked into the office of the registrar of arrears. The deputy, now acting registrar, was effusive in his greetings. Raymond smiled significantly at the deputy, who followed him into the private office, where Raymond acted as if it was his own. He sat down at the desk, pulled out his wallet and extracted Mortimer's resignation. He unfolded it on the desk, took a pen out of the rack backing the inkstand and filled in the date. On the back of one of his own cards he made a memorandum, "E. R. Black to succeed Philip Mortimer." He inclosed the resignation and the card in an envelope and addressed it to the mayor.

"Here, Black," handing the deputy the letter, "send that over by special messenger. You are the new registrar of arrears. Tomorrow, when you receive the appointment from the mayor, I will suggest the man whom I would like you to name as your deputy."

A suggestion, but it meant a command! The deputy simply bowed assent. There was no sentiment in the matter. Each knew what was required of the other. Words were superfluous. They shook hands. It was the only expression of congratulation from the one, of thanks from the other. Black knew that tomorrow Raymond would name the deputy, and ere the official's appointment was handed over ask his own resignation for use in an emergency—that is, Raymond would ask it, if Black was so obtuse as not to save Raymond the trouble and himself abasement by having it ready when Raymond called.

The evening papers announced the promotion of Black. Politicians read the news and were surprised. What new deal was on? The people—the dear people—saw nothing in it calling for particular comment. One official stepped down and out, another assumed the duties of the position, advanced according to the exalted rules of civil service. The mayor was an aristocrat. He had wealth and social distinction. There could be no deals traced to any action of his, no degrading suppliance to any class of politicians.

So reasoned the people, if they pondered on the paragraph long enough to bring their minds into the byways of politics. Possibly not one out of a thousand of them knew that the glamour of public life had dazzled the mayor and that he carefully avoided running counter to the party machine over which his respectability was thrown. He was not committing political suicide. During his term he had signed but one resolution of the common council, that for the renovation of a contagious disease hospital during a smallpox scare. The popular outcry was for promptitude, and he was for popularity. Every other resolution passed he had permitted to become a law in the operation of time without his signature. That was a practice that enabled him to justify himself and to declare, if wrong or fraud were ever charged, that he had not sanctioned it. It was the practice of his predecessors, it is the policy of his successors, and will continue to prevail as long as there is a premium on hypocrisy and the people are quiescent.

"Black," said Raymond, after reading of the appointment in the first edition of the papers, for which he had waited at the office of the registrar, "I want you to hunt up the files in relation to the property assessed to George Leland. My memory is that the time in which it can be redeemed is about to expire. A friend of mine is interested—you understand? Hunt up the date and have it for me tomorrow."

"It expires on July 24 next. It is now April 13. Something over three months yet."

"How do you know?"

"I went over the books today."

"Why did you take particular notice of those blocks assessed to Leland? They extend into several wards, and you must have overhauled as many books."

"I did," in an apologetic tone. "I couldn't help it."

"Couldn't help it, man; explain yourself!" demanded Raymond, beginning to be nettled.

"You don't think I was inquisitive, Mr. Raymond, do you?" was the cringing query as his promotion appeared gliding beyond his reach. "Indeed I wasn't. It was Mangan of The Bugle who made me do it."

"Mangan!"

"Yes, you know him. That fellow who is always making a fuss in the city and county offices. I knew he was after something. I used every endeavor to put him out, threatened him with arrest, but he only laughed at me."

"And then?"

"Why, he said he would go over to the supreme court and get a mandamus; that it would make a fine story! The books were public property, he said, and he was going to examine them. It would avert a scandal to let him see them, and I handed them to him."

"That's it, eh? Well, you were wise, Black."

Black had been bent fawningly. He straightened, quick as a Jack-in-the-box when released, jumps up to the limit of the spiral spring that propels him. It was but for a moment. The cheeriness left his face, he doubled up as if his muscles had been contracted and he was in agony. But the pain was more mental than physical.

"I forgot to tell you," he whiningly said, "that Mangan knows who holds the certificates."

"The devil he does!"

"He insisted on looking over the private minutes of the office," continued Black. "I didn't know you were interested in that section of the city, it has been so recently annexed. He soon discovered in the minutes of the date of sale, as shown in the books, that you were the certificate holder. It couldn't be helped, sir; indeed, it couldn't!"

"Well, never mind, Black. There's nothing wrong in that. I have equal rights with other citizens to bid for the property."

"I told him so, sir."

"What did Mangan say?"

"He said you had the same rights, but the favors were more partially distributed."

"He did, eh?"

"Yes. He said that there was a big political ring in town that bought these lands for the taxes at auction sales surreptitiously held."

"Mangan didn't stop at that surely. Go on. I'm amused."

"Well, he declared he would break up the ring by publishing the enormity of its crime, and he had the impudence, sir, the great impudence, to ask me to convey his compliments to you and assure you that the rightful owner would redeem the Leland estates ere the time came that would make you the owner of millions you had bought for hundreds."

"That's a way he has to scare people into admissions," and Raymond smiled sardonically. "He doesn't know me evidently."

"He knows the law, though," interjected Black, "and will be cautious

"I forgot to tell you," he whiningly said.

about libel, as he said it was a pity you could not be indicted and sent to Sing Sing for these transactions."

"The scoundrel!"

"Why, scoundrel's no name, Mr. Raymond," said the deputy, with an indignation meant to impress his loyalty. "He's an infernal villain to offer such insults and interfere with matters that do not concern him!"

"Say, Black," queried Raymond, ignoring Black's criticism, "is Mangan going to print all this tomorrow? Did he say anything about that?"

"No. He intimated, however, that he had much more investigation to make."

"Why didn't you try to get rid of him by sending him over to the county register's office? I think this might have been better managed."

Raymond, for the first time in his life, was losing his self possession and growing nervous.

"I told him," Black replied, "that he would find the records of property owners in the county register's office, and he told me he had been there. He said he had seen the deed of conveyance to George Leland and that the books there would show no more until the city under the tax laws gave another deed of conveyance to—to"——

"To me?"

"He didn't put it that way."

"What way did he put it?"

"You will not be angry with me, sir, will you?"

"Of course not," was the impatient rejoinder. "You're not responsible for him. He's not responsible for himself."

"He said the next deed of conveyance would have a narrow escape from being filed by a thief."

"Thief!" echoed Raymond.

"Thief," repeated Black. "But, Mr. Raymond, the law is with you. Why, the property will be yours in three months' time. I wouldn't mind him."

"That's true," he replied.

He left his chair and walked up and down the office, apparently in bewilderment. Black did not know how to humor him and dared not interfere with the contemplations that vexed him. Suddenly Raymond stopped.

"Black," he ordered, "telephone for a cab. I want one here as soon as possible. Let there be no delay."

Black hurried off to do his master's bidding, for his master Raymond was.

"Now," said Raymond, in the self communing that gave relief from the strain of half suppressed emotion, "I will see Isabel this afternoon. She must consent to an early wedding. I will break Mangan's heart. Mother St. Gertrude herself must aid me, or before this session of the legislature closes I will repeal the laws exempting the buildings of her order from taxation. Religious people may be scrupulous, but they feel a blow at their financial standing no less keenly than others. This means thousands a year to her work. If the circumstances demand it, and if I put the screws on, she and Isabel must weaken. But there will be no necessity. Isabel has half consented and Mother St. Gertrude knows my influence too well to cast it aside for sentiment. She is too practical. Mangan cannot prove that Isabel is George Leland's daughter, if he has thought of it at all. I'll marry Isabel just to spite him and protect myself. By the gods, I will!"

The cab came rattling up in front of the municipal building, under the windows of the office of the registrar. Black announced its arrival. Raymond hastened out, and when the driver closed the door said:

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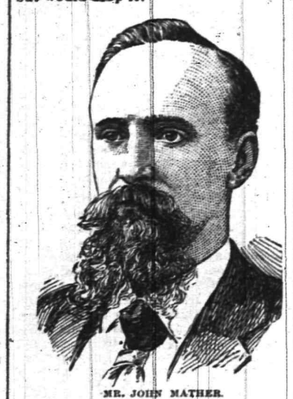

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 0 30, 9 10, 10 00, 11 00 a. m., 1 00, 2 00, 3 00, 4, 4 30, 5 00, 5 15, 6 00, 6 30, 7 00, 8, 9, 10, 11 00 p. m. Sundays, 4 30, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 00 P. M 12 15, 1 night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1 0 15, 4, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 a. m.
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Leave Somerville, 6, 8 30, 7 00, 7 35, 7 35, 7 45, 8 20, 9 05, 9 45, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 40, 2 05, 3 05, 4 25, 5 05, 6 35, 8 20, 9 45, 10 30 P. M. Sunday 8 25, 11 00 A. M., 12 05, 1 15, 5 05, 6 35, 8 05, 8 05, 9 40 P. M.
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Leave Plainfield 6 43, 8 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 43, 2 09, 3 05, 5 14, 6 28, 8 17 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 9 30 A. M. 2 05, 6 35, P. M.
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8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.
9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hantlocke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.
12 45 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.
2 09 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Bangor Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton.
5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.
5 14 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua. Buffet parlor car to Scranton.
6 20 P. M. for Flemington.
6 28 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.
8 17 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.
5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 26 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin Williamsport, &c., 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, High Bridge Branch, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 4, 38 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.
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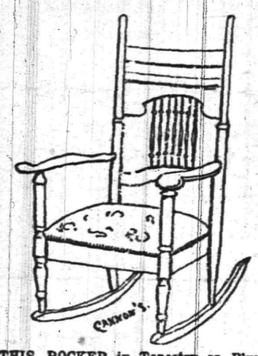

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I followed their advice and visited the doctor on May 5. How glad I am that I took this step no one can realize who has not been similiarly situated. The doctor gave me a complete history of my case, describing with surprising accuracy the conditions and symptoms which I had endured for years, but what gave me the greatest surprise and pleasure was when he assured me that there was no need of any surgical operation. Proper means, he said, would overcome my troubles without any surgery. I commenced at once to follow Dr. Starkweather's directions and treatment. Having gradually and steadily improved since that time, as he stated I would, until now I am the wonder of all my friends, while rejoicing in renewed health, strength and spirits. Am constrained by a sense of duty and gratitude to accord the praise due Dr. S. for his gentle, soothing and skillful treatment of my case, and advise all sufferers from whatever cause to consult this eminent physician. MRS. WM. R. MANSER.

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The 13 Entombed Miners Probably Doomed.

Buried Under 700 Feet of Coal and Rock—Work of Rescue Pushed Forward With Little Chance of Success—The Cave-in Extending, Now Effects the Central Portion of the Town of Plymouth—The Unfortunate Men Warned of Their Danger—All the Men Married and With Families, Except Two.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Feb. 14.—Every effort is being made to rescue the thirteen men imprisoned by the fall of the roof in the Gaylord mine of the Kingston Coal company at Plymouth yesterday, but it is feared that the fate of the unfortunate men is doomed, and that there will be at least eleven widows and many orphans to suffer the loss of their only support.

A number of mine foremen and their assistants, led by John B. Davis, superintendent of Gaylord workings, after a survey of the mine, reported that all the outlets in the mine are closed, also the rock tunnel and all the entrances. The cave-in is now reported to have taken place in what is known as the five-foot, seven-foot and Bennett veins, and covers an area of about a mile, it having extended 1, and effects the central portion of the town of Plymouth. A few cracks can be seen on the surface, but this has not become seriously affected as yet.

The rescuing party were obliged to retreat on account of the further caving-in of the mine. The crashing of the immense rocks as they come down, the rolling and rumbling of the many falls and the rush and roar of the wind by the concussion, forced the men to retreat to the surface. Men of all classes who are familiar with mine working are at the scene of the disaster and ready to do anything to assist in rescuing the entombed timbermen if such is possible.

The mules were taken from the shaft as the cave-in was extending close to the foot. Should the shaft be closed in any time all hope of rescuing the men will have to be abandoned for an indefinite time.

The timbermen who went into the mine, and who are now imprisoned in there, were warned that there was danger ahead, but they were of the opinion that the danger was not sufficient for them to stay out. They said, however, to the hoisting engineer as they went down the pit, that should anything occur "you will find us in the big branch in the Bennett vein." This, however, is also closed, and there is no way to reach them.

The scene about the mine is heartrending.

The officials are hard at work devising plans or means of rescue, but in order to get the men they will have to penetrate through hundreds of feet of coal and rock. It is thought by the superintendent and other officials that the men are on the big plane in the Bennett vein, which is about 700 feet from the foot of the shaft.

All the men were married except Thomas Leyshon, who is a single man, and Daniel Morgan, who is a widower.

The Greater New York Bill.

ALBANY, Feb. 14.—The senate cities committee will report favorably Senator Reynolds' bill providing for the submission to the people of the question of the consolidation of New York city and Brooklyn, so amended as to include Long Island City, and to submit also the question of equalizing taxation. This is the Brooklyn Consolidation League's bill and was opposed by the minority of the committee which favored Senator Cantor's bill drawn by the greater New York commission. Assemblyman Butts' greater New York bill which has passed the assembly is in the senate cities committee.

Pirate Sloop Sarah Breaking Up.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Feb. 14.—The pirate sloop Sarah is fast breaking up on the rocks at Milton's point. A quantity of the stolen goods found in the possession of the thieving pirates has been identified by Louis E. Smith, of Fort Delonga, as part of the property stolen from his store. Robert O'Hearn, who is now in jail here, will be taken to Northport to answer to the charge of robbing Smith's store.

Has Riker Given Up His Claim?

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—C. L. Riker of Chicago has not filed his amended petition in the circuit court of the district, asking for a writ of mandamus to compel the secretary of the treasury to turn over to him the $50,000,000 of bonds, nor has his counsel appeared for him. Who his legal representatives are is unknown, and Mr. Riker absolutely declines to make their identity public.

Death of John Baird.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 14.—John Baird, aged 73 years, who was a member of the building committee of the centennial board of finance, and who was actively connected with the exposition, is dead. Mr. Baird was prominently connected with various local industrial and financial institutions.

Charleroi Glass Troubles Settled.

CHARLEROI, Pa., Feb. 14.—The suits entered by the Charleroi Plate Glass company against six of its employes for riot, etc., and the counter charges by the men have been amicably adjusted. Indications point to an early resumption of work at the glass plant.

River Coal Miners' Troubles.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 14.—The river coal operators and miners are again at loggerheads on the wage question, and another general strike in the Monongahela valley is believed to be imminent.

Ordered to Honolulu.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—A formal order directing Commodore Kirkland to proceed to Honolulu by the steamer Australia, leaving San Francisco Feb. 17, has been issued by the navy department.

To Close Down for Repairs.

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Feb. 14.—The Alice rubber mill owned by the United States Rubber company, employing 1,500 hands, will shut down Saturday for repairs.

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BOSTON, Feb. 14.—Paul Jones, who left the Press club a 2 a. m. Tuesday, on a wager that he would begin naked, and without a cent, make a trip around the world and return within two years with $5,000, earned during that time, and without begging, borrowing or stealing, came down stairs at the Boston tavern at about 11 in the morning. He was arrayed in a drab blanket, which cost $1.25. It had been cut into the semblance of a suit of clothes and had trousers and a blouse. With this, a pair of socks and a pair of overshoes, leased from a member of the Press club, he perambulated down Washington street to a clothing house. He accepted an offer for his paper suit, which he made in a Mother Hubbard gown from manilla paper, purchased with money which he earned at the Press club by giving recitations, and which he donned and wore to the tavern, and bought a "Scotch" suit for $5, a cheap chiviot shirt for less than a dollar and some 50 cent underwear and cheaper shoes and hat. He secured a place as salesman in a large clothing store, appearing in his blanket suit. He waited on table at the Boylston cafe, getting $1 and his luncheon. The crowd surged and the tips came plentifully. Men paid 50 cents each to shake hands with the going traveler. He got more than $4 out of the 40 minutes at the restaurant.

He goes first to New York, where he hopes to get an engagement as Bettina in B. F. Keith's "Mascot" at the Union Square theatre. From New York he will work his passage to London.

Fulford in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 14.—Robert Fulford, husband of the late well-known actress Annie Pixley, is in the city to make arrangements with his lawyers to have his wife's will offered for probate. Mr. Fulford had nothing to add to the statements he has already made in refutation of the charges brought against him by the family of his late wife. He says that when they make specific charges against or take legal action to prevent him from inheriting the property left by his wife he will then answer them. Mr. Fulford did say in explanation of the charge that he influenced his wife to put her property in his name that it always has been in his name and never was in hers.

Rescued from the Rigging.

SCITUATE, Mass., Feb. 14.—Capt. St. John and seven members of the crew of the three-master Minnie Rowan, which went ashore Monday morning off First cliff point, were safely landed, after being in the rigging 18 hours, by the life-saving crew of the Fourth cliff. They were badly frost-bitten and terribly exhausted after their experience. Four separate attempts at rescue were made, but until the last all proved unsuccessful, the high seas and wind baffling the heroic efforts of the life-savers.

New England Affairs.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—John I. Waterbury and Henry W. Cannon, of New York, and T. Jefferson Coolidge, of Boston, have been appointed a committee to formulate and carry out a plan for the reorganization of the New York & New England railroad. It is estimated that $8,000,000 will be required to pay off the floating debt and provide for other expenses. No more bonds can be issued, and the money will have to be raised by an assessment of something like $15 a share on the stock.

No Wreckage Ashore at Sandy Hook.

SANDY HOOK, N. J., Feb. 14.—Surfman No. 1, of the Sandy Hook life-saving station found a 16 foot, flat-bottom boat on the beach, about one mile from the Marine observatory. It is thought that the boat, which is in good condition, had broken from its moorings or been washed off the beach somewhere on Long Island or Staten Island. This is the only wreckage that has come ashore after the late gale.

An Encouraging Prediction.

FALL RIVER, Feb. 14.—Secretary Howard, of the spinners union, expresses his belief that there will be no further cut down or shut down in local mills.

Mine Rioters' Trial.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 14.—The trial of the Mansfield rioters is dragging wearily along.

Local Weather Forecast.

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The George-Woodbull Case Ended at Last.

Less Than $200 of the $20,000 Left By the Eccentric George Bowners to the Single Tax Advocate Remains When the Litigation Closes—Mrs. Bowner Dies in an Alms House.

CAMDEN, N. J., Feb. 14.—The case of Henry George against John T. Woodbull, in the Camden civil courts, has at last been settled, Lawyer Woodbull paying over less than $200 to Mr. George's lawyers.

Henry George, the plaintiff, is the well-known single tax advocate and the author of the book "Progress and Poverty." Some years ago George Bowners, an eccentric old resident of Ancora, Camden county, died, leaving about $18,000 or $20,000, the greater part of which he willed to Mr. George for the dissemination of his book. The western relatives of the deceased man objected to the money going for such a purpose, and went into the court of chancery to prevent the bequest, claiming that as the book to be thus disseminated struck at existing law, the money could not be devoted to that purpose. Vice Chancellor Bird decided in favor of the opponents of Henry George, but the latter carried the case to the court of last resort where the decision was reversed. In the meantime the original fortune of $20,000 was reduced by court and counsel fees to less than half that amount. Then other tedious litigation arose, which further shrunk the sum to a few hundreds, until finally it reached the Camden circuit court with but $200 left.

The widow of the man who left George the money, not being able to obtain even her dower, was obliged to go to the county almshouse, where she died of a broken heart some months ago.

During the progress of the litigation Mr. George offered to let the widow have a generous amount of the legacy, but the other heirs were unwilling to agree to such a charitable use of any portion of the money.

The Brunswick Succession Question.

BERLIN, Feb. 14.—The Hanover Tageblatt says that Emperor William and the Duke of Cumberland have agreed upon terms settling the question of the Brunswick succession. The duke of Cumberland resigns all his rights to the succession in favor of his eldest son, George Ludwig, who, beginning immediately after Easter, will study at Dresden. Later he will serve in the Prussian army, and upon coming of age he will succeed to the title of Duke of Brunswick, first renouncing all claims to the throne of Hanover.

Implicates Prominent People.

LIGONIER, Pa., Feb. 14.—John McClune, in jail at Greensburg awaiting sentence on two charges of burglary, to which he has pleaded guilty, has made a confession, which is sworn to, implicating people prominent in this community and the entire Ligonier valley from the Cambria line away back into the Somerset mountains is trembling with surprise. Sentiment is divided on the reliability of the burglar's sensational charges.

Blast Furnaces to Resume.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 14.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of James P. Witherow & Co., operating blast furnaces at Newcastle, Pa., and having other valuable iron and steel interests, the directory reported that on Monday last the affairs of the assignee were wound up and a final settlement made with him. The Newcastle plant will resume operations soon.

Niagara's Great Ice Bridge.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Feb. 14.—The terrific gale and snow storm here followed by the extreme cold snap has added new beauty and strength to the ice bridge in the gorge, which has now assumed a size which old residents say is the largest ever known. Already railroads are preparing to run excursions here.

Looking for an Absconder.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 14.—Detective George Zundt, of Brooklyn, is here continuing his search for the missing cashier of the excise board of the city of Brooklyn, William D. Lohman, whose disappearance occurred several weeks ago and was followed by the discovery that he was $19,000 short in his accounts.

A Swiss Consul's Disgrace.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 14.—Swiss Consul Qarrer has been fined $13.50 in police court for being drunk and disorderly. Dr. Alfred Ciaperelie, the Swiss minister at Washington, has been asked to come here and make a change in the consulship.

Large Building Burned in Newark.

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 14.—The Preston Oil company's big brick building on River street was destroyed by fire last night. The firemen fought the flames all night and subdued them before other damage was done.

Frozen to Death at the Age of 120.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Feb. 14.—Assaboga, a Creek Indian woman aged 120 years, the oldest person living in the territory, was caught in the blizzard while returning from a visit to her daughter and frozen to death.

The Chamberlain Estate.

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 14.—The estate of ex-State Treasurer Valentine B. Chamberlain, of New Britain, has been inventoried at $65,513. In addition Mr. Chamberlain had about $20,000 life insurance.

AS FRIEND MEETS FRIEND.

THERE IS THE SAME GREETING IN ALL COUNTRIES.

The First Salutation Is Invariably an Inquiry About Health—The Danger of Closed Doors and Windows—The One Cure for Neuralgia.

"How do you do?" is the phrase all over the world. In every language the first greeting inquires about the health.

Winter with closed doors and windows, coal stoves and in-door life endangers health, brings a bad condition of blood and a lowering tone to the nervous system.

"The most certain indication of badly nourished nerves," says Dr. Weir Mitchell, "is neuralgia."

Nothing rolls tired, aching nerves of all irritation like appropriate nerve food. Paine's celery compound best meets this need. Neuralgia, rheumatism, lumbago and kidney troubles, due to poor blood, yield to Paine's celery compound when nothing else gives relief.

MRS. L. VAN ZILE.

Mrs. L. Van Zile of 262 Liberty street, Paterson, N. J., whose portrait is given above, writes as follows:

"I enclose you one of my pictures, that you may show it to suffering humanity, and tell what Paine's celery compound is doing for me. I am still using it, and it is doing a great work in my family. I have recommended the remedy to several sufferers.

"Am taking it for neuralgia, with great benefit."

Paine's celery compound is the one true specific for all diseases resulting from an impaired nervous system or impoverished blood. Try it.

Counterfeiters in Pennsylvania.

MCKEESPORT, Pa., Feb. 14.—When a prominent merchant presented a bill to one of the banks for the cashier discovered that it had been a two and had been raised to a ten. The counterfeit was so skilfully executed that it was not discovered until taken to the bank. Another merchant discovered a one dollar bill raised to a ten that had evidently been raised by the same clever pen. It is feared that an organized gang of counterfeiters are at work in the vicinity.

Trouble in Peixoto's Cabinet.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The Herald's correspondent in Rio Janeiro sends word that it is rumored now that a crisis in Peixoto's cabinet is imminent. Word has reached Rio from Santos that the rebels have landed at Ignape, a town in the state of Sao Paulo, on the south bank of the Iguape river, and are marching upon the city of Sao Paulo, capitol of the state of that name. From Rio Grande do Sul a report has just been received that the government troops have met defeat at Umba. Three hundred of them were killed and their munitions of war and provisions captured.

Corporal Tanner in Critical Condition.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Corporal James Tanner, the legless ex-commissioner of pensions, is not recovering from the operation performed on his stumps at the Seney hospital as quickly as his friends looked for. His wife, who is constantly in attendance, said that he was still suffering much pain, but that she looked for an improvement soon. Gen. McAlpine and Maj. Wright are the only strangers admitted to his bedside.

Non-Partisan Election Inspectors.

ALBANY, Feb. 14.—Senator O'Connor has put the finishing touches on his non-partisan election inspectors bill. The measure will not affect the spring elections in any way as it does not go into effect until July 1. It was thought advisable not to make it apply to any spring charter election in view of the shortness of the time and the liability that it may be delayed in passage, which would endanger the whole bill.

The Coat of Christ.

ROME, Feb. 14.—The pope will permit the bishop of Versailles, on the occasion of the May fetes, to exhibit the coat of Christ, which relic is kept at Argenteuil, on condition that the invitations sent out do not contain the statement that the coat is the seamless garment worn by our Saviour. This provision is made in view of the fact that the seamless coat is undoubtedly to be preserved in the cathedral at Treves.

Rothschilds Not Aiding Insurgents.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The Herald's London correspondent reports that he saw Lord Rothschild concerning the story that the Rothschilds were aiding the Brazilian insurgents. He emphatically denied the story and said: "The Rothschilds have absolutely nothing to do with the Brazilian insurgents. I cannot conceive what gave rise to the story."

The Roanoke Safe.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 14.—The agent of the Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee steamship line says that the steamer Roanoke over whose safety there was much apprehension, has arrived in Grand Haven.

Hans Von Bulow Dead.

CAIRO, Egypt, Feb. 14.—Hans Von Bulow, the distinguished pianist, is dead.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Gazelle Engine Company has a special and important meeting tonight.

—Leggett prepares cod liver oil so you can take it and it will do you good.

—The Dunellen bowling team will visit the Pioneer Club of Elizabeth this evening.

—White of Plainfield has The Magic City. Do n't miss the first number, 5c. a copy.

—One of the cars of the street railway is laid up with a flat wheel, which is being replaced.

Miss Ellis, of Netherwood, entertained a number of friends from 4 to 6 yesterday afternoon.

—The State convention of the Knights of Pythias, Uniformed Rank, will be held in Trenton, February 22.

—With the exception of a few, the new appointees of the Mayor were sworn in by him yesterday afternoon.

—Routine business only was transacted at the meeting of Zephyr Hook and Ladder Company Monday night.

—The first sociable to be held in the new fire department headquarters will be that of Zephyr H. & L. Company, Feb. 21.

—The License Committee of the Common Council met in the Mayor's office last night and discussed the applications received.

—A special song service will be held by the Salvation Army Thursday night at which the Scriptures will be expounded by a novice.

—The Magic City is selling immensely. Wannamaker of Philadelphia sold 4,500 copies in three days. It is on sale at White's at 5c. a copy.

—Mrs. Hyde will have charge of the mothers meeting in the W. C. T. U. rooms tomorrow afternoon at 3:30. Everyone is invited to attend.

—Chief Doane wishes that all who desire to estimate on putting shades in the Fire Department Headquarters would submit their figures to him.

—The Bible reading given by Rev. Arthur Crane in the First Baptist Church yesterday afternoon was very well attended, and especially helpful.

—While Capt. William Hand was taking a load of young people out for a sleigh-ride last night he was taken ill and was obliged to go home. He is better today.

—Judging from the interest already aroused, the Liederkranz will be a very successful society. The members expect to follow up the concert in March by a dance.

—At the prayer meeting in the Park Avenue Baptist Church tonight several recent converts will relate their experiences. There will be baptizing in the church Sunday.

—The insurance companies are paying 20 cents per hour in guarding the damaged stock in J. Goldstein's East Front street store. Two men are employed, each watching from 12 to 12.

—A regular meeting of Howell Division, No. 97, Sons of Temperance, was held in their rooms last evening. It was decided that the whole division should visit Welcome Division of New Brunkswick Feb. 21.

—At the next borough Council meeting Chief Marshal Pangborn will show that there were 101 arrests in the borough since April 15, 1893. The total time spent in confinement by prisoners was ten years.

—A regular meeting of the Independent Fife and Drum Corps was held last evening, and an hour of practice spent afterwards. Two new members, Alexander Roselle Johnson and Warner Pierson, were elected.

—The case on contract of Fox and others against Freeman will be tried in Justice Nash's Court February 20. Justice Nash today issued an execution to Constable Vanderhoff in the case of Oliver against Ulrich on an execution obtained by Counselor Charles Reed.

—The attendance at the First Baptist Church last night was very much increased over Monday night. L. G. March improved his singing with the assistance of a small organ. Rev. Arthur Crane preached a strong and impressive sermon, and though there were no outward manifestations the meeting was very spiritual.

—Edward Bok's successful article in the January Cosmopolitan on "The Young Man in Business", has been reprinted in a tasteful and handy booklet form at 10 cents by The Curtis Publishing Company, of Philadelphia. To this reprint Mr. Bok has added some 14 pages of editorial matter answering "Three Uncertain Young Men".

—About 4,000 members of the Christian Endeavor Society of Newark have made a close canvass of the business houses and persuaded the principal ones to close their places today from 10 a. m. to 12 m. and at 5 p. m. It will be the "Christian Endeavor Day of Prayer" for better times. The list of those who will close numbers upwards of fifty of the leading houses.

—A leading New York firm says "We cannot do it". We have tried hard to, but we give it up, and promise to do so no more. We refer to the old reliable time tried and table tested Huckins's Soups. We have tried for several years to substitute cheaper brands, but we at last give it up, and will hereafter handle no other brand of canned soups. We can buy other kinds a little cheaper, but the people won't have them, and we cannot sell them.

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure only 1c a dose; 25c, 50c, $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 305 North ave., opp. station.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation; 25c, 50c, $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 305 North ave., opp. station.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn, says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life: I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble; 75c. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 305 North avenue, opp railroad station.

SHOOK THE TENEMENT.

Photographer Marx's Experiment Resulted Disastrously—His Chemicals Exploded—Marx Was Badly Burned, and the Whole Neighborhood Also Aroused.

A very loud explosion shook the tenement 200 West Ninety-eighth street, New York, and woke the residents of that whole neighborhood up in a fright at 1 this morning. A euchre party that was in session in George Kehr's saloon, across the way, ran out in the street. Broken glass was raining down, and the echoes of the explosion rumbled among the tenements yet. Two men ran out of the house 200 yelling fire like mad. The euchre party blocked their way, and demanded with yells as loud as theirs what was the matter.

"Fire! Fire!" shouted the men, and struggled to get to the alarm box on the corner. The saloon keeper and his friends held on to them. They saw no fire, but evidence enough of fright. They had a brief tussle and the euchre players won. The two calmed down. One of the others who had run around on Amsterdam avenue to give a still alarm, returned with Foreman McGowan and a fireman from the truck house there.

The tenement was explored. There was no fire, but on the third floor the flat occupied by Ernest Marx, the photographer, who for years had his studio in this city, was wrecked. Mr. Marx was writhing in pain, covered with blisters and burns. His wife was frightened half to death. A physician was sent for, and Dr. Kennedy came. While he bandaged Mr. Marx, the story of the explosion came out.

Mr. Marx is an experimenter. In the intervals of his work as a photographer he is finding out things by chemical exploration which nobody else knows. He was busy last night mixing some chemicals to make a preparation for use in imparting a superior finish to his pictures. The chief ingredients in the mixture were alcohol and chloride of potash, both of them dangerous explosives under favorable circumstances. Mrs. Marx had gone to bed, and her husband was alone in the dining-room with his drugs when the crash came.

It smashed the windows in front and blew those in the rear down the airshaft, shook the building and nearly demolished the experimenting Marx. It was a wonder it did n't kill him.

He refused to be taken to the hospital, when he had been bandaged, and stayed home to be alternately nursed and lectured by his shocked wife. The firemen went home and the euchre game was resumed. The momentary hopes of the police that they had at last come upon the gang of explosive firebugs were dashed to the ground. It was all over.

—Every horse and sleigh for miles around was in service last night.

—W. B. Wadsworth advertises today for a new superintendent for the Boys Club.

—In the court in Elizabeth this morning Paul Holmes, a young colored man, was found guilty of stealing $19 from Arthur Venable. He will be sentenced Saturday.

—Scores of young people took advantage of the excellent sleighing last night, and far into the small hours of the morning their merry voices were heard above the music of the bells.

—A large party of young people took advantage of the fine sleighing last night for a moonlight ride. The party started from the Huntington's on Franklin place and passed a most enjoyable evening.

—Street Commissioner's gang of workmen under the card system resumed work on the old railway embankment today, but the North Plainfield Grove street work was not resumed, because of the snow and ice.

—The Street Committee last night talked over the street railway extension, the quality of equipment, style of rails, etc., but did not decide definitely on anything because President Nevins of the road was unavoidably absent.

—At the meeting of the Epworth League of the Methodist Church tomorrow evening in Vincent Chapel a unique programme has been arranged, which will consist of a "Festival of Days". Every day of the month will be represented by members of the League. Young people are cordially invited to be present.

—The firm of Matthews Brewster Co., manufacturers of Kill-Roaches, is no more, as E. S. Brewster has bought all the rights, title and interest of Mr. Matthews, and will remove to Hopewell, Mercer County, April 1, where he will manufacture Kill-Roaches. The new firm will be known as the E. S. Brewster Company.

—The Boys Club enjoyed an excellent entertainment last night. Miss Morgan played the piano. Mr. Goodrich read "Paul Revere's Ride". Miss Maude Agnes Bowers recited "Little Jimmy Brown" and "Little Jennie". Mr. Wendell sang "Molly O", "Daisy Bell", "Drill', Ye Terriers, Drill", "O'Brangan's Pups" and "The Swings". Dexter O. Tiffany made an address. In conclusion the boys sang "America".

Good Time with Endeavorers.

The dime sociable given by the Christian Endeavor society of the First Church of Christ, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry VanMiddlesworth, 111 Elmwood place, last evening, was a complete success, there being a very large attendance. The evening was pleasantly passed in listening to excellent music and recitations by members of the society, and later all were bountifully supplied with coffee and cake.

The great domestic stand by, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, is now recognized to be a family necessity. Keep it handy.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY.—"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 25c. Sold by H. P. Reynolds, druggist, Plainfield. 12 6 2m

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. It is insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

PARTICULAR MENTION

Jacob Voehl, of Somerset street, was reported ill this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Thorn of Craig place are home from the South.

Charles Westerfield, of 115 New street, is suffering from an attack of the grip.

Miss Edith Tunison is slightly improved today, being able to sit up a little while.

Isaac N. Wyckoff, of New street, is recovering from a month's siege of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Elon Rogers, of East Millstone, have been visiting friends in this city.

John Voeselman, formerly of Plainfield, and now of Titusville, is visiting friends in this city.

Counselor Charles A. Reed accompanies Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Thompson on their trip to Florida.

Quite a number of Plainfield people will attend the dance in the Fanwood club-house, Feb 21.

A committee is making arrangements a private invitation dance to be held in Red Men's Hall, March 5.

Mrs. Jane Vail, of Quakertown, is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. E. R. Vail, at Greenbrook.

Among the many sleighing parties being arranged for today is one by Miss Caroline Streuli for her friends.

Mrs. Lindsey Woolley, of Westfield, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry VanMiddlesworth, 111 Elmwood place.

Letter-Carrier Robert H. Loughlin is very ill with pneumonia at his home on Watchung avenue. Dr. D. C. Adams is in attendance.

A charming children's party was given to Marion C. Mortimer of 1002 Putnam avenue yesterday, in celebration of her fifth birthday anniversary.

Miss Randolph, of East Fifth street, slipped and fell on a cellar door in front of 213 Park avenue yesterday afternoon. A shock was the only result.

H. Mulford Estil was taken with a chill in his store Wednesday, which has developed into the grip. Mr. Estil but recently recovered from an attack of laryngitis.

Mrs. Elizabeth Connolly, mother of Marketman Edward J. Connolly of 338 East Third street, died yesterday aged 69. The funeral will be Friday as stated in another column.

H. G. McCully of Jersey City, Superintendent of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, was in town today, praising the condition of the system in Manager Runyon's district.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Vanderbeek will again be residents of Plainfield soon. Mr. Vanderbeek has accepted a position with Seely Edsall, and will have entire charge of his delivery department.

Past Regent F. S. Green is now the possessor of a tangible token of the appreciation with which his fellow-Arcanumites regard his services, having been presented with a jewel of his rank at the meeting Monday evening.

James McNabb, who fell from the second story of his barn Monday morning, is improving in health at his home on the Randolph road; and the doctors think he will recover rapidly, as the dangerous symptoms which were expected today have not appeared

Organ Recital.

The second organ recital of the series was given by Choirmaster Cheeswright in the Church of the Holy Cross, last evening before a fair sized audience considering the state of the weather. The selections were of a high classic order, being from the most renowned composers, and were executed with the touch and finish of a masterhand. Mr. Cheeswright was in his best mood last evening, and kept the close attention of the audience for fully an hour, as he ably interpreted his subjects.

White of Plainfield Has It.

Edward White has secured the agency for the sale of The Magic City, a portfolio of original photographic views of the great World's Fair, and its treasures of art. It is issued every week, and comes in 16 numbers. The first issue costs only five cents, and the following numbers ten cents each. No. 1 is now on sale.

Study up the Subject, and Go.

The Free Public Library contains the following books on the subject of Mr. Fiske's third free lecture:

Brooks, E. S., In Geisler's times, a story. Story of New York.

Lamb, Mrs. M. J., History of the City of New York, v 1.

Lodge, H. C., English Colonies in America.

Roberts, E. H., New York, v. 1.

Roosevelt, T., New York.

Seymour, C. C. B., Self-made men.

Wilson, Ja. G., Ed. Memorial history of the city of New York, vols 1 and 2.

Readers are also referred to general histories of the United States.

—A midwinter dance will be given by the Natural Gas Social Club in Pedefious's Hotel tonight. A stage will leave the corner of Craig place and Somerset street at 8. Sleighing parties will be welcome. Sam Frazee plays.

America's Great Tragedian.

Thomas W. Keene, who will appear as Richard III in Music Hall Thursday night, is the last of the great American tragic actors now before the public, Barrett, McCullough and Booth having passed over to the great majority. Mr. Keene is now the only representative on this side of the water whose portrayals of Richelieu, Hamlet, Louis XI, Shylock, Richard III and Macbeth have met with popular approval.

2,000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from G. W. Maxon, Farina, Ills., says: "I consider your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have been in the drug business fourteen years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal satisfaction." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents

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SCRUB and WASH as you will, it is not easy to keep the hands smooth and white in winter time. In fact, the more you scrub and wash, the rougher seems the skin, and you find that the best of soap fails to whiten it. Now if, after washing, you will moisten your hands with LEMON JUICE AND GLYCERINE, the effect will be to soften and whiten the skin, even in the worst weather. Used by hundreds of the "best people" in Plainfield. Originated and sold only by H. P. REYNOLDS, Pharmacist, Park and North avenues.

A YOUNG GIRL'S FORTUNE.

AN INTERESTING SKETCH.

Nothing appeals so strongly to a mother's affection as her daughter just budding into womanhood. Following is an instance: "Our daughter, Blanche, now 15 years of age, had been terribly afflicted with nervousness, and had lost the entire use of her right arm. She was in such a condition that we had to keep her from school and abandon her music lessons. In fact, we feared St. Vitus dance, and are positive but for an invaluable remedy she would have had that terrible affliction. We had employed physicians, but she received no benefit from them. The first of last August she weighed but 75 pounds, and although she has taken only three bottles of Nervine she now weighs 108 pounds; her nervousness and symptoms of St. Vitus dance are entirely gone, she attends school regularly, and studies with comfort and ease. She has recovered complete use of her arm, her appetite is splendid, and no money could procure for our daughter the health Dr. Miles' Nervine has brought her.

"When my brother recommended the remedy I had no faith in patent medicines, and would not listen to him, but as a last resort he sent us a bottle, we began giving it to Blanche, and the effect was almost immediate."—Mrs. R. R. Bullock, Brighton, N. Y.

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THE REV. ARTHUR CRANE,

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12,

At 8 o'clock p. m.

Singing by the choir. Gospel Hymns No. 5 will be used at the meetings.

Bible readings will be held each day at 3:30 p. m. (Saturday excepted). 2 10 6

NOTICE. February, 3, 1894.

Estate of Bernhardt B. Gray, deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the county of Union, this day made, on the application of the undersigned executrix of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from this date, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

EMMA M. GRAY,
Executrix.
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DEATHS.

CONNOLLY—In this city Feb. 13, 1894, Elizabeth Connolly, aged 69 years.

Funeral from her son's residence, 338 East 3d street, Friday, at 7:45 o'clock at the house, and then take the 8:16 a. m. train for Easton, Pa., where funeral services will be held. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend. 2

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

TO LET—4 large rooms down stairs 112 Jackson avenue. 2 14 2

WANTED.—Owner for two hunting dogs found on Putnam avenue; can be had by proving property and paying expenses. Address R., care Press. 2 14 2

WANTED—A superintendent for the Boys Club; must be a man genial but able to control. Apply, giving references by letter only, to W. B Wadsworth, 452 West 8th street. 2 14 3

TO LET—Portion of furnished house to party who will board 3. Address V., care Press. 2 12 tf

TO LET—April 1, seven-room house; furnished; centrally located; improvements. Furnished, care Press. 2 12 tf

RESPECTABLE woman wants fine washing and ironing by the day; good reference. Address M C., care Press. 2 14 2

WANTED—A competent girl for housework; German preferred. Eighth street and Plainfield avenue.

WANTED—A Remington typewriter, and cabinet for same. G B. Wean, 112 Plainfield avenue. 2 14 tf

WANTED—Situation as chambermaid and waitress, or to assist in general housework Address G., care Press.

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Call at 91 Rockview avenue. 2 14 2

TO LET—3 rooms on first floor, 4 rooms on second floor. Apply 404 West 3d st., cor. Central avenue. 2 14 6

WANTED—Second-hand radiators for hot water heating. Jones, care Press. 2 13 2

TO LET—Large house and barn, Front street and Clinton avenue, Evona, opposite station. Wm. McD Corlell. 2 13 6

FURNITURE at private sale, consisting of sofa, chairs, 2 B. W. bedroom suits, dining extension table, laundry stove and table, kitchen utensils, parlor gas chandeliers, 3 clocks, student lamp, bed springs, at No. 1113 Putnam avenue after 2 p. m. 2 13 5

TO LOAN, on 1st mortgage $600 $1,200, $1,700, $3,000. Mulford, broker. 2 7 tf

WANTED—House, 5 or 6 rooms; centrally located; possession April 1. Address Z., care Press. 2 1 tf

TO LET—10 room house; modern improvements; 127 East 5th st. Apply Wm. H. Brower, 432 Watchung avenue 1 31 tf

AN elegant brick and brown stone house for sale or exchange for Plainfield property, on Halsey street, Brooklyn. Edward Love, corner North and Watchung avenues. 12 30 tf

FOR SALE—"The Medical and Surgical History of the Late War"; 4 rare vols. Address Books, care Press. 1 20 tf

MONEY wanted to invest on gilt-edge Plainfield mortgages. Chas. A. Reed att'y, National Bank Building. 10 29 tf

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Thursday Night, February 15
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One lot ladies' fast black cotton hose at 19c, were 25c; one lot ladies' wool hose at 17c., were 23c; one lot ladies' black cashmere hose at 21c., 29c., 40c., were 25c., 35c.,50c; one lot men's Scotch wool gloves at 39c., were 50c; one lot men's Scotch wool gloves at 29c., were 35c.
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SOCIETY COOING AT A MURDER TRIAL.

Queer Ways the 400 Had of Celebrating a Hanging As a Social Function.

Several newspapers unearthed a few days ago by a correspondent of the Somerville Unionist-Gazette, of the date of March, 1841, describe the trial of Peter Robinson for the murder, at New Brunswick, of Abraham Suydam, the president of the Farmers and Mechanics Bank of that place. These reports are not only full of pictures and portraits, illustrating the event, but devote much space to the social aspects of the trial, and a description of the society people of New Brunswick, who crowded the courtroom during the entire week that the proceedings continued.

The correspondent quotes from the full account of the murder and trial reported for the New York Herald by William H. Attree. The description which follows is that of the courtroom at the close of the close of the very eloquent impressive charge of Chief Justice Hornblower to the jury:

"The solemnity and singularity of this scene can scarcely be imagined by those who did not see it. There were only three small tallow candles placed in front of the judge, and the rest of this enormous court-house was in total darkness. It was crammed to suffocation within the bar, as well as without, so that all the counsel had to stand; and the prisoner was mixed in with some of the most respectable men in the place, Professor Froudfit being close by his side.

"It was nearly 9 in the evening, and all there had been present six hours. One side of the court-house was crowded with ladies. The wife of the Chief Justice was present. The beautiful daughter of Judge Nevius was there, and some very lovely ladies behind her.

"Among others there were the young and lovely widow of the late Dr. C. and her agreeable stepdaughter; the charming Miss D., late of Paris; the two beautiful brunettes, the Misses E., of Albany street, who are noted for their intelligence; Miss H., of Water street; the Misses N., of George street; the elder, tall, graceful, and of a figure made of heaven's choicest mould; the younger with a countenance that even angels might envy, so mild and beautiful; Miss S., of Albany, then on a visit to Dr. B., of New Brunswick, whose pleasant and agreeable manner win esteem of all; the Misses V., of Bayard street, pleasant, modest, and unassuming, who universally inspire respect; the young and agreeable Miss Y., of Albany street, mild-tempered and very much of a favorite; Miss B., of Bayard street, with her cheeks always tinged with nature's ripe vermillion; the Misses A., also of Bayard street, pleasant and pretty, particularly the younger; the three Misses A., of Water street, pretty and agreeable, although the younger looked rather silly with her quizzing glass; Miss Van D., of Burnet street, a lively, pretty and very pleasant young girl; Miss S., of George street, near the Mansion House, a very handsome girl; Miss R., of Albany street, is a favorite among all, and who has quite an agreeable countenance; Miss R., of the same street, who is just verging into womanhood, with all its charms; Miss R., of New street, although unfortunate in the death of her betrothed, looked well enough to win all hearts.

"There were but few of those present, and may account, partly, for the crowd and pressure, for during the most pathetic part of the Judge's charge, one young man put his arm around the neck of a young lady, immediately in the rear of where the daughter of another Judge sat, and stole a kiss from her. This we could not have believed had we not seen it. She did n't appear very much vexed about it, either. Brunswick is a queer place."

The report goes on to say that on the following day, during the most affecting part of the address of Justice Hornblower, on pronouncing upon the wretched criminal the sentence of death, the ladies were again present, and sobbed audibly, all being deeply affected. When the Chief Justice said: "Let the prisoner be removed from the bar," the Herald report continues:

"Here the rush was tremendous to get a sight of the prisoner. The ladies, in particular, were all anxious to see how he looked. * * * Such is the last, but the closing scene of this sad tragedy. It appeared to be to all, except the prisoner, a great gala day in New Brunswick; and even to him, judging from his conduct and conversation, it was a source of interest and apparent amusement. Such and so varied are the ways of man."

This murder and trial, owing to the atrocious features of the tragedy and the prominence of the victim, created much interest and excitement throughout middle New Jersey. Doubtless many of your older readers will remember the event and will have no difficulty in recognizing many of the persons indicated by initials and residences.

Only One Pin Apart.

The expected game between the Professionals and the Semi-Professionals, was not played on the Board of Trade alleys last evening, but the bowlers present arranged two teams and derived considerable amusement from the game that followed. The winning team ended the game but 1 pin ahead. High man Littell scored 203 in spite of a loss on foul in the second frame.

TEAM ONE.		TEAM TWO.	
Littell	203	VanEmburgh	176
Stevenson	126	Buckle	133
Coward	119	Maltby	182
Lowry	144	Teel	159
Woolston	154	Rogers	141
Petrie	162	Adams	148
Emmons	150	Davis	145
Barnes	156	Vail	129
	1214		1213

BY FRAMES:

Team One..105,213,357,477,568,718,860,975,1009,1214
Team Two..153,208,351,490,605,723,869,971,1100,1213

The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands can testify. Proper local treatment is positively necessary to success, but many, if not most, of the remedies in general use afford but temporary relief. A cure certainly cannot be expected from snuffs, powders, couches and washes. Ely's Cream Balm, which is so highly commended, is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power, with perfect safety and pleasantness to the patient. The druggists all sell it.

SHALL PLAINFIELD BE LAGGARD?

Ambitious Little Towns on Her Outskirts Are Striving to Score Sewerage Success Ahead of Her.

The Westfield Township Committee last night accepted an invitation from the Cranford Township Committee to join them and the Linden Committee in a conference to be held in the Cranford Opera House next Monday evening to consider the sewerage question in the three towns. This is the first officially concerted action taken to settle a question that has been forcing itself upon the attention of the people of the towns along the Central Railroad of New Jersey for the past five years. None of the towns between Plainfield and Elizabeth has any sewerage system, and the rapid growth of population has made it imperative that some means of disposing of the sewage be devised at once.

Some time ago a commission was appointed by the Plainfield Common Council to investigate the practicability of constructing a sewer from Plainfield to tidewater at Tremley's Point, on Staten Island Sound. The committee reported that it was possible to construct such a sewer, but that the cost would be enormous owing to cutting through the rise of ground at Fanwood, so further investigation looking toward the construction of a sewer in that direction was abandoned and the attention of Plainfield has been turned to the filtration system. From Westfield to tide-water at Tremley's there are no difficult engineering problems to be solved, but the cost would be too great to be borne by any one of the townships along the route. There was a company formed in Roselle to build a sewer from that place to tide-water, and it started with prospects of accomplishing the purpose, but the donation of $5,000 that the Linden Township Committee endeavored to force the race-track people to make to the enterprise, brought it before the people in such an unfavorable light that practically nothing has been done towards constructing a sewer.

Several months ago, at a public meeting of the citizens of Cranford, a committee was appointed to ascertain the probable cost of a sewer from Cranford to tidewater. This committee reported at a meeting held last week that, so far as they could ascertain without going into the detail of an actual survey, the cost would be between $50,000 and $75,000. A year ago Cranford constructed a sort of drain-tile sewer that empties into the Rahway River. This is in direct violation of law, as the water from the river is used to supply the city of Rahway, and Cranford is liable at any time to be enjoined from allowing sewage to pollute the waters of the river. Should the people of that town be compelled to close their sewer it would be a serious matter to the health of the community.

At the meeting to be held Monday night it is expected that some plan will be evolved whereby the three townships will join in constructing the much-needed sewer. To build a trunk sewer large enough to meet the necessities of the three towns will cost, according to rough estimates, $150,000. Each township will have to vote on the question of issuing bonds for their share of the expense. A strong opposition to this sewer project comes from the farming interests of these townships. The farmers fail to see just where they will reap any benefit from sewers constructed for the towns, yet if constructed they will be compelled to bear the lion's share of the expense. There will be no attempt on the part of the farmers to be heard at the joint meeting. They propose to wait until the question of bonding the townships is submitted to the voters; there, they feel confident, they will be able to kill the whole scheme.

The matter is one on which hangs the future growth of the towns along the Central Road between Elizabeth and Plainfield.

The Peer of the English Drama.

The eminent tragedian, Thomas W. Keene, and his superb company, will be the attraction in Music Hall tomorrow night, presenting his great characterization of Richard III. Mr. Keene has for a dozen years past been a conspicuous figure on the American stage, having risen through his own indomitable energy and perseverance from the ranks of the players who interpret a drama in general, to the position of an acknowledged star, presenting only the greatest roles in the realm of English dramatic literature. Mr. Keene has had a great deal to overcome, but his progress has been steadily onward and upward, until today he stands in the enviable position of being the only American tragedian now before the public whose efforts are confined solely to the interpretation of the masterminds of classic drama.

Coachmen Can't Drive Teapins.

The C. Y. M. L. Jr's showed their inclination last evening to win the second prize series as they did the first with the Coachmen. A close game on the Young Men's alleys ended in the defeat of the Coachmen by 14 pins. The score:

JUNIORS.		COACHMEN.	
Whalen	135	Forrest	165
Higgins, M.	112	Lang	94
Moran	157	Dwyer	109
Higgins, H.	164	Wieren	140
Galbraith, D.	128	Delanty	135
Higgins, M.	128	Donnely	110
Guinee	146	O'Connor	102
Owens	87	Hansen	140
Strapp	89	Waters	127
McDermitt	105	Tunison	115
	1251		1257

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CAVALRY TO COME TO PLAINFIELD.

Progress Made Towards the Organization of a Sons of Veteran Camp.

A regular meeting of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., was held last evening, Commander Reese presiding.

Dr. Gale, of Westfield, not qualifying for the office of surgeon to which he had been elected, William R. Moore was unanimously elected to fill the vacancy.

A reunion of the Second New Jersey Cavalry was announced to be held here Feb. 22. The exercises will be held in the Post's headquarters at 10 in the morning. The Post will meet them in the afternoon at 1 and a meeting and collation will follow. The only surviving members of the regiment in this section are W. C. Smith, William Tunison and W. C. Sprague of Plainfield and P. V. Z. Stryker of Raritan.

A committee of five was appointed to organize a local camp of Sons of Veterans. A meeting of the committee will be held in the near future.

Committees selected were:

On Reception of Cavalry—William C. Smith, Charles Westphal and I. L. McVoy.

On Organization of Camp—J. A. Goodwin, William R. Moore, W. W. Cortell, Charles Westphal and W. C. Smith.

"Alki"—Wait!

When you ask a resident of the State of Washington concerning the future of its newly established towns and industries, he points by way of example to Tacoma, Seattle, Spokane, and other places that have grown rich and great, and sententiously utters the Chinook word "Alki"—Wait!

When citizens inquire for practical information as to the quickest and most profit-making investment in that wonderful empire of the Northwest, they are referred to an illustrated book entitled "The Birth of a Great City", published by The Pasco Union Land Company, Astor Building, 10 Wall street, New York. It reads like a fairy story, and the young man who has money to save, and the parent who looks out for the welfare of his children and desires to pile up a growing interest every year, cannot lay the book down without being impressed that here may be the golden opportunity of a lifetime.

Send for a copy, and thank us for the suggestion.

On the Alleys.

The Junior team will probably challenge the C. Y. M. L. regular bowlers.

The concluding game of the Journa series will be in Elizabeth, February 23, when the C. Y. M. L. team will play the Field Club of that city.

The second game of the second series between the Coachmen and the C. Y. M. L. Jrs., will be rolled on the Young Men's alleys next Tuesday evening.

The Journal League games will probably be followed by a series between the C. Y. M. L. and the Catholic club of Jersey City. The first game will be bowled here.

The game scheduled for last night in the Diocesan Union in Newark between the C. Y. M. L. and the T. A. B. teams, was indefinitely postponed and will probably be rolled next week.

Waiting For Another Arrest.

In the matter of the indictment of Joseph Willis and John Muller, for malicious mischief, which came up this morning before Judges McCormick and Hyer, Counselor Walter L. Hetfield moved to have the case go off until the June term, on the ground that a warrant had been issued for the arrest of Thomas Burns, whom he claimed was the guilty one. The motion was granted. The defendants are charged with cutting and stealing trees at Denton's Hillside Avenue Nurseries.

The Fox Sneers at the Grapes.

(From The Elizabeth Herald.)

A Plainfield young man has been caught at card sharping. He is a nice young man, too, and not one of your "vulgah fellahs" who are not in society. With nice Plainfield young men card sharping and nice Plainfield people dishonoring their I O U at the butcher's, the baker's and the candlestick maker's, what is to happen Plainfield anyway?

Choral Society Special.

A special rehearsal for sopranos and altos will take place Monday afternoon, 19th inst., at 3:30. Full rehearsal in the evening, as usual. Every member should be present. NELSON RUNYON, Secretary.

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Yours very truly,
EDWARD P. F. SARGENT.

MRS. SARGENT.

BY THE WAY.

—Unity Lodge, No. 102, K. of P., will meet this evening.

—Salt was applied to the tracks of the street railway this morning. That is bad.

—The members of the Uncle Sam Social Club met last night and admired each other in the new caps.

—Car 2 of the street railway ran off the track on West Front street at 11 this morning, and was drawn back by car 3.

—A horse driven to a sleigh by William Bartindale ran away on East Front street at 12:30 today and broke the sleigh and the harness.

—The grade of a portion of West Front street, and applications for crosswalks, were discussed by the Committee on Streets at their weekly meeting last night.

—A class for beginners in the study of applied mechanics will be organized in the Y. M. C. A. rooms tomorrow evening. Young men are invited to be present as visitors at the first session.

—Betty Jones was arrested by Constable Mattox this morning, charged with assault and battery on Lizzie Smith. Justice Mosher held her in $100 bail to await the action of the Grand Jury.

—Eugene Hoerster's bob sleigh was wrecked in front of Kenney's shoe store on Front street at 10:30 this morning. The driver drove with a load of five casks in slanting direction across the car tracks and the rear runners became twisted and smashed.

Real Estate, Rents and Taxes.

To THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—You have statted a big subject—one that comes home to the owner as well as to the tenant of houses in our beautiful city, and you will no doubt be deluged with communications on this subject. You know the old maxim, "Many men of many minds". As against this I quote the proverb "In a multitude of counselors there is safety".

In the first place I must take issue with you in your first statement on this subject in which you say that rents are comparatively too high in our city and that owners of real estate are receiving too large returns for their investments. As to the former, I cannot compare them with either of the Oranges, as I am not familiar with their rentals, but as compared with New York or Brooklyn I say confidently that for the same amount of health, comfort and convenience, after adding cost of commutation, our rentals are very, very low. Let anyone make the comparison.

As to your statement that owners of houses are getting large returns on their investment, I say unhesitatingly that perhaps with the exception of cheap buildings in out-of-the-way streets this is a mistake. Real estate as a whole does not repay the original investor a fair return on his capital. The late Mr. Male, one of the most capable builders, and the largest owner of dwellings in the city, has assured the writer and others that he could not realize on an average 4 per cent. on his investment.

Let us take a single illustration, and which as it is now in the market and public property we may fairly use, to wit: The recent purchase by the School Board on Central avenue, understood as a great bargain, which I think was $13,500, costing them now in interest and repair say $15,000, and now held at $20,000 as stated for re-sale. Now you know that a lot on Central avenue could not be purchased and these improvements duplicated for $15,000. Assuming this price, we get following returns:

Assessed say at $8,000, taxes $2.25	$180.00
Annual repairs, say average	100.00
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Five per cent. on $15,000	750.00
Together making	$1,060.00

You know as well as I do that the property would not bring this rental. On $20,000 it would not return over 3 per cent. This illustration could be multiplied an hundredfold.

But you have not touched the core of our troubles, which is really in the enormous increase of our rate of taxation on an increased and largely increasing valuation of city property, and which prevents the landlord from getting a reasonable return from his investments. This is also a big subject which I must reserve for a future communication. M.

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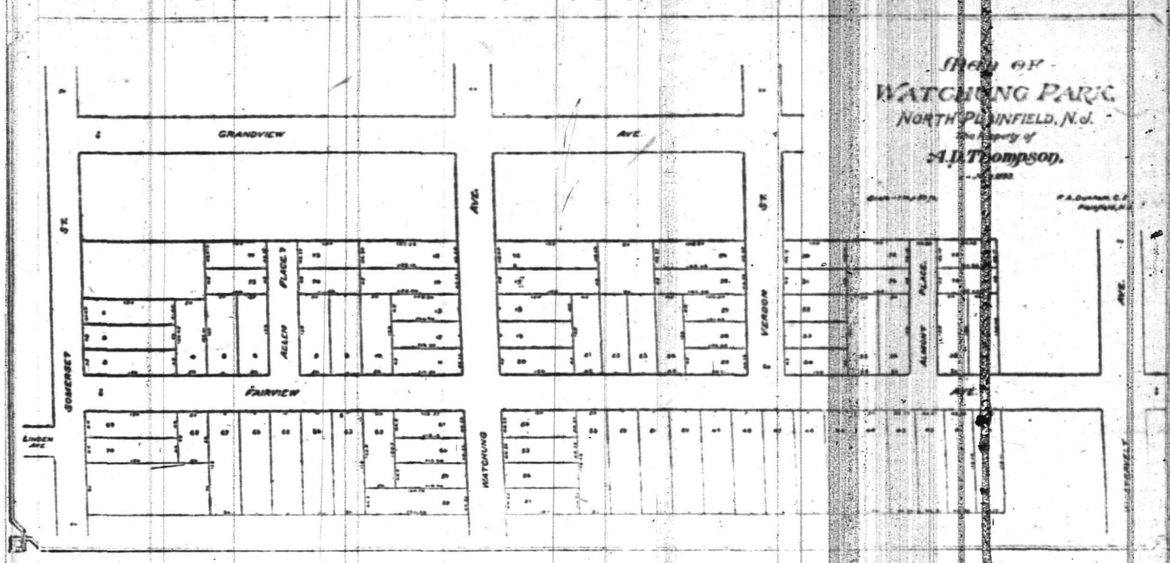

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Will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the city of Plainfield, No. 109 Park avenue, until 6 o'clock p. m. of the twenty-seventh day of February, 1894, for furnishing and laying all the cross-walks required by the city of Plainfield during the remainder of the year 1894.
Specifications for said work may be procured at the office of the Street Commissioner.
The right to reject any or all bids is herewith reserved.

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Will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the city of Plainfield, No. 109 Park avenue, until 6 o'clock p. m. of the twenty seventh day of February, 1894, for furnishing crushed stone to the city of Plainfield for the remainder of the year 1894.
The bids to state the prices for furnishing the following sizes, viz.: "Dust" No. 1 or one inch; No. 2 or one and one-half inch, and No. 3 or two and one-half inch, in such quantities and at such places as the Street Commissioner may direct.
The stone must be of the best quality of trap-rock, free from dirt, clay or other foreign matter, and in every way acceptable to the said Street Commissioner.
The stone must be weighed on such scales as the Street Committee may direct, and a voucher or weigh-bill must be delivered with every load, to the said Street Commissioner or his authorized representative.
The right to reject any or all bids is herewith reserved.

Sealed Proposals

Will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the city of Plainfield, No. 109 Park avenue, until 6 o'clock p. m. of the twenty-seventh day of February, 1894, for the macadamizing of Grant avenue from West Front street to West Fourth st.
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UPSIDE DOWN.

That is the way we have been turning our stock and prices this week. Next week we do the same. The crowds who daily throng our store know a good thing when they see it—know where a dollar will go the farthest.

This may interest you.

$2.29 is the price of 7 yards of dress goods, 4 yards of skirt lining and 4 yards of silesia. This is without an exception the best bargain in dress goods we have ever offered. Be sure and see 'em.

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FURS

REPAIRED, ALTERED AND STORED.

A FIGHT FOR MILLIONS.

By JOHN J. McGINNISS.

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CHAPTER X.

MANGAN AND RAYMOND MEET.

Mangan had written up the descriptive part of the story. He had another day's work to do in hunting up the history of the property in the deeds filed in the office of the county register, going away back to the Hollanders, the earliest settlers, on through the transfers under the English and Dutch charters.

He took the plots where the smaller pleasure grounds were to be located. Then he turned his attention to the large tract where the great park was to spring up like a section of fairy land in the metropolis, embellished with every beauty the best landscape artist could design.

"Great heavens!" was his ejaculation, and he drew up the heavy volume closer to his sight, while near bysearchers looked at him as if he had gone crazy.

"George Leland," he read, calming down. "George Leland! Strange! A coincidence; that's all's in it!"

The lots were all owned by George Leland, purchased at about the same time from men whose names were known in the history of the county as those of people of quaint manners and methods. They were men who lived in the past. The encroachments of the city jarred upon their country senses, and though they had not much faith in the greater development of the municipality they feared it enough to sell out their homesteads and move farther back from the march of peace destroying progress.

The price placed upon the land in the days when Leland bought it was not high. Even in the city people had no idea that this tract would form several wards in the course of time. This is not surprising to those who recall that when the city hall in New York was erected old material was used in the rear, because the building was on the outskirts of the town, and no one believed that the roar of traffic would ever be heard behind it. The rear was not even rough cast. The projectors of the building were not adjudged thoroughly sane, and had they dared to intimate that any citizen would travel beyond and inspect it from a country view they would have been hooted out of town. The city today runs 10 miles above the city hall.

In Brooklyn, which will yet form part of the greater New York, the city hall was built to meet the demands of the growth of 100 years. It failed to supply the needs of 10. The municipal building was erected later. Still the city strided out on Long Island, and more room was required in places of public business. There are eight large buildings in that city today occupied by governmental departments, and yet the pleasant little gentleman who has been deputy county treasurer for a quarter of a century, James Gardiner, remembers the time when if a claim was presented against the municipality the treasurer put his hands into his pockets to see if there was enough change in the treasury to pay the bill. This year the running expenses of the government there will cost over $10,000,000, and the city alone is rich enough to carry the magnificent debt of $50,000,000.

Can the cause of the remarkable increase in the value of the land George Leland acquired 20 years before be better illustrated?

But was this George Leland the father of Isabel?

That was the question forcing itself before Laurence Mangan. It was a wild dream maybe, but he could not get rid of it. So he gathered all his facts together. He went into the board of assessment and found that Leland had not paid taxes. He learned in the arrears department that the lands had been sold, and the skirmish he had with the registrar had been outlined by that worthy official in a way that leaves no need for repetition.

"Maybe this is Isabel's father," mused Mangan, after leaving the registrar's, "and at all events it will do no harm to run him down. If he is alive it will be a good thing to tell him that his neglect of the taxes is about to cost him a loss of millions. I'll see Mother St. Gertrude again. There may be something she has not told me that will help me in this affair."

Mother St. Gertrude received him as cordially as usual.

"What are you after now?" was her greeting.

"It's hard to tell."

"Well, if you can't tell, I can't, I'm sure. I hope you don't want to see Isabel. I can't consent. It is better for you not to talk to her again until after you come back from Denver."

"I do not care to see her until she is willing to explain her strange conduct."

"Then you have given up Isabel?"

"By no means. I'm satisfied she will explain all when it suits her. Meanwhile I will spare her and myself the agony of such a meeting as the last. But if she is what I'm half inclined to think she is I will surrender my claim when the evidence is all in, as lawyers say, and the case is proved."

"You will! She is the best girl you ever knew, Laurence; I'm surprised that you have changed so soon. Why, you actually intimate there is something in the past so terrible as to make her unworthy in your eyes."

"You misunderstand me."

"I wish I did, Laurence. You have always been so generous and manly."

"Listen to me, Mother St. Gertrude."

"Say no more," she answered. "Speak not of the past, if evil lurk there. Let the dead lie buried, if the resurrection be not glorious. Bring not the spectral reminiscence of wrong to haunt the paths of virtue, Laurence, if you were not so dear to Isabel, discarding her as you do, I would ask you to leave. It is as I feared and told Isabel—the truth was not all told her."

"Truth not told her? Who says I did not always speak truly?"

"Not you. I meant another."

"Mother, do not be sarcastic with me. Another! What other but you has ever spoken to her of her parents? You mean me, but let me tell you now, before you launch into words that sound strangely to me from you, that when I said I would surrender my claim to her I meant to convey a sense of my unworthiness."

"No confession," she replied. "It may lead to another from me or Isabel that would not be to your good just now. A friend is watching over you."

"The Friend that watches over us all. Yes, but what is this confession? You are talking in riddles to me. But let me say a few words and then judge me. I would not press my suit with Isabel because it may come to pass that she is"——

"What?" interrupted Mother St. Gertrude, whose eagerness to hear the statement delayed its own gratification. "What is she, Laurence, speak the truth?"

"An heiress to millions."

"An heiress?"

"An heiress."

"Do you know what you are saying, Laurence?"

"Very well, but it is not sure. I may leave for a time, but if the news is not good it may be long before you hear from me."

"Tell me all."

She walked to a corner of the room and sat down. As Mangan drew his chair close, he said:

"Now, mother, you've been interrupting me ever since I came here and using queer phrases. You must promise to listen, now, for my story is a long one and to you will require many explanations."

"I must promise, I suppose."

"Well, not exactly, but make up your mind to listen."

He went over the story again. To make it intelligible to her, he had to give her a summary here and there of certain laws, mentioning not their origin or their originator. He concluded by asking her for the letter she held from George Leland. She went back into the convent and returned in a few minutes with it, and handed it to him. It was a letter of four lines, referring to an inclosure of check, and the signature caught his eye.

"It is the same, mother, the same! Isabel's father is the owner of these lands. This signature is identical with that on the deed! Isabel, as I said, is heiress to millions! She has gained much wealth, and I—I surrender her love!"

"Do you know what relation you are to her?" asked the sister, feeling that now had come the time to unfold the secret.

"Nothing, now."

"Yes, I want to tell you she loves you, and you will have an equal share with her in those millions when"——

"Let me prove they are hers first. Her claim will be contested, and I must say we have not yet the evidence that would be accepted in a court of law."

This interruption, intended to shut off what he considered to be a prelude to protestations of Isabel's gratitude, ended what Mother St. Gertrude would call her confession.

"This letter will go a great way, but it cannot oust Francis Raymond," continued Mangan.

"Francis Raymond?"

"Yes, he holds the certificates, and we have but a few months' time to circumvent him. I will keep this letter."

"Francis Raymond, the great politician?"

"The same Francis Raymond."

"Isabel is saved! Thank God!"

"Saved! Not yet. Didn't I say he was not likely to hand over the property easily? Mother St. Gertrude, this man is a fiend incarnate, walking about with a fair face that draws his victims close to him and to ruin."

"I was thinking of something else."

"What else?"

"That"——

There was a loud whir of wheels. A cab stopped at the gate of the courtyard, its occupant descended, ran hastily up, and his last step and the ring of the bell sounded almost simultaneously.

Laurence Mangan and Francis Raymond stood face to face.

The door was opened, and Laurence Mangan and Francis Raymond stood face to face.

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Charles McGinley	Lorenzo Paoli
C. Neighbor	John E. Collins
Charles Moore	John H. Blimm
Joseph Angerbauer	Francis B. Thorn
Patrick Morron	James W. Burdick
C. E. Janson	J. K. Van Ness

Patrick Bergen.

Citizens and Freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before February 19, 1894.

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J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that John Rafferty has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 213 Park avenue in the first ward, which application is signed by

Patrick O'Keefe	John F. McIntyre
Fred Casper	John J. Kenney
Michael Hughes	Thos. Callanan
James Ryan	George McCusker
Dennis Carney	Edw. Hannon

Thos. Curran.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that Edward P. Thorn has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquours at 125 Park avenue in the first ward, which application is signed by

James Higgins	James Brown
Michael Ettinger	Walter Coon
Albert Brown	S. Sharkey
John E. Beerbower	Alexander Sergeant
James Fitzpatrick	Wm. S Brown

T. A. Rogers.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that Michael F. Watson has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 211 and 213 Grant avenue in the fourth ward, which application is signed by

James Reville	John B. De Hart
Gustav Grotman	Charles Grieb
James E. Totten	Israel Goddu
Ernest Krutzsch his mark	Carl Felber his mark
John (x) Kenny mark	James (x) McCarthy mark
R. F. (x) Jones mark	William H. Lee

John McCarthy.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that James Connecly has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 114 and 116 Park avenue in the fourth ward, which application is signed by

Jacob Blimm, jr.	Peter C. Blimm
Werner B. Hideloff, jr.	James Muldowney
Moses Carney	Cornelius Guiney
Michael Nugent	George M. Phillips
Michael Spillan	Peter Galbraith
James Bushby	Robert Kenney

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that Jacob Blimm has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 37 and 39 Somerset Street in the fourth ward, which application is signed by

Charles Smith	Isaac Lederer
George Mehl	Michael McCarthy
John A. Kriney	Christian Karl
William Claassen	Henry Hays
James Wheeler	James Hansen
William H. Kitchen	Bertbold P. Hansen

James Connecly

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., Feb 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that John E. Beerbower has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at N. E. cor. Park avenue and Second street in the first ward, which application is signed by

Dan S. H. berts	Charles Bock
George H. Cook	Z. Taylor Baird
Walter L. Hetfield	J. K. Van Ness
Patrick Bergen	E. P. Thorn
H. Werner	Joel R. Walley
Lewis Peterson	Stephen A. Davis.

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that John J. Goff has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 456 West Third street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

Daniel McCarthy,	Charles McCann,
John J. Hibbits,	Thomas King,
John Flynn,	John M. Carney,
Frank Cullen,	John S. Haskard,
Mary E. Goff,	Frederick Westphal,
Joseph Johnson,	Thomas Johnson,

John Donnely,

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that Frank Linke has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous vinous, malt or brewed liquors in quantities from one quart to five gallons, at 227 West Front street, in the Fourth Ward, which application is signed by

V. L. Frazee,	P. J. Kreisling.
W. W. Corell,	Peter V. Weaver.
J. E. Martine,	John Witteman.

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that John J. Sullivan has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 518 West Third street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

James Deady,	William H. Harding,
Artaur Wyckoff,	Michael Conway.
Lawrence Green,	Finton Hibbits,
John Kane,	Thomas Muldowney.
Edd. Connors,	Cormack Cawfield.

Martin Kane.

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that James Hansen has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 545 West Third street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

James J. Day,	James Flynn,
Michael Newman,	John Galbraith,
Edward McCann,	William H. Blimm,
Maurice Shannon,	Patrick Moran,
Patrick Powers,	William Madden,
Patrick Ward,	Thomas Lyons,

Patrick Moran,

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Notice is hereby given that Fred. Casper has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 142 and 144 East Front street, in the First ward, which application is signed by

William Beiter,	Carl Kaerth,
John Rafferty,	Charles Burnett,
S. S. Miller,	Frank Haulenbeck,
William Latheusser,	William Klein,
Thomas Loughlin,	Michael Wunderlich,

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Notice is hereby given that Charles Smith has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 106 West Front street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

Joseph A. Blatz,	Ignatz Boehm,
Theodore Kurzhals,	Samuel Drier,
William Newcorn,	Daniel S. Pound,
Jacob Blumm,	Matthias Hefti,
Bennet Brittin,	Frank Droll,
John Winzenried,	Felix F. Genot,

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that Alexander D. Finley has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 123 East Second street, in the First ward, which application is signed by

Robert Simpson,	John H. Stevens,
John Wolf,	Bert J. Crowley
W. J. Tunison,	Garret H. Hammell,
Henry C. Drake,	Francis B. Thorn,
E. P. Curtis,	Adolph Kahrmann,
Jacob Burns,	Thomas O'Gormand,
Charles Buck,	Andrew Love, jr.

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Notice is hereby given that Wm. H. Lee has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors in quantities of one quart and upwards to five gallons, in the building owned by himself at 622 West Third street, in the Fourth Ward, which application is signed by

George H. Moore,	Arthur Scott,
Jacob Grieb,	Charles Jaeger,
Thomas Burke,	Michael F. Watson,
Charles McIntosh.	James F. Walsh,

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 2 1, 4 56, 7 15, 8 5 08, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 20, 1 50, 2 30, 3 30, 3 40, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30 6 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1 2 15, 4, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 P.M., 12 15 night. 1 4 M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 28, 6 59, 7 30, 7 45, 8 45 9 23, 10 04, 10 27, 11 24, A. M., 13 06, 1 14, 3 07, 3 30, 5 13, 6 01, 4 50, 5 54, 6 34, 7 08, 8 49, 10 17, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—9 01, 8 03, 11 25, A. M. 12 35, 1 43, 5 30, 6 36, 7 08, 8 29, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 45, 8 29, 9 0 08, 10 05, 11 55 A.M. 1 15, 1 55, 2 35 Saturday only, 3 05, 3 55, 4 05, 4 55, 5 05, 5 35, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 50, 8 50, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 45, 9 50, 11 25, A. M., 1 10, 2 55, 4 10, 5 05, 7 30, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 43 3 03 5 05, 6 14, 7 38, 8 17 P. M. Sunday—7 45, 9 28 a. m., 2 05, 5 05, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 55, A.M., 12 32, 4 04, 7 35 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 50, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a m 5 05, 5 14 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Manch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Manch Chunk.

9 51 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 43 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 07 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Bangor Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High bridge branch and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Manch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 58 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg. Buffet parlor car to Manch Chunk.

8 17 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 9 30 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin Williamsport, &c., 2 00 p. m. Sundays for Easton, High Bridge Branch, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 9 37 a. m. 1 14 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 8 37, 9, 11 24 a. m. 1.14, 4 01, 5 54, p. m. Sundays — (except Ocean Grove 9 53, a. m.) 5 20 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 9 55, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, 4 50, 5.54, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 8 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 37, 9, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, p. m.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 38*, 10 45, a. m., 12 43, 2 09*, 5 34*, 6 30*, 8 17*, p. m., 1 17 night. Sunday—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 09*, 8 17 p. m., 1 17 night.

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From 24th and Chestnut—3 55, 8 12, 11 16, a.m. 1 30, 5 13, 8 18, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—3 55, 11 14 a m, 3 30, 6 12, 8 18, 11 45 p. m.

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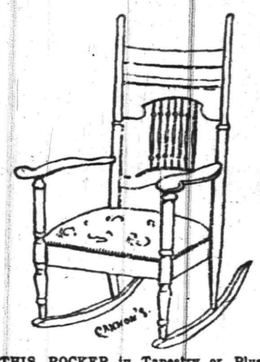

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Fearful Failure of Fifteen Physicians—Serious Surgical Operation Suggested.

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I followed their advice and visited the doctor on May 5. How glad I am that I took this step no one can realize who has not been similiarly situated. The doctor gave me a complete history of my case, describing with surprising accuracy the conditions and symptoms which I had endured for years, but what gave me the greatest surprise and pleasure was when he assured me that there was no need of any surgical operation. Proper means, he said, would overcome my troubles without any surgery. I commenced at once to follow Dr. Starkweather's directions and treatment. Having gradually and steadily improved since that time, as he stated I would, until now I am the wonder of all my friends, while rejoicing in renewed health, strength and spirits. Am constrained by a sense of duty and gratitude to accord the praise due Dr. S. for his gentle, soothing and skillful treatment of my case, and advise all sufferers from whatever cause to consult this eminent physician. MRS. WM. R. MANSER.

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No Hope for the Entombed Men at Plymouth.

Over 300 Feet of Solid Coal to Drive Through, and Then the Men May Not Be Where Expected—Big Seams in the Earth in the Vicinity of the Mine—Other Workings in Danger.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Feb. 15.—There is no change in the condition of things at the Gaylord mine in Plymouth. The rescuing party who are working to reach the entombed timbermen are now clearing out the old manway that runs alongside of the plane which is filled with culm. When this can be cleared it will give the searching squads means of entering the breast which divides the Gaylord from No. 5 of the Delaware & Hudson colliery. Other men are at work boring through pillars in the mine with a hope of finding the men, but very little headway has been made. Some of the oldest miners in the valley shake their heads and say: "There is very little chance of finding the men alive if they are reached at all."

The searching party, which has been increased to 100 men, are working against great difficulties. They have been repeatedly obliged to quit and hasten to the foot of the shaft on account of more "squeezing" in that portion of the mine where they are at work.

The officials are very reticent and have but little to say, but it has been made known by some of the rescuing party that over 15 acres of the inside workings of the Gaylord fell during the past 24 hours and more is likely to come down at any moment.

The surface in the neighborhood of the disaster is also beginning to crack and seams can now be seen fully eight inches in width. The old workings of the Parrish colliery adjoining are also showing signs of weakness and a number of falls have occurred in this portion of the mine. The officials of the Delaware & Hudson Coal company, which is mining coal near by, have taken every precaution to protect their portion of the mine so that no accidents will happen to them.

Mine Inspector Williams, says it will be several days before the rescuing party can reach the entombed men. They have over 300 feet of solid coal to drive through yet, and then the men may not be in the place where they expect to find them.

Many Storm Victims in Germany.

BERLIN, Feb. 15.—The hurricane that swept over the northern part of Germany has caused large loss of life. Six fishing boats belonging to Rinderort, a small village on the Baltic sea, were lost in the storm, and 23 men on board of them were drowned. Eighty craft of various descriptions were sunk in the river Elbe. Advices from Altona, on the Elbe, a little below Hamburg, show that 11 persons were drowned there. Eight foresters were killed in the woods near Ziegehort, in Pomerania, by trees that were blow down in the storm falling on them.

Emile Henry, the Bomb Thrower.

PARIS, Feb. 15.—Emile Henry, it has been learned, is the true name of the young man who threw the bomb in the cafe at St. Lazare. He is well known as an anarchist and has been watched by the police for a long time. He was arrested at the time Vaillant threw the bomb in the chamber of deputies, but was released after two days' detention. He has traveled extensively and, it is said, spent some time in America a few months ago.

Ten Thousand People at a Funeral.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Feb. 15.—The steamship Empress of China brings the following Oriental advices: Ex-Lord Abbott Kesho, head of the Buddhist priests in Japan, died Jan. 17 and was buried Jan. 29. Ten thousand mourners attended the funeral, including the members of the imperial family, the peers and leading officials of the government. The scene presented was one of surpassing magnificence. The remains were cremated.

Congressman Daizell's Daughter Wed.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—Miss Elizabeth Marter Dalzell, daughter of Representative Dalzell, of Pennsylvania, was married to George Gunn, of this city, at noon at the Church of the Covenant. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. S. J. Fisher, of Pittsburg, the pastor of the Dalzell family. A large throng was present at the church and the bride received a great number of valuable wedding gifts.

"Detective" Davis Has a Bad Record.

HAVERHILL, Mass., Feb. 15.—Charles Davis, the pretended detective who was arrested here as being a suspicious character, is held for Baltimore officers, who claim that he is wanted there for uttering forged checks. He is believed to have been in in similar business in various New England cities.

Secretary Lamont's Father Buried.

CORTLAND, N. Y., Feb. 15.—The funeral of John B. Lamont, father of Secretary of War Lamont, was held at his late residence in McGrawville yesterday afternoon and was largely attended by the residents of the county. President Cleveland sent a beautiful wreath of lillies of the valley.

Satolli Declines an Invitation.

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 15.—Archbishop Satolli, the papal delegate to the United States, has written that he will be unable to be present at the consecration of Bishop Tierney, on Feb. 22. He had made another engagement previous to the selection of the date.

To Abolish the Office.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—Captain G. T. Beal, who has the distinction of being the only medical storekeeper in the army, will be relieved on the 25th inst., and the office will then cease to exist.

Death of a Catholic Professor.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Feb. 15.—Rev. Father Joseph Grein, of the Redemptorist order, and a professor in St. Clement's college, died yesterday from pneumonia. He was 36 years of age.

In a Receiver's Hands.

PHILDELPHIA, Feb. 15.—The famous old hostelry, the Washington hotel, has passed to the control of a receiver.

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Miss Barrowcliffe's Last Talk for Publication.

Tells All She Knows About the Recent Assault—Remembers Only of Hearing Footsteps Behind Her and Then She Was Hit With a Stone—Robbed of a Ring and Pin.

JERSEY CITY, Feb. 15.—Miss May Barrowcliffe, who was assaulted on Dec. 29, 1893, will be removed this latter part of this week to the home of Mr. Aquilla W. Wanmaker, 308 Magnolia avenue. She made a statement last night which she wishes to be final, of what she can recall of the events of the night she was injured. The statement was given in the presence of Dr. Varick and Mr. and Mrs. Osborne.

Miss Barrowcliffe is still pale, but she has apparently recovered her mental faculties. Her eyes are bloodshot and there is a red scar running from the centre of her forehead to the corner of her left eye where she was struck with the stone found beside her. In reply to the request of Dr. Varick to tell of all she could remember in connection with the night she was assaulted, she said:

"I remember walking along West Side avenue. Then I started to cross the field that leads to the board walk at Marion. I did not get to the board walk. I felt somebody strike my head, but I did not see the person. I did not feel any pain because the blow seemed to completely benumb me."

"What is the last thing you remember?" asked Dr. Varick.

"I remember hearing somebody walking behind me. Then I was struck. I woke up in the hospital and wondered how I got there."

"Do you remember when you left Mrs. Smith's house?"

"I think it was about half past six o'clock."

"Did you meet any one you knew after you left Mrs. Smith's?"

"No; I do not remember that I met any one."

Miss Barrowcliffe then said she lost an onyx and diamond ring and an onyx and diamond pin she wore at her throat. Warden Osborne lifted Miss Barrowcliffe's right hand and showed a scar at the base of the finger on which the ring was worn, the wound having been made in tearing it off.

Warden Osborne also said that Mrs. Barrowcliffe and her daughter had an interview that lasted an hour, and that neither he nor his wife could say what had taken place. Mrs. Barrowcliff is housekeeper in a wealthy Brooklyn family, but she offered to give up the place and make her home with May if the latter will consent. At the same time Mrs. Barrowcliffe has a sister who lives at Wakefield, R. I., who wishes to give May a home. All these matters, Mr. Osborne said, would be settled by Miss Barrowcliffe and her mother after Miss Barrowcliff had been removed to Mrs. Wanmaker's house. Another matter to be determined is a proposed trip by Miss Barrowcliffe to England to visit relatives there. She is very anxious to go, but it will be some time before she will be able to undertake the journey.

Villa Echo Burned.

LONG ISLAND CITY, N. Y., Feb. 15.—Countess Theophila Kreamer's residence, known as the villa Echo, was burned to the ground with its contents at midnight. The countess was away at the time and the aged care taker who was in the house was reached with difficulty. The countess was the daughter of a Polish exile and her residence and her home was hung inside with Polish emblems. A part of her boudoir was given over to the altar of the Greek church which was set off with figures of saints and holy emblems. Her home has been for many years a meeting place for Polish patriots.

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"Please ship at once, twelve cases more of H-O to the Cadets' Mess."—Wm. F. Spurgin, Quartermaster.

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H-O Hornby's Oatmeal

EXECUTIVE MANSION, WASHINGTON.
"Please send us at once another supply of H-O. We find it very satisfactory."
PHILIP MCKIM, Steward.

THE H-O COMPANY, NEW YORK.

DOINGS IN CONGRESS

Senate to Take Up Peckham's Case To-day.

A Bitter Fight, Resulting in Rejection of the Nomination Predicted—The Seignorage Bill the Sole Topic of Discussion in the House—A Tilt Between Messrs. Reed and Bland.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—A controversy between some small towns in Oklahoma territory occupied the time of the senate during the whole of the day's session. They have been variously described as "mushroom towns" and as "tent towns," and the question is whether the Rock Island Railroad company, whose lines runs past them, shall be required by act of congress to locate and maintain depots and stations at the one rather than at the other. The debate on the bill was not of a very interesting character, and it went over without action till to-day, when it is hoped by the senator in charge of it (Mr. Berry, dem., Ark.) it will be brought to a vote.

The Hawaiian resolution was not taken up, nor is it likely to be to-day—notice having been given of a motion to proceed to executive business (on the Peckham nomination) at the close of the morning hour. A sharp fight is expected, which it is generally believed will result in victory for his enemies.

House of Representatives.

The seignorage bill was the sole topic of conversation in the house and the only feature of special interest was a tilt between Messrs. Reed (rep., Me.) and Bland (d m., Mo.). During the delivery of a speech by Mr. Walker (rep., Mass.), he was subjected to almost continual interruption, but was assured by his questioners that his time would be extended, which was done after considerable discussion. Mr. Reed then intimated to Mr. Bland that it remained to be seen whether he would make anything out of the proceeding, to which Mr. Bland retorted that he understood the gentleman from Maine intended to break a quorum every time he could get an opportunity.

Mr. Reed—That is just like the gentleman's understanding of this bill; no understanding at all.

Mr. Bland—You know you intend to do it.

Mr. Reed—O, do not make mere noise.

The chairman—The gentleman from Missouri is not in order.

Mr. Bland—The gentleman from Maine is not in order either.

Mr. Reed—This is mere noise. After the gentleman has spoken his speech thirty-seven times—

Mr. Bland—I rise to my feet. I do not sit down and mouth my speech.

Mr. Reed—You had better sit down.

Mr. Bland—Well, I will sit down, at the request of the chair and not at your request. You have had that opportunity once, and I hope you will never have it again.

The chairman twice found it necessary to direct the sergeant-at-arms to seat Mr. Bland, and Mr. Walker was finally allowed to resume his speech.

At 5:30 the house adjourned.

G. A. R. Officers Elected.

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 15.—At the state encampment of the grand army the following officers were elected: Commander, David R. Pierce, Somersworth; senior vice-commander, Charles E. Bunkell, Lakeport; junior vice-commander, L. W. Aldrich, Westmoreland; chaplain, Rev. C. L. Pinkham; delegate-at-large, C. A. Holden, Rumney; delegates, D. H. Newhall, Concord; H. L. Ingalls, Bristol; G. A. Goodwin, Dover; P. C. Atwood, Wilmot; J. B. Cooper, Newport.

Brazilian News at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—The Brazilian minister has just received a cablegram from President Peixoto, which indicates no important changes in the situation at Rio. He wished, however, to correct another false rumor, which was attributed to insurgent sources, conveyed in a dispatch from Lisbon, stating that a bill for the provisional removal of the government from Rio Janeiro to Petropolis had passed the third reading in the Brazilian congress.

American Wood Paper Co. in Trouble.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 15.—Counsel for John D. Wing, of New York, a bondholder, has filed a bill in equity asking the United States court to direct sale of the property of the American Wood Paper company, of Rhode Island, which has its principal place of business in this city. It was related that there was a default in the payment of interest on the company's bonds.

Two Young Girls Disappear.

BEVERLY, Mass., Feb. 15.—Arabella Marshall, daughter of John J. Marshall, and Lilly Wentworth, daughter of a widow, aged respectively 14 and 15 years, mysteriously disappeared from their homes last Friday, and all traces of them are lost, although the police have been at work on the case ever since. They were last seen in the Salem depot at 5 o'clock that night.

Arranging for a Duel.

PARIS, Feb. 15.—Ex-Minister Waldeck-Rousseau, who was struck Tuesday in the lobby of the palace of justice by Count de Feis, has sent a challenge to the count to fight a duel and it has been accepted. The seconds are now arranging the details of the meeting.

Forty Below Zero.

FORT FAIRFIELD, Me., Feb. 15.—The thermometer registered 40 degrees below zero at this place yesterday morning.

WELL DRESSED WOMEN

HANDSOME GOWNS ARE NOT NECESSARILY THE MOST EXPENSIVE.

Diamond Dyes Make Possible Many Stylish Suits—Their Use Greatly Increased by Hard Times—Rich Colors That Will Not Fade, Crock or Wash Out.

"About the only thing the sale of which has been increased by the hard times are diamond dyes," said a Plainfield druggist. "Women like to be well dressed, and they find that by the use of these handy home dyes they can make an old dress look like a new one, prevent the husband's clothing from getting shabby and keep the children nicely clothed."

While there are fifty different colors in diamond dyes, the blacks (special kinds for wool, cotton and silk and feathers) are the most popular, as any color can be dyed a handsome black with but little care or expense. The directions on the envelopes are so plain and explicit that the most inexperienced can do as well as the professional dyer.

In one of the ladies' papers, a story of real life was printed, telling how a winter wardrobe was made from partly worn clothing by the aid of diamond dyes. A tan colored flannel dress was taken apart and washed and then dyed a beautiful brown with seal brown diamond dye. As it is made very plain it can be washed almost as easily as calico; for, like other colors produced by these dyes, it will not fade." It also tells of "a suit that was dyed a lovely shade of dark green," and other useful and handsome gowns, cloaks and hats that were colored over with diamond dyes. Try a ten cent package and see how easily a fast and beautiful color can be made over any kind of goods.

The Colonna Case.

PARIS, Feb. 15.—Prince Colonna, whose wife, the daughter of John W. Mackay, recently instituted proceedings here to secure a judicial separation from him, has left Paris. It is believed that he has gone to London. The prince is cognizant of the arrival of the princess and their children in America, and it is thought he may intend to go there from either Liverpool or Southampton.

Rearmage Crew Coming Home.

COLON, Feb. 15.—The Pacific mail steamer City of Para, which was chartered by the United States government to take off of Roncador reef the crew of the barge, which was wrecked there, and bring them to this port, has just sailed from this port for New York. She has on board the officers and crew of the barge, all of whom are in good health.

Mrs. Frost Ordained.

BOSTON, Feb. 15.—The ordination of Mrs. Amelia A. Frost, wife of Rev. Jesse A. Frost of the Orthodox church here, as a woman preacher in the Congregational church body in Massachusetts, took place here yesterday. It is significant that the council reported unanimously upon her examination and no opposition was made to her ordination.

Donlan to Be Tried in Baltimore.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—Joseph Donlan, the crank who wrote threatening letters to Vice-President Stevenson, Secretary Carlisle and others, will be probably turned over to the Baltimore authorities for trial. The postal card sent by him to the vice-president was written in that city and his threatening letters from Jersey.

To Resentence Purvis.

JACKSON, Miss., Feb. 15.—Attorney-General Johnson, in the name of the state, has made a motion in the supreme court in the case of Will Purvis, to have the question settled in order to have a new sentence passed either by the supreme court or circuit court, as the supreme court may see proper to determine.

'Frisco Press Club After De Young.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—The board of managers of the San Francisco Press club have cited M. H. De Young, proprietor of the Chronicle, and director general of the Mid-winter exposition, to appear before them on Tuesday next to show cause why he should not be expelled for unbecoming conduct.

Signed By Gov. Flower.

ALBANY, Feb. 15.—Gov. Flower has signed chapter 24, appropriating $3,000 for strengthening the embankments of the canal near Schenectady; chapter 25, providing for the payment of $25,000 to the New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, out of the New York city treasury.

The Pirate Captain Identified.

OYSTER BAY, L. I., Feb. 15.—The identity of the captain of the black sloop Sarah has finally been established. His name is Wash Hall, and not Fitch, as previously stated. He is well known on both shores of Long Island sound. He has a bad record.

Smallpox at Utica.

UTICA, N. Y., Feb. 15.—William Reifreid came here from Chicago several days ago and was ill when he arrived. He went to the residence of his father where he kept getting worse. It now develops that he has a severe case of smallpox.

Six Years for Wife Murder.

TAUNTON, Mass., Feb. 15.—John Tennessey, of Fall River, convicted of manslaughter in causing the death of his wife by striking her with a chair Jan. 27, has been sentenced to six years in state prison.

Died at the Age of 96.

JOHNSTOWN, N. Y., Feb. 15.—Peter Dingman, one of the oldest residents of Fulton county, died yesterday. Mr. Dingman was 96 years of age. He is survived by a daughter.

Martyr to Smallpox.

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—Sister Alvina, one of the nurses at the smallpox hospital, died. She contracted the disease while nursing for the patients.

Mansfield Rioters' Trial.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 15.—The Mansfield rioters' trial will likely go to the county before court adjourns this evening.

THE DAILY PRESS.

A. L. FORCE, - - Publisher and Proprietor.
WALTER IRVING CLARKE, - Managing Editor.

CIRCULATION EXCEEDS THAT OF ALL OTHER PLAINFIELD DAILIES COMBINED.

Richard H. McCullough would make a good Democratic Councilman in North Plainfield.

Have n't you signed the petition for a sanitary sewerage system? Don't be a Wayback!

Perth Amboy, at which Plainfield turns up its nose, is about to illuminate its town clock dials by electricity. Plainfield does n't even keep hers going.

Now that the political pot is beginning to bubble in North Plainfield, nominations are in order, and The Press takes pride in suggesting to the Democrats of the borough that the best man for them to name as successor to Mayor Wm. L. Saunders is Samuel St. John McCutchen. His loyalty to the borough's best interests has been faithfully demonstrated in his peerless citizenship, and in his service as Councilman and School Trustee. He is energetic and progressive, and everybody has faith in him. You can count his stature in inches, but mentally you can't measure him. He's one of the giants whom Dr. Holmes meant when he spoke of men with three story intellects—*with skylight.*

For Mayor — Samuel St. John McCutchen.

Nominate him, and he's elected.

The rent discussion grows space. The correspondent "M" yesterday touched on the higher grade of houses and left unmentioned the subject of dwellings for *the common people.* Today's correspondent asks why Plainfield does n't supply rows like Philadelphia's. The answer is easy. An enterprising Plainfield real-estate man had in contemplation the project of erecting rows of desirable dwellings similar to those on Grove street, in various suitable localities, but the pressure brought to bear by a certain clique *of wealthy men was such that he aoandoned* the idea. They said they would n't have rows in Plainfield, and thus far they have been successful in freezing them out of localities selected. Details of this game of freeze-out are reserved for a future issue. Meanwhile, what you know about Plainfield rents, send to The Press.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—William H. Kitchen was sworn in as poundkeeper by the Mayor yesterday afternoon.

—A number of enthusiastic bowlers practiced on the Board of Trade alleys last evening.

—Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., will hold their regular meeting this evening.

—Several young men are arranging a party to camp out at Merwin's Point, Conn., for 10 days next summer.

—Justice Nodyne yesterday entered a judgment for $65.58 in the contract case of William H. Conklin against Frederick W. Crouch.

—Spirited racing on the snow was practiced on Front street east of Church street yesterday afternoon, in violation of the city ordinance.

—The work of Thomas Clark, who now pumps the mammoth organ in the Crescent Avenue Church, will, after May 1, be done by water power.

—The Victor Wheelmen are not discussing cycling this month, but are actively arranging for their sociable in T. A. B. Hall, February 22.

—At the election of officers of the Westfield Fire Department Isaac Seeley was elected chief engineer, C. P. Wilcox first assistant, and Eugene Wilcox second assistant.

—A horse driven to a sleigh by Harry Roberts last night became unmanagable on the way to Netherwood and could not be controlled until he ran into the stable of W. P. Smith on Belvidere avenue.

—The Epworth League will hold their monthly social in Vincent Chapel tomorrow evening. Their programme for the evening is "A Festival of Days". Admission is free, and all are cordially invited.

—Ernest Marx, who was injured by an explosion of photographic chemicals yesterday as told in these columns, declined hospital treatment. He is likely to be disfigured for life, but his eyesight is all right.

—A delegation of six of the workers under the card system visited Street Commissioner Meeker yesterday and asked to be allowed to work in the afternoon. They had but a half-day's labor on Monday and wanted to make the full four days this week. Their request was not granted.

—Nearly every high-grade dramatic company possesses graduates of Thomas W. Keene's companies. His is a great school of acting, and his present company is matchless. After seeing him as Richard III, Plainfield lovers of the legitimate drama will insist on his return as Richelieu.

—Lafayette Post, No. 140, Department of New York, G. A. R., will give a reception tomorrow evening to Commander-in-Chief J. G. B. Adams, of Massachusetts, at Masonic Hall, corner of Sixth avenue and Twenty-third street, New York. M. C. Dobbins of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, will attend.

—Mrs. George W. Terry, nee Miss Freelove Pangborn, was taken to the Morris Plains Asylum this morning by City Physician Simpson and four members of the family. She had been mentally unwell for the past five years, and violent at times. Drs. Simpson and Carman signed the commitment.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell; 25c., 50c. and $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good. Price 50c. Sold by J. D. Mallinson, 205 North Ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

Shiloh's Cure, the great cough and croup cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains 25 doses, only 25c. Children love it. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

A SONG OF TODAY.

The cold rain beat on the snowclad earth,
In the air was the frost's sharp tingle;
They silenced the sound of the sleighers' mirth,
And the music of sleigh-bells' jingle.

The bare trees shivered before the blast,
Each limb felt the Frost-King's fingers;
He weaved for them ice-coats snug and fast,
His breath on their rough bark lingers.

Their crystal jackets were fine to see,
They glittered for man admiring,
And the sunbeams shimmering through each tree
Hung gems of the rainbow's airing.

What matter the cease of the prancing hoofs,
Though silenced the horses' neighing?
The beauty and worth of this gleaming woof
Repay for the loss of sleighing.

The maidens may sigh, and the lads may long,
For the frolic of sleighing party.
But the ice-clad evergreens burst with song,
And the laughter of oaks is hearty.

No music so rare throbs the human ear,
As the creak of the branches swaying,
Or the crackling laughter of woodland cheer,
In its daintiest frostwork spraying.

CUT HIS THROAT.

A Bound Brook Butcher Attempts Suicide.

Edward Eckhart, of Bound Brook, aged 25, a butcher by trade, caused considerable excitement this morning by cutting his throat with a knife. He was found lying on his bed very feeble from loss of blood.

He was brought to Grant avenue on the train, and taken to Muhlenberg Hospital. He will recover.

The cause of the attempted suicide was worrying over trouble.

PLAINFIELDERS IN A DOMESTIC CASE.

Merely Witnesses, But They Enliven the Day's Proceedings.

Yesterday was the fifth day of the trial of the suit in which Ithamar Howe seeks to recover $50,000 damages from Isaac O. Woodruff, the wealthy Malden lane druggist, for the alleged alienation of his wife's affections.

Counselor William K. McClure, of this city, one of the witnesses called, proved to be more than a match for Howe's lawyer. After he had given a description of the preserves of the Magantic Club, of which he is a member, he told of a fuss at the Megantic Club-House, between Mrs. Howe, whom he described as a jolly, rollicking tomboy, and her husband.

He announced unhesitatingly that Mrs Howe was the life and soul of the organization.

"She was a very winsome little thing," Mr. McClure went on. "We all liked her because she was so jolly—so full of good humor—in fact, she bubbled over with animal spirits, and romped about like—well, like a tomboy."

"Did you notice how Mr. Woodruff acted toward Mrs. Howe?"

"Yes; I think he acted as a father would toward a daughter," said the witness solemnly.

"Did Mrs. Howe ever tell you that she did n't care for her husband?"

"Yes, she said that she did not love her husband; that she married him because he importuned her so, and to please her mother."

"How did Mr. Howe treat his wife?"

"Coldly and indifferently."

On cross-examination Mr. Murphy handed to Mr. McClure the "Uno" letter on which the case is practically based, and asked if this letter, assuming that Mr. Woodruff wrote it, would change his opinion as to the "fatherliness" of the defendant's feelings toward Mrs. Howe. Mr. McClure took the letter and read it through, a broad smile overspreading his features the while. Concluding, he replied:

"Possibly it might cause me to change my opinion of Mr. Woodruff."

William H. Brower, also of Plainfield, and a member of the club, was the most imposing witness examined in the trial. He is sixty-eight years old, about six feet two inches tall and broad in proportion. He admitted that he was generally called "Uncle Billy" by members of the club. He said Woodruff, who enjoys the very best of reputations, always showed a fatherly demeanor in his treatment of Mrs. Howe. Howe's treatment of his wife was cold, almost cruel. He was in the habit of lying on the sofa all day reading novels while the guests froze. Mr. Brower bitterly opposed Howe's re-election as steward. When the "Uno" letter was handed to him he said:—

"I think Woodruff was a big fool if he wrote that, but I don't believe he did write it."

Columbus Lodge Is Booming.

Columbus Lodge, No. 58, A. O. U. W., will meet tomorrow evening in regular session. Thirty new members will be initiated, and a grand collation will follow. Central Lodge of this city, and Westfield Lodge of Westfield, have been invited. District Deputy Grand Master John W. Diefendorf of Newark, and associate officers, will conduct the initiation ceremonies. Grand Recorder J. H. Lippincott of Camden and Grand Medical Examiner Luther F. Halsey of Swedesboro are also expected to be present, and a grand time is promised.

Valentine Meeting.

The valentine meeting of the High School Lyceum which is to take place tomorrow afternoon promises to be a great success. Every member in order to attend this meeting must give in an original valentine as a sort of admission ticket. The valentines will be illustrated on the blackboard by Ralph Campbell and there is no doubt that the reading of them will cause no little amusement.

—There being no quorum present, the regular meeting of the Lyceum Debating Society was not held last evening. A sleighing party was arranged instead.

The great domestic stand by, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, is now recognized to be a family necessity. Keep it handy.

—A cobweb sociable will be held in Hope Chapel this evening.

2,000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from C. W. Maxon, Farina, Ills., says: "I consider your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have been in the drug business fourteen years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal satisfaction." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Dr. J. H. Carman is ill at his home in the borough.

J. A. Sangston, of New York, was about town today.

Rev. and Mrs. Herbert Randolph will be at home after February 21.

Father T. J. O'Hanlon of Brooklyn is visiting friends in Plainfield.

Sam Frazee furnished the music for the dance in Pedefleus's Hotel last night.

City Judge William A. Coddington was confined to his home by neuralgia today.

Miss Della Casey of Metuchen is visiting her sister, Mrs. John McCarthy, of Evona.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred F. Brown of Passaic are guests of President and Mrs. William G. E. See.

Prohibitionist Mabee, one of the organizers of the Reform Club, is visiting in Plainfield.

A large sleighing party left the home of John Tier last evening and drove to Scotch and Fanwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hooley and family of West Seventh street started for Florida today.

The Uncle Sam Social Club will dance in their rooms this evening to the music of Sam Frazee.

A private party of fifteen had an enjoyable time in the Somerset House Tuesday evening.

Thomas Rafferty has recovered from his attack of the grip and returned to Seton Hall College.

Miss Laura Emmons of Jackson avenue goes to New Brunswick tomorrow afternoon to visit her aunt.

Counselor W. K. McClure has been honored by invitation to a banquet of the famous Peanut Club, in Rahway.

Jacob Cose and family of Grant avenue left for Annandale this morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. Cose's mother.

The death occurred at 1 this morning of Norman C. Dunn, the seventeen-year-old son of the Netherwood postmaster.

Miss Isabella Mooney died in Scotch Plains early this morning aged 43. The funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon.

Lewis S. Bond will enter the employ of Edward White, March 1, when his resignation as superintendent of the Boys Club goes into effect.

An apple sociable was given at the home of C. E. Sage, Union Village, last night by the women of the M. E. Church. The receipts were $40.

This morning Mrs. Florence Howe Hall of Plainfield delivered her lecture, "Personal Remembrances of Distinguished People", before the Wednesday Morning Club, in the Roselle Casino.

A party of thirty visited G. A. VanDorn's in Bound Brook last evening, leaving in two sleighs from the house of John Stevens, corner of Second street and Watchung avenue. William Wyckoff and Mrs. Stevens arranged the party. N. H. Guttman's music accompanied the dancing.

Freeholder A. Vanderbeek and wife stopped off at Waycross, Ga., on their way to Tallahassee, Fla., and a letter received from them yesterday by acting Overseer of the Poor John Shotwell, tells of Mr. Vanderbeek's taking a little stroll in the woods and shooting six quail and a brace of woodcock.

Eleven residents of Craig place, composing a party arranged by Mrs. Fred Smalley and Mrs. Will Williams, went to Bound Brook last night in a sleigh driven by Capt. William Hand. Refreshments, singing and dancing were enjoyed when the Mansion House was reached. The return trip ended shortly after midnight.

J. A. Smith a Director.

The Retail Merchants Mutual Fire Insurance Company of New Jersey, was organized in Paterson, yesterday, where the home office will be. A constitution was adopted, and the following officers were chosen:

President—James G. Petton, of Paterson.
Secretary—John C. Hendrie, of Paterson.
Treasurer—John O. Totten, of Passaic.

Nine directors were chosen from the towns where Grocers Protective associations exist. Plainfield is represented by J. A. Smith. The company starts off with $300,000 worth of business.

—Councilman Frazee managed to paint his store-front last night after the rush of his evening's business was over.

—Annie Brown, of Watchung avenue, was taken to the hospital yesterday for treatment. She will be out in a few days.

—Arrangements have been made in the fire department headquarters to run four horses to the truck and three to the engine until the condition of the streets improves.

—Handsome invitations, bearing a portrait of veteran George R. Nichol besides views of the local fire houses of '69 and '94, have been issued for the twenty-fifth anniversary reception of Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company, Scotch Plains, Feb. 21.

—A colored woman in the employ of Mrs. Yerkes, on Central avenue, who has been suffering intensely from inflammatory rheumatism, was today, through the efforts of Mrs. J. M. Brown, of Central avenue, taken to the Muhlenberg Hospital for treatment.

THE HEART

is liable to great functional disturbance through sympathy, Dyspepsia, or Indigestion, often causes it to palpitate in a distressing way. Nervous Prostration, Debility and Impoverished Blood, also cause its too rapid pulsations. Many times, Spinal Affections, cause it to labor unduly. Sufferers from such Nervous Affections often imagine themselves the victims of organic heart disease.

ALL NERVOUS DISEASES, as Paralysis, Locomotor Ataxia, Epilepsy, or Fits, St. Vitus's Dance, Sleeplessness, Nervous Prostration, Nervous Debility, Neuralgia, Melancholia and Kindred Ailments, are treated as a specialty, with great success, by the Staff of the Invalids' Hotel. For Pamphlet, References, and Particulars, enclose 10 cents, in stamps for postage.

Address, WORLD'S DISPENSARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, Buffalo, N. Y.

SCRUB and WASH as you will, it is not easy to keep the hands smooth and white in winter time. In fact, the more you scrub and wash, the rougher seems the skin, and you find that the best of soap fails to whiten it. Now if, after washing, you will moisten your hands with LEMON JUICE AND GLYCERINE, the effect will be to soften and whiten the skin, even in the worst weather. Used by hundreds of the "best people" in Plainfield. Originated and sold only by H. P. REYNOLDS, Pharmacist, Park and North avenues.

—2 sleighing parties had refreshments in Hotel Grenada last night. One was composed of Rutgers College students, and the other came from Perth Amboy.

HOAGLAND'S EXPRESS
WILL MOVE YOU.
Large Truck. Competent Men.
39 North avenue. Telephone 121. 2 13 tf

THE REV. ARTHUR CRANE,
Evangelist.
Will conduct Gospel Meetings at the First Baptist Church, (Rev. D. J. Yerkes pastor), commencing
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12,
At 8 o'clock p. m.
Singing by the choir. Gospel Hymns No. 5 will be used at the meetings.
Bible readings will be held each day at 3:30 p. m. (Saturday excepted). 2 10 6

CLAIRVOYANT.
By urgent request of her former patrons,
MRS. DR. EDWARDS,
The great Clairvoyant, is compelled to remain a short time longer, when she will leave for the west. This is positively your last opportunity to see the most celebrated and favored medium in the world. Call at once and avoid the crowd, as Mrs. Edwards always has crowded houses.
CITY HOTEL, ROOM 2, ONE FLIGHT UP.
See sign upstairs. Office hours 9 to 9.
Ladies 50c. to $1. Gentlemen, $1.
The lady wishes to state that she stopped here by urgent request on her way west, and it is positively your last opportunity to see her. Call at once and consult the most gifted medium on earth. 2 15 1w

TERRILL & COLE,
Undertakers and Embalmers,
200 West 2d street,
Next to Trinity Reformed Church.
First-class livery attached.
Telephone 153. 11 26 6m

DEATHS.

CONNOLLY—In this city Feb. 13, 1894, Elizabeth Connolly, aged 69 years.
Funeral from her son's residence, 238 East 3d street, Friday, at 7:45 o'clock at the house, and then take the 8:16 a. m. train for Easton, Pa., where funeral services will be held. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend. 2

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

TO LET—4 large rooms down stairs 112 Jackson avenue. 2 14 2

WANTED.—Owner for two hunting dogs found on Putnam avenue; can be had by proving property and paying expenses. Address R., care Press. 2 14 2

HOUSES to rent centrally located: 1 house 11 rooms, good condition, $20; 1 house 8 rooms, rent $12; 2 houses 7 rooms, rent $9; 1 house 8 rooms, rent $11. Apply 140 Park ave. 2 10 6-eod

WANTED—A farm on very easy terms or would exchange for Plainfield property, or would lease for a term of years. Address Box 20, Netherwood.

LOST—Small silver watch, ribbon and locket attached. Reward for return to Press office or 1109 East Front street. 2 15 2

FOUND—Two keys. Owner can have same by applying at this office.

WANTED—A superintendent for the Boys Club; must be a man genial but able to control. Apply, giving references by letter only, to W. B. Wadsworth, 452 West 8th street. 2 14 3

GIRL for general housework. Apply at 301 Madison avenue.

PLEASANT rooms with board 212 Watchung avenue. 2 15 1m

WANTED.—A loan of $500 for six months; will pay a good bonus and give good security. Address Loan, care Press. 2 15 3

TO LET—Portion of furnished house to party who will board 3. Address V., care Press. 2 12 tf

TO LET—April 1, seven-room house; furnished; centrally located; improvements. Furnished, care Press. 2 12 tf

RESPECTABLE woman wants fine washing and ironing by the day; good reference. Address M. O., care Press. 2 14 2

WANTED—A Remington typewriter, and cabinet for same. G. B. Wean, 112 Plainfield avenue. 2 14 tf

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Call at 91 Rockview avenue. 2 14 2

TO LET—3 rooms on first floor, 4 rooms on second floor. Apply 404 West 3d st., cor. Central avenue. 2 14 6

TO LET—Large house and barn, Front street and Clinton avenue, Evona, opposite station. Wm. McD Corlell. 2 13 6

FURNITURE at private sale, consisting of sofa, chairs, 2 B. W. bedroom suits, dining extension table, laundry stove and table, kitchen utensils, parlor gas chandeliers, 3 clocks, student lamp, bed springs, at No. 1113 Putnam avenue after 2 p. m. 2 13 5

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DOMESTIC MISCELLANY.

The manufacturing potters at Trenton have sent to the operatives an ultimatum to the effect that there can be no increase in the new scale of wages, and, therefore, no conference, arbitration, or concession of any kind. If the men do not present themselves for work by February 19, they are to consider themselves discharged.

President Samuel Sloan, of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad, signed a contract yesterday with the Hall Signal Company, for the equipment of the Morris and Essex road with the Hall automatic electric block signal, from the Susquehanna crossing to Morristown. He also stated to the representative of the signal company that as soon as this work was completed the company would undertake the equipment of the road all the way to Buffalo with the same block signal. The Hall system is purely automatic and is operated solely by electricity.

In the last Louisiana Legislature an anti-miscegenation bill was introduced, but never came to a vote, being suppressed by some influence as strong as it was mysterious. A Negro newspaper published in New Orleans openly boasted that the bill would never pass, and that the opposition to it from private sources was all-powerful. The action, or rather the lack of action, on the part of the Legislature, was severely condemned, and the friends of the bill declared that it should be resurrected at the next session. There is little doubt that this will be done, for the press has taken the matter up and is arousing public sentiment. It seems that intermarriage of the races is prohibited in twenty-two of the forty-four States, including some of the Northern States. In many of them, however, the law is not enforced, and the prohibited unions, although infrequent, are not concealed. A feeling in favor of a strict enforcement is now gaining strength in some of the Southern States. Notably is this the case in Arkansas, where prosecutions against the parties to such unions are being vigorously pushed. *For a long time the law* in the State was openly disregarded.

In many places in the tules lands in the vicinity of Suisan, Cal., wild hogs, as ferocious and as tenacious of life as the boar of the German forests, may be encountered by the sportsman who likes a spice of danger in his hunting. One of these beasts, shot recently, measured from the tip of the snout to the root of the tail more than six feet, and had tusks fourteen inches in length. Its weight, although it had no superfluous flesh, was 420 pounds. The skin at the shoulders was three inches thick and as tough as leather. It was reported that hogs had been running wild in the marshes for a long time, and that they were savage enough to furnish better sport than some other animals that are supposed to be dangerous. A party was formed to kill a particular boar that had been roaming the tules land for several years, in spite of the efforts of local hunters to bring him to bay. The tracks of the boar were found and he was traced to a patch of dense reed grass. The hunters invaded it from different points, and one of them suddenly came upon the animal. His companions heard the report of his gun, and the next instant saw the man's body thrown into the air fully ten feet. Going to his rescue, a second hunter was charged by the boar. One shot brought him to his knees, but even then he rose and rushed on his assailant again. A second ball penetrated the brain, and he rolled over dead. The man who was thrown into the air was not seriously injured, but received bruises which laid him up for a considerable time.

A Night of Legitimate Drama.

In the various changes in entertainments that a dramatic season brings forth, one is always glad to welcome the recurrence of a season of the legitimate drama. There are many hundreds of people who do not visit the theatres at any other time, and to the most constant patrons of comedy, opera, farce or spectacle, it is refreshing to turn to the deep and wholesome lives of Shakespeare and other writers of the legitimate drama. A crowded house should therefore greet Thomas W. Keene as Richard III in Music Hall tonight. He is a great tragedian, and his company of players is carefully selected.

Plainfield Friends Told of George Fox.

Aaron M. Powell lectured in the Friends Meeting-house, Watchung avenue, last evening, on the life and influence of George Fox. Mr. Powell showed that he was well acquainted with the teachings and the travels of the eminent English Friend of the 17th century. He told of much he had learned and seen in a visit to Swarthmore, England, some years ago, and gave his audience a clear idea of the thoughts and trials of the stanch old believer.

The next evening event will be a sociable Wednesday, March 7, when readings and recitations will be given.

Horse Sagacity Saved His Life.

Dr. J. B. Harrison had a narrow escape during Monday night's storm at the Jersey Central railroad crossing at Garwood. There are no gates or lights at the crossing and the driving snow prevented his seeing an approaching eastbound freight. His horse and the engine reached the crossing at the same time. The animal had the intelligence to turn down the track beside the moving train, thus saving its own life and that of the doctor.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY—"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits, 75c. Sold by H. P. Reynolds, druggist, Plainfield. 12 6 3m

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Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by I. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.

A PLAINFIELDER'S BIG CANAL.

Having Secured the Capital, Mr. Anthony's Company Is Ready to Begin Operations.

Chief Engineer Titcomb of the Old Colony and Interior Canal Construction Company says that actual work will be begun about March 1 on the Cape Cod Canal, which Broker J. L. Anthony has been negotiating among financiers. All the requisitions except one have been complied with; this one is the depositing of $150,000 in the State Treasury, and this will be done certainly before April 1, and probably by March 1.

The first actual work to be done will be on the high land about the centre of the canal. There is a large amount of excavating to be done here, and it is probable that about thirty steam excavators will be set at work. The original survey has been changed somewhat, and it has been arranged so that the Old Colony Railroad shall make only one crossing on the main line, near Buzzard's Bay. The entrance to the canal at that end has also been carried farther to the north. This will take it away from the President's summer place, a part of which was cut off by the original survey. Mr. Titcomb says that the whole construction will probably be completed in about eighteen months or two years, and that, in any case, it can be done in two years and a half. The exact time will depend on how *fast the work is pushed by the sub-contractors.* If four of the large new-style dredgers were put to work, it could be completed in twelve months, and it may be that this will be done. These dredgers work very rapidly, taking out about 20,000 yards of material in a day of twelve hours, and by using them and doing the work in sections it could be completed in the time mentioned.

THE BAPTIST REVIVAL.

Meetings Growing in Interest, and Good Results Accomplished.

The revival services in the First Baptist Church continue to grow in interest.

Last night the church was well filled with people anxious to hear the Word as presented by Rev. Arthur Crane, who preached a forcible sermon about the six roads leading to the City of Refuge; the illustrations drawn were very apt and those present applied them to advantage.

In his opening remarks Mr. Crane called attention to the excellent manner in which the papers of the city were giving notice of the services and thanked them all. A very large number of testimonies and prayers followed his remarks, and several professed conversions were noted.

Mr. March again pleased all by his excellent singing, which is becoming a feature of the meetings.

Tonight Mr. Crane will talk to the unconverted.

A TENANT'S PLEA.

He Wants to Know Why Plainfield Can't Furnish Him a Good Home for the Rent He Can Afford to Pay.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—I would like to say a few words on Plainfield rents. I, like a large portion of Plainfield's population, am only in moderate circumstances, have a growing family to look out for, and feel that I cannot afford $30 or $35 a month rent. Yet we wish to be in a neighborhood where there is a nice class of people. Now, I would like to know why Plainfield cannot give us as cheap or cheaper rents accordingly than the city of Philadelphia. I was born and raised there, have many friends there, and know whereof I am speaking. It is well called the City of Homes, for a poor man can have his home to himself, separate from a lot of other families as in a "flat". In that city are row after row of small houses, two stories, with every convenience and nicely finished inside—frequently brown stone trimmings outside—which rent from $20 to $25 a month, and some friends of mine have lived in them at even less rates. Now, certainly, being a large city, Philadelphia's real estate *must* be more expensive than Plainfield's; then why cannot Plainfield builders furnish rents even lower than Philadelphia, and yet have attractive houses?

ONE WHOSE BUSINESS COMPELS HIM TO LIVE IN PLAINFIELD.

A Brotherhood Play After Easter.

The Brotherhood of Holy Cross held their monthly meeting last evening in the choir room of the church. There was a large number of the members present. President Rev. T. Logan Murphy, occupied the chair.

Besides the reports of the various committees which all showed progress and improvement, little else was done.

It was, however, decided to give an entertainment in the parish house soon after Easter. George Taggart will have charge of the affair, and it is thought that he will give one of his new plays.

After the business was transacted the rest of the evening was spent in a social way.

—Contributions to the fund to be used by Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., for entertaining the Second New Jersey Cavalry, February 22, should be given to George W. Moore.

Spunky Elizabeth.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE SUN:—By winning the championship of Union County, N. J., Bowling League this year the Y. M. C. L. A. have twice won that title. They herewith send an open challenge to any team that has won the championship of any ten-men league to play for the championship of the State of New Jersey.

C. SAUER, Secretary.

Elizabeth, N. J., Feb. 14.

W. E. Chipchase, 224 S. Charles st., Baltimore, Md., found Salvation Oil a sure cure for sprains and inflammations.

The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands can testify. Proper local treatment is positively necessary in most cases, but many, if not most, of the remedies in general use afford but temporary relief. A cure certainly cannot be expected from snuffs, powders, douches and washes. Ely's Cream Balm, which is so highly commended, is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power, with perfect safety and pleasantness to the patient. The druggists all sell it.

MANGLED BY LIONS.

The Beasts Which Excited Plainfield Turn on Their Keeper at Last.

The lions which played so exciting a part on Music Hall stage in this city last season, when Col. Daniel Boone's "Under the Lion's Paw" was presented, and when Griswold Harte won notoriety by entering the lions den, have terribly wounded the keeper who attended him. His name was Carlo Thieman, and he led the beasts into the cage at Col. Boone's animal show in the Midwinter Fair, San Francisco. Suddenly the electric lights went out. There was a short interval of silence, when a shriek of agony came from the cage. It was followed by a roar of the enraged lions. The crowd of spectators became panic-stricken and started for the doors, but was finally quieted by attendants, who had retained their presence of mind. Finally lanterns were brought and Thieman was seen lying in the cage with three lions angrily clawing his body. Col. Boone seized an iron bar and entered the cage. With shouts and blows he drove the beasts to a distant part of the cage and dragged the unfortunate man out.

Thieman was taken to the receiving hospital, where his wounds, forty-three in number, were examined. One blow of a lion's paw had torn away the flesh from the man's forehead to the nape of his neck. Under each arm there were terrible bites, and his arms, legs and thighs were bitten and scratched. At the hospital he recovered consciousness, and the doctors think there is a possibility of his recovering. Thieman has been an animal-tender for eighteen years, and was considered one of the best in the business.

Hard-Times Prices for High-Grade Comedy.

No one in Plainfield or vicinity need lack next week for excellent entertainment at a low price, for the Waite Comedy Company, Premium Band and Orchestra, conceded by the press everywhere as being the most complete organization of its kind on the road, will appear in Music Hall every night of the week and give dime matinees Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The scale for reserved seats for the evening will be 10, 20 and 30 cents. Tickets will be distributed at the houses which can be exchanged at Leggett's for a 30-cent reserved seat, free, for any woman, provided the exchange is made in connection with the purchase of another 30-cent reserved seat.

Waite's Comedy Company carries one of the greatest bands and orchestras in the country. The troupe will present a different bill at each performance. This week it is playing in Easton. An Easton paper of Tuesday said:

This is Mr. Waite's third visit to Easton. He never carries poor material in his company. His success here for two seasons and the performance last night give assurance of a week of very good entertainment.

Seventh-Day Growth in Plainfield.

(J. D. Spicer's Plainfield Correspondence in The Sabbath Recorder.)

Being now fairly settled in our new house of worship it is pleasant to note an increased interest in the various lines of our religious work. There has been an unusually large attendance upon the preaching services, and also upon the prayer and conference meetings and the Sabbath-school. There is not yet that spiritual interest manifested, that would be in keeping with our privileges, but there is evidently a desire on the part of many for a deeper consecration in the work God calls us to do, and we are hoping for better times. An "evening with the Bible" forms one new feature of labor which Dr. Lewis is conducting one evening in each week in the church parlor, and this bids fair to become both interesting and profitable to the large number who attend. It is hoped also that the pastor's "at home", in his new study, Tuesday afternoon and evening of each week, will prove a source of help and encouragement to many.

But, mingled with all our privileges and duties, there remains a degree of sadness that has been hard to bear, for besides the death of Bro. Babcock, which we so deeply deplore, we had been called to mourn the departure of five other members of our church within the last half year. And yet, we know that we must look up and not down, and remember as our pastor said at the recent memorial service, that it is God who takes the workers, and that His work must go on.

Strongly Re-Incorporated.

Articles of incorporation have been filed in the office of the County Clerk by the VanDeventer Carpet Company, the incorporators of which are Augustus J. Brunson, J. H. VanDeventer and Edward Nugent. The object of the company is the manufacturing of woolen carpets and fabrics. The business will be conducted at Plainfield, at the reorganized Creston Carpet Works.

The Officers Installed.

Crescent Division, No. 13, Uniformed Rank, K. of P., met in the rooms of Perseverance Lodge on West Second street last night and installed the following officers:

Captain—J. E. Flannery.
Lieutenant—Morgan Turton.
Herald—Jacob Blimm, Jr.
Recorder—Samuel J. Robinson.
Treasurer—G. H. VanNess.
Guard—S. Wakefield.
Sentinel—Thomas Osment.

The installing officers were Adj. Davis and Brigadier Gen. Rhodes, of Unity Division, No. 3, of Elizabeth. Seven new members were initiated, increasing the roll to 32. Refreshments were served in the Farmers Hotel after the meeting.

To Go to Church Together.

At their meeting last night Unity Lodge, No, 102, K. of P., accepted an invitation from Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, to attend the Congregational Church together Sunday evening next. The members will meet in the rooms of Perseverance Lodge on West Second street and march to the church.

How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. a bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

NEW JERSEY'S LAW-MAKERS.

No Settlement of the Dead-Lock Looked for Until Fall—The Fate of Passed Bills—A Stringent Anti-Race-Track Bill.

A Trenton despatch states that it is generally conceded by both Republicans and Democrats now that the senatorial trouble can not be settled until the people vote upon it next fall. The Democrats have about given up the quo-warranto proceedings and the Republicans, though willing to have their laws tested by the courts, feel that such a contest will not entirely settle the matter.

The Republicans are determined to go ahead now as though they were the constitutional Senate. Senator Voorhees said today that they were either a constitutional body or they were dead wrong. From that point of view they were right and there was nothing for them to do but to proceed as any other Senate in the passage of laws.

The bills now in the hands of Gov. Werts, they claim, have become laws by virtue of the expiration of the five-day limit. The Constitution of the State says: "If any bill shall not be returned by the Governor within five days (Sunday excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the same shall be a law in like manner as if he had signed it, unless the Legislature by their adjournment prevent its return, in which case it shall not be a law". Upon this clause of the Constitution the Republicans rest their case and claim that their bills are laws because of the Governor's inaction.

The requirement that the Governor shall file laws with the Secretary of State is only a statutory provision and not constitutional as many have supposed. The law was approved on March 19, 1851. It provides that in case a bill shall pass both houses of the Legislature and not be returned to the house where it originated within the time limited by the Constitution whereby it shall become a law it shall be the duty of the Governor to endorse thereon and sign a certificate of the true time the same was presented to him and deliver it to the Secretary of State, who shall file it.

The Republicans now propose to repeal this law and to enact one creating the office of custodian of passed bills. This officer will have charge of the laws and have them published as required by law. Of course this repealer, like all the others, must go to court for decision upon its legality.

Mr. Storrs of Essex introduced his anti-race-track bill in the House yesterday. It is regarded as the most drastic movement against the race tracks that has yet been made. The introducer was asked yesterday if the bill was introduced at the request of any of the anti-race-track organizations in the State, but he refused to say. Having the approval of the Committee on Partisan Legislation, the bill will probably be pushed through rapidly, and will be added to the other anti-racers now lying on the shelf in the Governor's room.

The Democratic leaders have given out the impression that the Republicans did not want to bring the senatorial trouble to a settlement in order to aid the race-tracks. This bill stops all such rumors at once. The bill not only punishes the the crime of gambling, but also dissolves a corporation allowing it, and takes away all it powers and franchises. This goes far beyond any measure before proposed, all of which allowed racing under certain conditions. It is unlike the race-track bills of any other State.

There is no doubt that the race-track men are somewhat agitated about this fatal thrust at them. They pretend to be unconcerned, because they say the bill can never become a law under existing conditions. At the same time they fear that the courts may some time decide in favor of the republicans, and that would mean their own utter ruin.

The bill which was introduced at the request of Anthony Comstock, to enable him to get even with his neighbor, Chief of Police Kelly of Summit, was ordered to a third reading yesterday.

What 3 Cents a Day Will Do.

The following appeal is now in circulation:

ODD JOB CO.

HELP US TO HELP PEOPLE TO HELP THEMSELVES.

The Employment Committee of the Citizens Organized Aid Association earnestly request the co-operation of the people of Plainfield in securing work for the unemployed.

Every little counts. Will you pledge a small sum each week for two months, to enable us to help people to help themselves? With three cents a day each, from ten families, we can put a man on your block to keep sidewalks, gutters and crosswalks clean. An hour's work (fifteen cents) a week, definitely pledged, makes you a member of a Householders Circle. Will you join one? Employment by two such circles will give a man the means of support. Will you not help us?

One Dollar Well Invested.

If you have bad breath, constipation, pain in the back, nervousness or dizziness your wise course is to take Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. It will cleanse the blood of all impurities, regulate the kidneys and liver, and thus restore a healthy glow to your cheeks again.

Feminine Bowling.

A number of women bowled on the Turn Verein alleys yesterday afternoon and partook of refreshments at the close of the game. There were sixteen bowlers, each woman rolling against one opponent in four frames.

Mrs. Bechtel bowled 87, and Mrs. Myer and Rummel 73 each. Mrs. Sutterlein gave Mrs. Bechtle a coffee pot and a sugar bowl as a prize. The winner will furnish the prize at the next game.

—Mrs. Dr. Edwards, the clairvoyant, has consented to stay at the City Hotel one week longer.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

M'KANE GUILTY.

Final Agreement of The Jury After Long Deliberation—The Announcement Made at Noon—A Recommendation to Mercy.

(Special to The Press.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—John Y. McKane, the boss of Coney Island, was found guilty today of the charge of conspiring to violate the election laws in Gravesend by the jury before which he has been on trial in the Court of Oyer and Terminer in Brooklyn for more than three weeks. The verdict was announced to Judge Bartlett at 12:55.

The jury recommended that mercy be shown in the sentence.

THE BOY WAS BITTEN.

But He Couldn't Prove the Right Dog on the Right Owner.

Justice Nash yesterday tried the case of Alvin G. Smith against Michael Weber. Smith, a paper-carrier, sued Weber, an alleged dog owner, for $200 in tort for damages caused by a dog's bite. Harry Runyon appeared for the plaintiff and Craig A. Marsh for the defendant.

Seven witnesses favored the plaintiff and six the defendant. Judge Charles K. Moore said the dog was n't vicious. Dr. F. C. Herbert testified to having taken the dog about town two days before and that the brute was n't the least bit wicked then.

Frank Conde said he had raised the dog and had given it to Mrs. Weber four years ago, and a tax receipt was shown to prove the dog was hers. Constable Frank Vanderhoff added his testimony to support the peaceful character of the dog.

House-mover Henry had found the boy crying and taken him to Dr. Jenkins. The doctor described the wound as a severe bite and said he had cauterized it. Tunis Hewitt said he had been bitten by the same dog three years ago and that Weber had settled with him. Mrs. Emma Smith, the boy's mother, told of how he came home hurt and said he had been compelled to give up his paper route. The plaintiff described his adventure and was critically examined.

In summing up Counselor Marsh claimed that the dog was not vicious, never having bitten any one before, that it was n't the same dog, that the boy had no right to go into the yard, and the dog did n't belong to Weber. Lawyer Runyon said he had a clear case and the damages could not justly be refused.

Justice Nash decided the case at once by saying that he was certain that the case had not been properly presented, and that he saw no cause for action.

THE MOTORMAN KEPT HIS HEAD.

His Cool Promptitude Saved a Life on Somerset Street.

The cool and quick action of the motorman on an electric car probably prevented loss of life on upper Somerset street at 4 yesterday afternoon.

Car 5, Conductor Henry McCormick and Motorman Mark Hipp, was nearing the end of the line when it came up a few feet behind a two-seated carriage with a canopy top in which Thomas Jennings and Augustus C. Bloom were riding.

The motorman rang the gong, and as he did so the horse made a wild dash across the track in front of the car. The driver apparently became confused and pulled the wrong rein when he tried to turn the horse back.

The car was reversed at once, and owing to the fact that it is the one car on the line propelled by double motors, it bounded back instantly. It slid forward enough, however, to strike the rear of the wagon, and smashed the hind wheels completely. The canopy top was wrecked. The men were thrown out but escaped serious injury. The horse turned down Mountain avenue and started east. It was caught.

Superintendent Adleman has offered to pay for all repairs.

Burned by Hot Metal.

Andrew Gallagher, of Dunellen, an employe in the foundry of the Pond Tool Works, was burned considerably about the face by the splashing up of hot metal yesterday. He was taken to the Hospital, in the United States Express sleigh, but was able to leave soon afterward. His eyes were not injured.

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BY THE WAY.

—The deed of sale of a building lot on Fairview avenue, Watchung Park, from Aaron D. Thompson to Frederick Vordermeier, was recorded in Somerville today.

—A sleigh being driven by Benjamin A. Mumford broke down suddenly near the North Avenue station at 8:30 last night. The six occupants were distributed about the street.

—A lawyer visited people owning property on Hillside avenue yesterday seeking consents to run the electric street railway past the Netherwood Hotel to the Hillside Cemetery.

—Superintendent McCully and Manager Runyon of the Telephone Company decided yesterday to remove the partition at the Central office, shift the sound-proof booth to the front, and put in another booth, besides making other improvements. The popularity of the telephone service has made these increased accommodations necessary.

—Don't be late in getting to Music Hall tonight, or you may miss the magnificent entrance which Thomas W. Keene makes, and which great piece of acting precipitates a storm of applause that continues at intervals throughout the performance. The scowl, the play of the sneering lips about the dazzling teeth of Mr. Keene, are very like the facial expression of his immortal teacher, Edwin Forrest.

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Rib roast	8c to 16c	Sirloin steak	14c to 16
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CUT PRICES IN WATCHES AT DOANE'S.

Sealed Proposals

Will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the city of Plainfield, No. 109 Park avenue, until 6 o'clock p. m. of the twenty-seventh day of February, 1894, for furnishing and laying all the cross-walks required by the city of Plainfield during the remainder of the year 1894.

Specifications for said work may be procured at the office of the Street Commissioner.

The right to reject any or all bids is herewith reserved.

Sealed Proposals

Will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the city of Plainfield, No. 109 Park avenue, until 6 o'clock p. m. of the twenty-seventh day of February, 1894, for furnishing crushed stone to the city of Plainfield for the remainder of the year 1894.

The bids to state the prices for furnishing the following sizes, viz.: "Dust" No. 1 or one inch; No. 2 or one and one-half inch, and No. 3 or two and one-half inch, in such quantities and at such places as the Street Commissioner may direct.

The stone must be of the best quality of trap-rock, free from dirt, clay or other foreign matter, and in every way acceptable to the said Street Commissioner.

The stone must be weighed on such scales as the Street Committee may direct, and a voucher or weigh-bill must be delivered with every load, to the said Street Commissioner or his authorized representative.

The right to reject any or all bids is herewith reserved.

Sealed Proposals

Will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the city of Plainfield, No. 109 Park avenue, until 6 o'clock p. m. of the twenty-seventh day of February, 1894, for the macadamizing of Grant avenue from West Front street to West Fourth st.

Specifications for said work may be procured at the office of the Street Commissioner.

The right to reject any or all bids is herewith reserved.

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

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Everything usually found, in a first-class bakery. Also choice candies.

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Notice to the Public.

Having transferred our lumber and coal business to Orrin H. Thorpe & DeWitt C. Irvin we request our patrons to make as early settlement as possible of outstanding accounts, and announce that we shall continue our office at 803-813 Watchung avenue for the convenience of our patrons. Soliciting for our successor a continuance of favors, we thank the public for its patronage of the past.

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ONLY HIGH GRADE RESIDENCES will be erected. The neighborhood will be restricted, making it as desirable as any in Plainfield.

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ELECTRIC CARS PASS the property. Electric lights, gas and city water will be introduced as soon in the spring as they are needed.

SCORES OF BEAUTIFUL HOUSES now fronting on Sandford and Westervelt avenues have been located on the old Crescent ball field.

JUST AS PROPERTY VALUES jumped in Sandford and Westervelt avenues, so will they also increase rapidly in Watchung Park. Those who buy now will reap the benefit of an early investment.

THE LOTS are about 50x150 feet in size and the map of the property printed in these columns on Wednesdays and Saturdays will give the public necessary information as to their location.

For further information regarding prices and terms, large copies of the map, etc., address or call upon

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UPSIDE DOWN

That is the way we have been turning our stock and prices this week. Next week we do the same. The crowds who daily throng our store know a good thing when they see it—know where a dollar will go the farthest.

This may interest you.

$2 29 is the price of 7 yards of dress goods, 5 yards of skirt lining and 4 yards of silesia. This is without an exception the best bargain in dress goods we have ever offered. Be sure and see 'em.

28c—On sale this week 500 rugs. Regular value 60c.

4½c—"Be you going to sell them ere ginghams for 4½c. next week?" asked a stranger from over the mountains. We told him yes and would also sell Fruit of the Loom, Dwight Anchor and Lonsdale muslin for 7c.

Embroideries—Our display of Hamburg embroideries we think, and every one who has seen them has said, is the finest ever brought to our town. There are five specials, 5c., 7c., 10c., 12c., and 15c.

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A FIGHT FOR MILLIONS.

By JOHN J. McGINNISS.

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CHAPTER XI.

IN THE PLOTTER'S TOILS.

"Hello, Mangan! What are you doing here?"

Raymond addressed the newspaper man as if they had always been the best of friends.

"I might as well ask what are you doing here."

"I don't mind telling you. The board of supervisors is supposed to visit asylums receiving support from the county. I thought Mother St. Gertrude might like to have that disagreeable visit dispensed with by the supervisors in their annual inspection. If so, I was going to send them word to pass the institution by."

"I'm sure it was very kind of you," said Mother St. Gertrude.

"I will do so then. My business is done," he added, turning to Mangan. "Are you going down town, I have a cab outside?"

"I'm going," said Mangan, "but I prefer to do a little walking."

This was no place for a scene. Mangan deemed it best to leave the convent with Raymond. He was satisfied that the politician had lied. What was his mission? Mother St. Gertrude would fain detain Mangan, but she could get no chance to give any sign of her wishes. The politician's keen eyes took in everything; nothing could be done that they would not observe. She could not keep Mangan back, and in truth he did not want to stay. He wished to sound Raymond.

Both walked out together. The sun, sinking behind the chimney tops, cast a lurid glow on the vacant lots around the convent, burnishing the landscape with an iridescence in harmony with the fiery vindictiveness which Raymond felt and from which Mangan was not altogether free. It fed their anger, surcharging their temperaments with its vivid magnetism, strengthening the mood they were in and moving it onward to passion.

"If you're going to walk, Mangan," said Raymond, "I'll dismiss the cab and accompany you."

"As you please," was the answer.

"Now, look here, Mangan," remarked Raymond, after he had paid the cabman, "let us have an understanding. You are unjust to me, especially so since you know how far I would be willing to go for you."

"You would go no farther for me than it suited you."

"Granted, but why not you go as far for me as suits you?"

"I do."

"Yes, but if you cease to be my enemy and become my friend you can be rich."

"At the expense of the orphan?"

"What do you mean?"

"Perhaps you are not aware that you are robbing the orphan of the heritage that is hers."

"Whom do you mean?"

"I will not say, since you do not confess, but let me add that I am not ambitious or envious of wealth that is acquired by dishonorable means."

"You dare to taunt me."

"And to do more than that, if you press me to it."

The two men stood and glowered at each other. Both were men of courage. Each was conscious of his own strength. Mangan was not anxious to avoid an encounter; in fact, he was aching for an opportunity to punish the man he so thoroughly hated and despised. Raymond's better judgment came to guide him, and he laughed as he walked on, saying:

"Come on, Mangan, it doesn't pay me to quarrel with you. I wanted to talk to you about the story you are writing and concerning which you have indulged in some extravaganza."

"I have, eh?" was the contemptuous comment. "How beautifully you phrase ideas that lift the weight of crime from your conscience!"

"I will not argue the point. Are you going to write as rabidly as you have talked?"

"What if I am?"

"You'll get yourself and your paper into trouble."

"Will I? You hold the lands the commission will select, and you think the rightful owner cannot reclaim them."

"There is no one to claim them. If there is, I don't know it."

"I don't expect you to know much that is honest. You excel in knavery."

"You are unnecessarily bitter. Now do you know if any one can claim them?"

"I can't say that I do."

Raymond took this ambiguous reply as a confession of ignorance. He knew that Mother St. Gertrude had never spoken of Isabel's origin to outsiders, and he had never heard that Isabel had breathed her secret to any one. He felt safe. The name on the deeds would not suggest anything to Mangan, he argued. But the publication? That was his dread.

"I couldn't expect a proofsheet of your article?" queried Raymond, affecting a gayety that was not his.

"You can expect nothing but an expose of your peculiar practices."

"You are going into this matter thoroughly."

"Well, I look at it this way: The publication of the story may lead to the discovery of the owners or heirs. If I can do good in that way, I will. At the same time, I will make known the fact that Francis Raymond is about to have all this property transferred to himself."

"It wouldn't do me any harm, and it wouldn't do the owners or heirs any good. The time is very short. Wouldn't you like to own some of these lots, Mangan?"

"Your corrupt method may reach the business office of the paper, not me. Try it."

"I will, and then where will you be?"

"You will not try it."

"Why not?"

"You are too cunning to leave yourself open to perpetual blackmail by an unscrupulous publisher, even if you should find one in The Bugle office, which I do not believe. I made the suggestion sarcastically, because you have already adopted the practice of bribery and by it earned yourself the title of a good fellow."

"You think fast and deep," said Raymond, his wily mind suggesting compliments as a change. "I would prefer dealing with you. Don't get mad"—as Mangan scowled at him—"I'm talking as a friend."

"Better end the conversation here and now."

"Why are you so determined?"

"Because justice must follow."

"If there is any one you know who owns any of these lands, I will transfer my certificate in every case. Now, find a claimant."

It was a bold stroke. It was a shrewd attempt to sound the depths of Mangan's knowledge, but Mangan read his purpose and calmly said:

"I cannot accept your proposition. The claimants will turn up when the story is published. I will select one owner and run him or his heirs down. When I do, I will use that as an example that will draw more general attention to the system that makes men like you rich without the risk that attends common highway robbery. I'll print the story of the commission and of the parks. Later will come the sequel, and I hope that it will photograph you accurately. I have told you, or your satellites, that you cannot escape this castigation, your first and your last. It will drive you out of town."

"Do not let your imagination run away with you."

"Here's my car," said Mangan. "I've done enough walking."

"So have I."

They stood upon the corner awaiting the car. Mangan felt he could not hope to draw anything from Raymond, who was thoroughly familiar with reportorial inquisition. Raymond had also concluded that he could not swerve Mangan from his course. He had resolved, however, to outwit him in some way and prevent the publication of a second story. They boarded the car and sat down together.

"Mangan, I have something important to tell you. Where are you going now?"

"To the office."

"Will you meet me in the evening?"

"On what business?"

"The business we were discussing."

"I will see you. Where?"

"There's to be a little banquet tonight in the warden's parlors in the penitentiary. You know every one who will be present. The last banquet of this nature was one you newspaper men will not soon forget. It was in the jail. A murderer committed suicide while the festivities were at their height, and you boys ran away from the pleasure to the duty of getting out an 'extra.' There will be no newspaper man but you there tonight. You may get a splendid exclusive story."

"I will go."

The conversation by mutual endeavor, so to speak, drifted into the commonplace. Mangan jumped off the car as it passed The Bugle office and ran into the editorial rooms.

"Got your story?" queried the managing editor.

"I have and I haven't," was the reply. "I have a four column spread here on the park sites, the history of the land and so forth. I understand that Raymond holds the certificate to nearly all this property, principally as trustee. He can say he is trustee for the real owners and manage it as he pleases, escaping criticism, if not suspicion. Who can challenge his right?"

"Print the facts. Let the people judge."

"I'm going to make a proposition to you. Leave out his name. I'm going to Denver on a mission which, if successful, will show he is not a trustee, but a thief whom the law protects. I am glad I took the assignment. My private business is so close to public business that I never would have suspected the relation. Use this story next Sunday. Then wait until you hear from me."

"Your judgment goes, Mangan."

"I've got an appointment for this evening. You may not have word from me for a couple of weeks. But you'll hear from me on time."

"Since your private business has taken a public turn, what are you going after?"

"I prefer not to say."

"Well, you are still working for The Bugle," said the managing editor. "I'll give you an order on the cashier for your expenses and a month's salary in advance. I'll talk to the publisher. Come in again tonight. You are not overburdened with wealth, I suppose?"

"Hardly, but I must decline to take the money. I have enough of my own until I return."

"Very well, then."

Mangan went to his lodgings, packed his trunk and after making ready for his trip to the west went to the penitentiary. He was admitted by the warden. No sooner was he inside than two strong keepers seized him. Mangan looked at the warden and asked, indignantly:

"What is the meaning of this?"

"You are sentenced to one year's imprisonment in the penitentiary."

"On what charge and by whom?"

"Police Justice Lion's name is signed to the commitment."

"Yes, one of the many he signs and leaves his clerk to fill out, while the clerk acts as judge and the judge himself is roistering among sports. I have been trapped, but they will suffer. There is no law by which I can come here except by conviction of an indictment found by a grand jury."

"A police justice can send you here as a disorderly person."

"And is that the charge?"

"Maybe it is and maybe it isn't. It's a valid commitment. It cites your offense, your plea and regularly declares you guilty. You can never prove you were not tried in open court."

"The police justice knows."

"And he knows something else."

"That he wants a second term and would perjure himself to get it?"

"That's none of our business. Mr. Mangan, will you give us your pedigree for record on the books?"

The keepers had led Mangan into the office. The warden had gone behind the rail, opened the book where the record of each criminal is entered, held the pen and awaited Mangan's answer.

"Never!" said the defiant prisoner.

"You're not ashamed of it, Mr. Mangan, are you?"

"No, but it will never be recorded with the history of criminals. I want to know the cause of this?"

"It will keep you from making trouble for yourself and others, I suppose. You ought to know."

"I will know. Where is Raymond?"

"Here!" said a voice behind him.

"You cowardly cur!" said Mangan as he surveyed him scornfully. "This is your work."

Mangan's pockets were being turned inside out. Next the keepers would take him out of the office to the bath and change his civilian dress to the garb of a felon. There was a pile of Mangan's letters on the desk before the warden, and Raymond stepped over and began to peruse them.

"I'll make you pay for this!" said Mangan.

"Indeed!" sarcastically retorted Raymond. "You will be here for a year. When you get out, no one will believe your story. If by accident your whereabouts should be discovered, the commitment papers are against you. Do you not know that you are doomed to solitary confinement? Don't bother me. Let me read."

He picked up another envelope.

"This is an ancient epistle. And to the superior of the Convent of Mercy. So you have been thieving, eh? You professional moralists are practical ruffians. But I suppose your philosophy springs from experience. We'll see what's inside. It may be of value to Mother St. Gertrude."

He drew forth the inclosure. Mangan watched him to note the effect. Raymond's face flushed, the demon of evil seemed to posses him, and he shook the letter in Mangan's face.

"The penitentiary is the place for you. You'll read the result of this at the end of the next three months, and I'll be more master then than now. Warden, give me a match."

The warden and keepers were surprised. The warden came from behind the railing, closed the doors leading to the corridors, a premonition of something dreadful making him cautious to limit the number of witnesses. After this he advanced to Raymond, handing him a box of matches. Raymond lit one, applied it to an end of the letter, which he held until it burned close to his fingers, and then, pressing the charred corner between his forefinger and thumb, threw it into Mangan's face.

Mangan stepped backward. The keepers understood his action to be that of fear. That he was subdued they did not doubt, and their arms went back with his movement mechanically. Suddenly they felt his muscles swell with the tide of temper, his arms twisted, in a second he had hold of each man, in another he had knocked both their heads together, and quick as a ball from a catapult he had sent them rushing against Raymond, and the three fell in a heap.

The warden stood aghast. Ere he had time to recover his senses and before Raymond and the keepers could scramble to their feet, Mangan was behind the rail and had in his hands a big revolver that had hung upon the wall. The hands of all went up. He walked to the telephone, keeping his enemies under cover, rang up central, asked for the office of The Bugle, and hung up the receiver to await the tintinnabulations of the connected currents.

Raymond was the first to regain his composure.

"What are you going to do?" he asked.

"Bring up the editor of The Bugle and his legal adviser. I'll stay in here after that until I am released on a writ of habeas corpus, and the proceedings will proclaim your villainy."

"Mangan, I'll compromise. I'll sign a quit claim to the Leland estate if you do not ruin me!"

Ting-aling-aling-aling!

The connection was made. The Bugle office was as near to Mangan as Raymond was. Newspaper men make lightninglike conclusions in emergencies. Mangan knew Raymond would not keep his word, and he knew also that Raymond would be bold enough to repudiate the deed if signed then and there, on the ground that duress had been used. The keepers would perjure themselves to strengthen their claims on Raymond. There was no way to restore to Isabel her rights except on evidence acceptable to the supreme court. Mangan would gain nothing by entering into legal complications now, but would lose time—and time was everything. Three months more and Raymond would be absolute master. He must postpone quarrels. All this flashed across his mind while the telephone bell was ringing. He saw he had the man before him scared and that he could dictate.

Mangan was behind the rail.

"Walk out into the corridor, all of you, and you open the doors, warden," he commanded.

They obeyed. As he followed them he took his letters off the warden's desk and put them in his overcoat pocket, still covering the four. The warden opened the doors.

"Every one of you stand up against the wall in the rear of the corridor. Be particular to keep your hands above your heads.

They marched back.

"What are you going to do about this, Mangan?" asked Raymond.

"You'll hear too soon for your own comfort," was all that was vouchsafed him.

When they had reached the rear wall, Mangan passed out through the doorways and ran to catch a passing car.

"It's getting hot," he said to himself as he allowed his mind to wander back over the exciting incidents he had just passed through. "It's fun in one respect, but if I cannot prove Isabel's paternity Raymond will have the laugh. Mother St. Gertrude will care for Isabel, and I'll start straight for Denver in the morning before I get entangled in other plots."

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And this slavery, which has lasted so many thousand of years, is still unconquered, and all countries are crying for a deliverer. Of late there has sprung up a subject which is interesting the entire world.

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"My nervousness stopped and my strength increased, and today I am a comparatively well man.

"I cordially recommend Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, and know from experience that it will do all that is claimed for it."

Mr. Colby has been in the bonds of slavery for many months, but was at last freed by Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy.

If you are suffering from any form of nervous or chronic disease, are weak and debilitated, if you have kidney or liver complaint, take this wonderful medicine and you will be restored to health. It is purely vegetable and perfectly harmless. Dr. Greene, the discoverer of this great remedy, who is the most successful specialist in curing nervous and chronic diseases, can be consulted free of charge personally or by letter, at his office, 35 West 14th st., New York City.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 0 30, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 50, 2 30, 3 20, 4 05, 4 45 5 05, 5 45, 6 25, except Saturday, 5 30 6 15, 6 50, 7, 30, 8, 0 30, 9 15, 10, 15, 11 30, P. M. 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1 2 15, 4, 5 30, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 P.M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 56, 6 30, 6 50, 7 26, 7 45, 8 48 9 23, 10 04, 10 27, 11 24, A. M., 12 06, 1 14, 2 07, 3 30, 5 13, 6 02, 6 50, 8 54, 9 56, 10 37, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 06, 8 53, 11 28, A. M., 12 38, 1 43, 3 30, 5 36, 7 01, 9 26, 9 25, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 10, 7 12, 7 56, 8 39, 9 09, 10 06, 11 08 A. M., 12, 1 26, 2 20 Saturday only, 3 06, 3 56, 4 05, 5 05, 6 06, 6 50, 8 20, 7 15, 7 56, 8 40, 10 05, 11 20 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 46, 9 50, 11 56, A. M., 1 10, 3 36, 4 10, 5 45, 7 20, 9 26, 10 20 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 43 2 09 3 23, 5 45, 6 06, 6 16, 8 04, 6 06, 8 20, 8 37, 12, 7 54 9 17, 10 26, 11 06, P. M. 12 38 night Sunday—8 46, 8 20, 9 04, A. M., 3 06, 5 26, 6 14, 6 30, 10 14, 11 14 P.M.

Leave Somerville, 6 30, 7 35, 7 58, 7 46, 8 20, 9 06, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 48, 3 05, 3 36, 4 35, 5 26, 6 35, 8 26, 9 45, 11 06, P. M. Sunday 8 26, 11 00 A. M., 12 06, 1 16, 5 05, 6 35, 9 05, 8 08, 9 40 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 43, 2 09, 5 05, 5 16, 6 06, 8 17 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 26 A. M. 2 06, 6 06, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 53, A. M., 12 32, 4 04, 7 25 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 9 54, a m 5 05, 5 14 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown' Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 51 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazelton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 43 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 09 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Bangor Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

6 14 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

6 17 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 29 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin Williamsport, &c., 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, High Bridge Branch, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 4.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 9 57 a. m. 1 14p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 8 57, 5, 11 24, a. m. 1, 14, 4 01, 5 54, p. m. Sundays — (except Ocean Grove) 9 a. m., 3 00 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 57, 5 05, 8, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, 4 50, 5.54, 7 05 p. m. Sunday—8 02, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 9 57, 6, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, p. m.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 28*, 10 45, a. m., 12 43, 2 09*, 5 34*, 6 50*, 8 17*, p. m., 1 17 night. Sunday—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 05*, 8 17* p. m., 1 17 night.

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For New Brunswick—1 00, 6 37, 7 10, 7 59, 9 09, 9 57, 10 59, 11 43, a. m., 12 56, 1 17, 2 37, 3 48, 3 20, 3 39, 4 01, 4 28, 4 48, 5 20, 5 40, 6 06, 6 08, 6 12, 6 17, 6 27, 6 48, 6 52, 6 59, 7 18, 7 46, 8 18, 8 55, 9 54, 11 02, 11 44, p. m., and 12 26 night, week-days. Sundays, 1 08, 1 38, 6 30, 8 43, 9 49, 10 25, 10 41 and 11 47, a. m., 12 40, 1 00, 2 47, 3 20, 4 50, 5 20, 5 40, 7 21, 7 47, 8 14, 8 47, 9 16, 10 14, 11 00 and 11 55 p. m.

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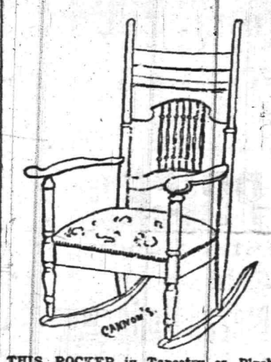

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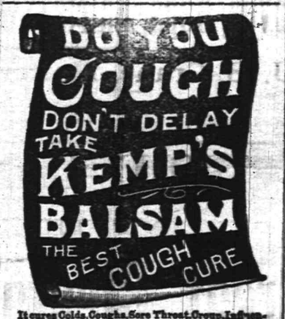

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FIGHT OVER PECKHAM

Both Sides Claimed the Victory This Morning.

The Struggle to Be Renewed This Afternoon—Senate Passes the Oklahoma Railroad Bill, and a Poll of the Members on Woman Suffrage is Secured—House Discusses Silver.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The house bill as to railroad stations at town sites in the territories was taken up yesterday very soon after the senate met, and was opposed by Mr. Platt (rep., Conn.), as a piece of special legislation and therefore mischievous. He criticized severely the secretary of the interior for his activity in urging the passage of the bill. It was eventually passed, with an amendment requiring an election in two counties in Oklahoma that are effected by the bill, to determine the location of the county seats. An amendment was offered by Mr. Peffer (pop., Kas.), allowing women to vote at such elections; and a chivalrous declaration by that gentleman that he would always stand up for the rights and privileges of woman, received the approving hand-clap of a few ladies in the galleries. The amendment itself, however, only got the support of 15 senators, and was consequently lost. The new senator from Mississippi, Mr. McLaurin, cast his first senatorial vote on the amendment, and it was not in favor of woman suffrage. The vice president had also the chance which so rarely comes, of casting a decisive vote. The result on the passage of the bill being announced as; Yeas 27; nays 27; the vice president voted aye, and the bill was passed. There is some prospect of a motion to reconsider being made. All the remainder of the days business in the senate was transacted in secret session, the nomination of Mr. Peckham being the interesting subject discussed.

At ten minutes to three the doors were closed and the great battle began. Mr. Pugh at once called up the nomination and proceeded to address the senate. He laid before the senate the matter contained in the letters that had been sent to the committee and made an argument against the fitness of Mr. Peckham. His speech was addressed mainly to the legal qualifications of Mr. Peckham, which, he said, with much positiveness, were entirely inconsistent with the duties of a jurist. The nominee, was, he said, more the biased and special pleader than the impartial judge capable of looking on both sides of a legal question. He also opposed him for his attitude in certain elections, when, Mr. Pugh said, Mr. Peckham had proved by his actions that he was not a good democrat. Mr. Pugh spoke for an hour and a half, making a temperate, but, as senators pronounce it, strong speech. He was followed briefly by Mr. Harris (dem., Tenn.) in support of confirmation. Mr. Harris' short speech was characteristic of him, and he expressed his views in a forcible and terse manner.

At 4:45 Mr. Lindsay (dem., Ky.), a member of the judiciary committee, replied to some of the arguments of Mr. Pugh and made an earnest speech in behalf of the nominee. Mr. Lindsay spoke for upwards of an hour, and at 5:30 was followed by Mr. McPherson (dem., N. J.), in favor of confirmation.

At 5:55 Mr. Vilas got the floor, prepared for a lengthy speech, and it became evident that no result could be reached. By common consent an adjournment was taken until to-day, when the discussion will be resumed immediately after morning business.

There was no attempt to test the feeling of the senate on Mr. Peckham's nomination, but now both sides claim a victory. The Hill men figure out a majority of about nine while the friends of Mr. Peckham say that they believe he will be confirmed by a small majority. The effort is being made to consolidate the democrats on party lines.

House of Representatives.

After mentioning various times for the closing of general debate on the seigniorage bill, Mr. Biand (dem., Mo.) gave notice that to-day he would ask the house by a vote to determine some limitation to debate. All of yesterday was occupied in considering the bill, Messrs. Rawlins (dem., Utah), Latimer (dem., S. C.), Simpson (pop., Kas.), Boatner (dem., La.), Enloe (dem., Tenn.) and Goodnight (dem., Ky.), spoke in favor of the bill, and Messrs. Hendrix (dem., N. Y.), Bingham (rep., Pa.) and Hall (dem., Minn.), made speeches against it. At 5:05 the house adjourned.

An A. P. A. Editor in Trouble.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Feb. 16.—The grand jury has returned an indictment against W. P. Bidwell, editor of the American Eagle, the A. P. A. paper, charging him with criminal libel, the alleged victim being Rev. Father Berg, of St. Vincent's Orphan asylum. Editor Bidwell was released on $500 bond. In a recent civil suit brought by Bishop Rademacher, Bidwell was fined $500 by Judge O'Rourke for libel.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Since the last day of January, the treasury balance has increased in round figures $53,000,000, the assets now standing at $791,000,000. This increase practically represents the money derived from the bond issue, all of which, with the exception of about $2,500,000, is now in hand.

$20,000 for Charity.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The benefit performance in the Metropolitan Opera house cleared over $20,000 for charity. These figures were officially announced at the box office. The entire bill was carried out. The performance began at 7:30 o'clock and lasted until nearly midnight.

Fined for Stopping a Train.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 16.—George W. Davis, a Philadelphia traveling salesman, has just been fined $5 and $709 costs in the city court for stopping an express train at Lyme, on the Shore Line division of the Consolidated road.

Coughlin Trial Nearing the End.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—Arguments were begun in the Coughlin trial this morning, and it is possible that the case may be given to the jury to-morrow night.

Convicted of Forgery.

UTICA, N. Y., Feb. 16.—M. Theodore Brennan, 19 years old, has just been convicted of forgery in the second degree.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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M'KANE GOES TO JAIL

First Night Behind Bars for the Boss.

The Graveseud Political Leader's Friends Dumbfounded at the Verdict—The Prisoner Himself Pale and Nervous—Will Probably Be Released on Bail, Pending Appeal.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Feb. 16.—John Y. McKane, the political boss of Gravesend, Sunday-school superintendent, and, in fact, supreme ruler of Coney Island, who was convicted yesterday afternoon of a felony, for his conduct during the recent election at Gravesend and the clubbing and arrest of the Gaynor men, spent his first night in Raymond street jail last night, and unless his lawyers are particularly successful the chances are that he will remain there until next Monday, when he will be called for sentence. Of course, a new trial will be asked for, and the usual stays secured, pending appeal, etc., during which time McKane will likely be released on bail.

McKane's friends were dumbfounded at the verdict, as they believed, against the belief of all others, that an acquittal was sure. McKane, himself, however, evidently realized his predicament several days ago, and when the verdict was rendered he was deathly pale and very nervous. The jury's recommendation for mercy will probably influence the justice, to some extent, in deciding on the sentence he will impose; as to what this will be speculation is rife, but at great variance, the general impression being that it will not exceed five years, half of the maximum penalty. Two years is the minimum sentence.

LITTLE PROGRESS AT PLYMOUTH

Efforts to Reach the Imprisoned Men Through Another Mine.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Feb. 16.—There are no new facts regarding the terrible accident at the Gaylord mine in Plymouth. The rescuing party is vigorously pushing the work of trying to reach the 13 entombed men and everything possible is being done to unearth them. The men at work are greatly hindered in their progress through the continued fall of rock and coal. So far very little of the debris has been handled. A plan has been adopted by the mine officials to enter No. 4 workings of the Delaware & Hudson Coal company adjoining. If they can reach the end of a gangway in this mine where a huge door connects with the Gaylord workings it is probable that the rescuing party may proceed to a point within 30 feet of where the men are supposed to be, and should the air course not be choked up with debris from previous falls they may find the men within the next two days. To say the least the work of the rescue party is attended with the utmost danger.

The situation, as far as can be ascertained from miners who know these workings is anything but encouraging.

Another fall took place last night and six of the rescuing party barely escaped being killed.

Supt. Picton, of the mine, whose son is one of the entombed men has become prostrated and his life is said to be in danger. A telephone message from Plymouth says that his recovery is doubtful.

Elmira Investigation Ended.

ALBANY, Feb. 16.—Mr. Brockway's testimony before the Elmira reformatory investigating committee yesterday afternoon closed the hearing. He denied all the charges of cruelty against him. He denied ever striking inmates in the face, or kicking them or using profane language either in or out of the reformatory. Statistics were then introduced in evidence from the reformatory records. These showed, total number of blows delivered in punishments 19,497; number of punishments, 2,578, an average of 515 for the past five years and an average of 7 1-2 blows to each punishment.

Part of a Big Anarchist Plot.

PARIS, Feb. 16.—It is believed now that the outrage committed by Emile Henry at the cafe of the hotel Terminus Monday night, when 24 persons were injured by the explosion of a bomb thrown by him, was part of a vast anarchist conspiracy. It is thought that the plot was prepared in London, and that 23 men, among them Henry, were assigned to execute the outrages. Henry has confessed that he held communication with Dr. Paul Reclus, for whom the police have been looking for a long time in consequence of his alleged connection with Vaillant.

Oatmeal Eaters.

Galen lived to be - - 140.
Cardinal de Salis to be 110.
Old Parr to be - - - 153.

All famous oatmeal eaters, and this was before

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FIRED ON OUR SAILORS

Rebels in Rio Bay Again Courting Trouble.

Send Three Shots After the Newark's Launch, and Then Claim it Was All a Mistake—Several of the Newark's Tars Sent Ashore With Yellow Fever—The Boat to Be Fumigated.

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RIO JANEIRO, Feb. 16.—On Tuesday night last a launch belonging to the American cruiser Newark took ashore from that vessel several sailors who had been attacked by yellow fever. The men were taken to the yellow fever hospital and the launch returned to the Newark. On her way back her course took her close to the anchorage of the merchant fleet. Lying among the merchantmen was the insurgent steamer Marte. The latter fired three shots at the launch, but all three went wild, doing no damage.

The representative of the United Press saw the captain of the Marte yesterday and questioned him as to why he had fired on the American boat. The captain declared that he did not know that the launch was American. This statement, however, is not worthy of belief, as the launches belonging to the American warships are easily distinguishable from the other boats plying about the harbor.

After landing her sick sailors the Newark, under orders from Rear-Admiral Benham, the commander of the American squadron, sailed for Montevideo, where she will be disinfected.

It is the opinion of those who know what sort of a place the bay is during the yellow fever season, that the fleet of warships ought to anchor off Copacabana, outside the harbor. There is no fever at that place, which is easy of communication from the city.

NO ONE TO ENTERTAIN THEM.

Squabble at New Haven Over the Visitors from Newark.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 16.—There was a lively squabble between the members of town and city governments regarding the entertainment of Newark, N. J., visitors who came here for the purpose of inspecting the town almshouse. Mayor Sargent refused to expend anything because there had been no appropriation made and the town officials held that the visitors were the city's guests, and they too refused to do anything. The mayor's action was due to certain newspaper criticisms because of a bill which he put in for expenses for visits to Hartford last year were termed junketing trips.

The visitors are Mayor Jos. E. Haynes, Private Secretary Geo. E. Haynes, Henry C. Klein of the Newark board of education and Aldermen Smith and Rogers. A New Haven paper procured a carriage and offered to entertain the guests, but they were considerably nettled at the neglect of the officials and refused. The selectmen finally procured carriages and telephoned to the almshouse, ordering a suitable dinner prepared for the party.

The conduct of the squabblers is adversely commented upon by all of New Haven's leading citizens.

Second Elopement Successful.

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 16.—W. A. Eckerman, a prominent hardware merchant and Miss Lizzie Kasper, the pretty 15-year old daughter of Chris Kasper, a wealthy contractor, have embarked in their second elopement venture. Eckerman had been paying attention to Lizzie's older sister, but there came an estrangement between them. On April 4, 1893, Eckerman took Lizzie from school and eloped to Cincinnati, in which city they were arrested, and brought back to Cleveland. Yesterday both parties were missing from home and an investigation discloses the fact that they had again eloped to Newport, Ky., where they were married.

Jersey's Republican Senate.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 16.—The republican senate held a brief meeting last night to receive a house message and place on its calendar all the bills passed by the house this week. These bills may receive their final consideration to-day. Before adjourning for the night the Camden police bills were advanced to third reading. These bills relate as well to Paterson and Trenton. They abolish the democratic management of the police departments in those cities. The act to annul all licenses heretofore granted for race tracks was also advanced to third reading. There was no debate upon the measure.

Biker Again Balked.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Justice Bradley, in the circuit court, of the District of Columbia, has denied the amended petition of C. L. Riker, of Chicago, for writ of mandamus to compel the secretary of the treasury to turn over to him $50,000,000 in bonds issued by the secretary on substantially the same grounds given in a previous decision on the original petition.

Laing Defeats Goddard.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—Melbourne, Australia, advices state that Harry Laing defeated Joe Goddard in a vicious fight which took place before the Melbourne Athletic club on Jan. 1. The contest lasted 12 rounds. It is claimed that Goddard was not in first-class shape for fighting.

Dr. Eugene West Acquitted.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—Dr. Eugene West has been acquitted of the charge of having murdered by malpractice Addie Gilmour, the young milliner, who disappeared last September and whose mutilated remains were subsequently found in the bay.

ALIEN LACE WORKERS

Is Mr. Wanamaker Guilty of Importing Them?

Four Persons Now Detained in New York, Who Claim They Came From Ireland Under Contract and Have Been Working for $5 a Week Each and Board—The Story Denied.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The immigration authorities believe that they have a case of violation of the alien contract labor law against ex-postmaster-General Wanamaker. Immigration Inspector Wahle has taken to Ellis island, on suspicion of being contract laborers, William Timmins, age 42, a lace weaver; Bridget Gallaher, age 23, a lace spinner; Owen Curran, age 30, wood carver, and Hugh Feny, age 29, weaver. The four had come from Philadelphia and were looking for their baggage preparatory to sailing for Europe.

Timmins, acting as spokesman, said they came from Minnaduff, county Donegal, Ireland. Through correspondence with the Donegal Industrial fund of London, Timmins received a contract paper for himself and his three companions providing that they were to work for $5 a week each aboard and to go to any part of the United States designated by Mrs. Hart. They signed the contract and received steamship tickets from Liverpool to New York.

Just then Timmins' brother returned from the United States and advised them not to come here. They decided against coming and sent back their steamship tickets. By return mail the tickets were returned to them with the information that as they had signed a contract they would have to go, for if they did not they would be punished. This frightened them into coming. They arrived here on December 8, and at Philadelphia were met by a Mr. Walton, acting for Mrs. Ernest Hart, and he took them to the Keystone hotel and later put them at work in Mrs. Hart's lace department in the Wanamaker building.

Their work was of the exhibition order and continued until a month ago when Mrs. Hart asked them to sign another contract to go to the midwinter fair in California. This they did, but a week ago they were informed that the California scheme had fallen through, and that they must return to Ireland.

Mrs. Hart saw them off at Philadelphia on Wednesday, handing them their steamship tickets as the train started. Second cabin passage had been promised them, but their tickets called for the steerage only.

Timmins said that their wages had always been paid them by Mr. Wanamaker's cashier, Mrs. Coyle, and that Mrs. Hart was head of Mr. Wanamaker's lace department.

The penalty for violation of the alien contract labor law is $1,000 for each offence.

An Explanation at Wanamaker's Store.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 16.—Robert C. Ogden, partner of ex-Postmaster General Wanamaker, was seen in relation to the lace workers detained in New York. He said that the firm had nothing to do with bringing the people here, but that they were brought by Mrs. Ernest Hart, and that the space was given her in the Wanamaker store as an act of courtesy that she might show here the practical results of the work of her pupils from the Donegal Industrial school. Mrs. Hart was also seen and confirmed this statement. The four girls had taken the places of girls employed in the Irish village at the World's fair, but had grown homesick and returned to Ireland.

Jersey Sons of Veterans.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 16.—At the 19th annual encampment of the Sons of Veterans, department of New Jersey, held here, the election of officers resulted as follows: Colonel, George W. Pollitt, Paterson; lieutenant-colonel, James T. Pierson, Somerville; major, C. Y. Crosdale, Trenton; adjutant, W. D. Kingland, Paterson; quartermaster, W. J. Dunkerley, Paterson; inspector, Thomas Renwick, of Camden; mustering officer, Jacob Sherey, Jersey City; judge advocate, James B. Adams, Atlantic City; surgeon, Harry W. Kehoe, Rutherford; chaplain, J. H. Kroenberg, Morristown.

Starved to Death With Plenty.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 16.—In the squalid kitchen of his house, on North 18th street, with plenty of money on his person, Wm. A. MacHatton, aged 58 years, died of starvation. One hand was over his pocketbook, which was in his coat pocket, and it contained $625. In the kitchen cupboard were found several deeds to property, insurance policies and other documents. A brother of the deceased man, Charles W. MacHatton, lives in Cambridge, Mass., and he has been wired of his brother's death.

Killed With His Own Bomb.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—A young man, supposed from letters and papers found in his pockets, to be Martial Bourdin, an anarchist of the Vaillant school, was blown to death and horribly mutilated in Greenwich park late last night, by the explosion of a bomb he had concealed on his person. It is believed that he was on his way to blow up the observatory. His clothes were of fine texture and 13 pounds sterling were found in his pocket.

Favor a General Strike of Miners.

ALTOONA, Pa., Feb. 16.—The convention of delegates of District No. 2, United Mine Workers of America, before adjourning passed a resolution favoring a general strike of all miners as soon as possible, but opposing local strikes.

Gold From France.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—On the steamer Lahn, from Bremen and Southampton, just arrived, were 1,010,000 francs, in gold, 310,000 francs of which were consigned to Muller, Schall & Co., and 500,000 francs to order.

Ex-Assemblyman Murphy Dead.

JERSEY CITY, Feb. 16.—Ex-Assemblyman James Murphy, of Hudson county, is dead at his home on Brunswick street, from pneumonia.

Jacques Maillet Dead.

PARIS, Feb. 16.—Jacques Leonard Maillet, the well-known French sculptor, is dead.

THE DAILY PRESS.

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CIRCULATION EXCEEDS THAT OF ALL OTHER PLAINFIELD DAILIES COMBINED.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—A regular meeting of Major Anderson Post, No. 109, G. A. R., was held last night.

—Get photo goods, books, toys and stationery at R. C. Rand's, 140 West Front street.

—The Independent Gun Club will hold a regular meeting in Blatz's Hotel next Monday.

—Nicholas Myers has received the deed from J. F. MacDonald for his lot, and will build soon.

—The fellowcraft degree will be worked next Tuesday in Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. and A. M.

—Eugene Moore, of the borough, has purchased a fine four-year-old horse from a Newark dealer.

—Everyone remarked the silvery beauty of the ice-clad trees in the bright moonlight last night.

—Rev. Arthur Crane will conduct a noonday prayer meeting in the First Baptist Church tomorrow.

—At the meeting of the military company tomorrow night a report on membership will be prepared.

—Station Agent Erickson of Netherwood has bought a lot on South avennue, and will erect a cozy home.

—A regular meeting of the Exempt Firemen's Association will be held in their rooms tomorrow evening at 8.

—A local Chesterfieldian is writing columns of social and matrimonial advice to Dunellen people through The Call.

—The Roadsters of Rahway did not roll with the Dunellen bowlers last night because of the illness of several of their team.

—Milton Meeker was upset while riding in a sleigh near Netherwood last night and was thrown out. His face was bruised.

—Justice Nash has succeeded in arranging the affairs of the firm of Davis & Atkinson so that but one creditor is not yet satisfied.

—Rev. Arthur Crane will speak and L. G. March of Rockland, Me., and the Association choir will sing in the Y. M. C. A. Sunday at 4:15 p. m.

—Over 300 copies of the first number of The Magic City were sold at White's yesterday. Don't miss a good thing. The price of No. 1 is 5 cents.

—The Epworth League of Grace Methodist Episcopal Church is today putting in a handsome new upright piano, purchased of Vanderbeek & Sattels.

—Eight cars of ice from Lake Hopatcong pass through Plainfield daily, being shipped by Brady Brothers to Bergen Point and the Long Branch division.

—One hour after the issue of yesterday's Press, a reader of the "Wants and Offers" column brought in a watch and locket advertised as lost. Press ads pay.

—Wm. M. Stillman, owner of the Ryerson brick building on Somerset street, has men at work putting the store part of the property in order, for renting from April first.

—You've no idea how much you can save on meat till you've asked for Ballentine's prices. He has a fine new store at 106 Park avenue, and sells the choicest cuts cheap for cash.

—The case of Casey against Shay and Adams, on contract, was settled in Justice Mosher's Court today. Lawyer De Mezs secured for Casey the full amount of the claim, and costs.

—A fair and festival will be held in Vincent Chapel, Thursday and Friday afternoons and evenings, February 22 and 23, for the benefit of the Sunday-school of the First M. E. Church.

—Jacob Kliner, of North Plainfield, having given up his Warrenville route, has purchased the stage line to Scotch Plains from Stonewall Jackson. He took possession this morning.

—Howard Moore, the young son of Eugene Moore, of Summit avenue, rode a spirited horse on Mountain avenue yesterday afternoon. In turning the horse shied, threw Moore, and ran to the barn.

—The new boiler (No. 5) in the electric light works, has been fired up, and will be kept at steady heat for a week. It will then be put in service, and each of the boilers will be given a week's rest for cleaning alternately.

—The Fanwood Township Committee held a regular meeting last night to close up the accounts of the year. All were present except A. D. Shepard. The annual report will be published in pamphlet form in a few days.

—Supt. McClurg is inquiring for those who desire electric motors to operate machinery, fans, etc., in summer time. If he can get orders enough, he will supply a day current. In that event The Press will be printed by electricity.

—Charles M. Wilson, contractor, of Fourth street, has purchased the business of the the late Mr. Gill, and will continue the business as left by him. One house on Liberty street is nearing completion and there is considerable other work on hand.

—Thomas W. Keene was hampered in his work as Richard III in Music Hall last night by the coldness of the stage and the indifference of the audience. He has a perfect conception of the role, and his shambling gait and facial expressions are never to be forgotten. The tragedian and his company are satisfied that Plainfield does not appreciate legitimate Shakespearian drama.

The great domestic stand by, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, is now recognized to be a family necessity. Keep it handy.

2,000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from O. W. Saxon, Farina, Ills., says: "I consider your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have been in the drug business fourteen years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal satisfaction." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents.

POND'S GETS THE CONTRACT.

More Government Gun Lathes to Be Made in Plainfield.

Official notification has been received by the Pond Machine Tool Company that the Government contract has been awarded to them which these columns referred to some time ago.

The order is for seven important machines to be used in manufacturing guns in the Watervliet Arsenal in Troy. Five of the machines are to be 16 in. rifle gun lathes. There are already about $1,000,000 worth of the Pond machines in use in the Watervliet Arsenal.

This new order will occupy the present force of men about four months. The company do not intend to put on any extra men, nor increase the present working force.

PARTICULAR MENTION

Rev. Dr. J. L. Hurlbut will preach in Grace M. E. Church Sunday.

Garret Eick of 301 East Third street is confined to his home with the grip.

Ex-Councilman and Mrs. John Johnston rejoice over the advent of a daughter.

Miss Addie Weaver of Orchard place is enjoying a week with friends in Bayonne.

The Schubert Club gave their second reception in New Market Hall last night.

Elston Woodland, formerly a resident of this city, was in town yesterday visiting relatives.

A birthday party will be given at the home of W. J. Luckey, of West Second street, tonight.

Rev. and Mrs Herbert Randolph will reside at 15 Craig place, after returning from their bridal trip.

Miss Grace Vail, of Dunellen, is spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. James Bell, of Hasbrouck Heights.

Mrs. D. P. Smith and Mrs. H. Staats, of Linden avenue, are spending the week with relatives in White House.

J. W. DeGraff and family of East Ninth street are about to move to their new residence on Central avenue near Ninth street.

Howard Case played the organ very acceptably last evening at the First Baptist Church, in the absence of W. E. MacClymont.

Ten young people of Plainfield went by sleigh to Mt. Bethel Hotel Wednesday evening and attended the sleight-of-hand entertainment by Walter Palmer of Brooklyn. Dancing followed till 5 yesterday morning.

The body of Mrs. Elizabeth Connelly was taken to Easton on the 8:17 train this morning. Mrs. Connelly came Saturday to visit her son on East Third street, and died Monday. The body was in charge of Undertaker Casey.

All the people enjoyed a magic lantern, punch and judy, and sleight of hand entertainment in the Reinhart home yesterday afternoon. Conde furnished the music. Refreshments followed the performances. It was a pleasant affair.

Samuel Anderson, colored, died at 94 Manning avenue this morning, aged 54. His home was in New York, but for five months he had been living with his brother, Peter Anderson, who keeps a restaurant on Somerset street. Funeral services will be held at 10 Monday morning in the house.

A committee, composed of D. Allen, W. Kline, Mrs. H. Weigman, Mrs. C. Westphal and Mrs. J. Stephany, of Iona Council, No. 14, Degree of Pocohontas, met last evening to arrange for the first annual masquerade ball. It was decided to have it in Red Men's Hall, March 28. Invitations of members will admit and Frezee will play.

Frank Hubbard, who is completing his studies in Boston, has been very ill with pneumonia. He spent a week at his home in this city recently, and returned to Boston by boat. There was a very heavy storm at the time, and the boat lay in the Sound for six hours, and in consequence of the exposure Mr. Hubbard caught a severe cold. His brother William is with him now, and word was received last night that Frank was very much better.

Two sleighs filled with thirty-five young people of Plainfield stopped at Grogan's Hotel in Westfield last night. The party came from the house of T. Smith, of East Second street. Supper and dancing to E. M. O'Reilly's music were the pleasures of the evening. Those who went were: Mr. Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. T. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore, Mr. and Mrs. F. Breen, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Townley, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chamberlain, Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses Force, Misses Maggie and Lizzie Wierenga, Miss Kate Multhearn, Miss Moore, Miss Minnie Kiely and Messrs. M. Gill, W. Eick, J. Hyland, W. and L. Firing and W. Kenney.

The Plea of a Volunteer.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—By a recent order of the fire department I notice that extra horses have been added to engine No. 2 and the truck. Where are the hose trucks—the most important apparatus in the department—and with but a single horse! For humanity's sake let us have two horses for the hose carriages.

Under our present system of fire hydrants why is it necessary to have the extra horses for the engine, which is seldom of use except to go and burn up coal and wood. As the streets are now, were a fire to occur in some part of the suburbs it would be well enough to have two horses for an engine, but what about the hose wagons?

Of what use is an engine without hose? Put more horses on your hose carriages is the advice of

THE VOLUNTEER FIREMAN OF CRANFORD

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

THE PARIS PUT BACK.

A Big Sea Snapped Off Her Rudder Post.

(*Special to The Press.*)

LONDON, Feb. 16.—The American line steamship Paris, Capt. Randle, which sailed at 2 p. m. on Feb. 10 from Southampton for New York, was sighted early this morning lying at anchor off Roche's Point, at the entrance to Queenstown Harbor. She was forced to put back, owing to the breaking off of her stern post.

The Paris lost her rudder in the hurricane of Tuesday.

WEST END NOTES.

Another train of cars loaded with ice for the Plainfield Cold Storage Company arrived last night.

A merry party of West End people enjoyed a sleighride to Westfield last evening. Among them were: Edward Uhrhahn, George Moebus, Wm. Ricketts, Henry Myers, Charles, Harry and Richard Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Pyser, Misses Ida Edsall, Jennie Baldwin, Bessie Day, Fronia Ricketts, Katie Williams, Annie Kunzerman, Mrs. Wm. Baldwin.

WEST ENDER.

Alert, But Not on Alleys.

A bowling team from Alert Hose Company went to the Trade Temple last night and tried to defeat the expert tradesmen, but at the end of the game found themselves twenty-five pins behind. The score:

B. OF T.		ALERT HOSE.	
Buckle	148	Lowry	129
Rogers	139	Hawkins	133
Stepenson	142	Rush	142
Titsworth	142	Murray	136
Emmons	112	Whitney	136
Woolston	134	Kimball	126
Maltby	143	Dunham	132
Vail	143	Leggett	143
	1102		1077

A Hack Horse Runs Away.

The black hack horse "George" owned by Ex-Councilman D. S. Roberts, ran away with a sleigh from an employe of the stable who had driven to Netherwood at 7 this morning. The horse ran down East Third street to the corner of Watchung and North avenues. Here the sleigh was overturned but righted again. In turning into Park avenue the rig struck the curb heavily but was not stopped. The horse then laid its course to Front street, to Watchung avenue, to East Second street to Washington, to Front. Joseph Flack finally stopped the horse together with a broken harness, part of the shafts and one of the runners, well smashed.

Roberts's horse, while galloping down North avenue, had scared the horse of Baker J. W. Burnett. This runaway was stopped before Park avenue was reached.

Got Poles up, Anyway.

[*From The Dunellen Call.*]

Have you been over to New Market any evening since our town has been lit up by the electric poles? It is indeed a great improvement. The bark was all removed before the poles were erected, which left them of a light color, so we could easily see them at night. But the dry and dusty weather of the last two months has somewhat dimmed their lustre and if the company would come and give them a good coat of whitewash we could see them much easier when the moon shines. It was thought by some when the poles were put up that the company were going to run wires along them and that we would have electric lights either from Heaven or Greenbrook, but there has been none yet.

In eighteen hundred and ninety-three,
We got the poles as all can see;
And during eighteen ninety-four,
Perhaps we'll get a little more:
And all of us who may survive
The year of eighteen ninety-five,
Perhaps may see the company fix
The wires on in ninety-six;
And then we'll put our trust in Heaven
To get the lights in ninety-seven;
If not, why then in ninety-eight;
Since all things come to those who wait.

—The W. C. T. U. is planning to have Rev. Joseph Cook lecture in Music Hall Sunday, June 3.

—Contributions to the fund to be used by Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., for entertaining the Second New Jersey Cavalry, February 22, should be given to George W. Moore.

—"Count" J. K. VanNess presented a claim of sore throat to Justice Nodyne this afternoon, and Frank Smith's suit against him for wages due was again adjourned to February 24. Tomorrow will be sentence day in Elizabeth for VanNess.

No Law to Protect Wild Animals.

MONTREAL, Feb. 16.—Judge Dugas has decided that unless the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to animals can prove to him that chameleons are domestic animals, he can not issue summons for people who are selling them in the city on the ground of cruelty to animals. The judge holds that the law protects only domesticated animals, not wild animals.

Fighting the Lottery Company.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The postmaster-general has requested the Canadian postmaster-general to refuse to certify money orders to Paul Conrad and his associates in the Honduras National Lottery company.

Dead from the Drawing of a Tooth.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Feb. 19.—John H. Wallace is dead from the loss of blood following the extraction of a tooth on Monday afternoon. He was 25 years old.

—The young people are enjoying the coasting on the Broadway hill this fine weather.

What a Minister Says.

Trinity Station, Morgan Co., Ala.

DR. R. V. PIERCE: *Dear Sir*—In the fall of last year I suffered from rheumatism in my left shoulder and elbow. I tried a great many remedies, recommended to me by friends, but they all failed to afford relief. From the time I began Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, until I felt that I was cured, was a period covering four or five months. While the attack lasted, I suffered a great deal, and could not dress or undress myself. Although I am 53 years old, I now regard my health as splendid. I had spent a great deal of money previously, in various kinds of medicine, but the "Discovery," from the day I commenced until I was well, cost only FOUR DOLLARS.

REV. W. WILLIAMS.

Accept my gratitude, and I beg to subscribe myself, Your friend,

REV. WILSON WILLIAMS.

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REFORM IN ATHLETICS.

President Eliot's Recommendations Create a Stir Among the Students.

BOSTON, Feb. 16.—The recommendations of President Eliot, of Harvard, for the reform of the intercollegiate athletics are naturally a source of much comment and discussion among the students. The recommendations, however, as given out were in two cases incorrectly reported. The president would forbid only freshmen contests, but would not bar freshmen from playing on varsity teams. Then, instead of allowing a man to play but one year in any one sport, he would only limit his playing to one team alone during the year. That is, a man who played on the football eleven in the fall would not be eligible in the spring for the ball nine or crew. The other points in regard to biennial contests, the playing of games only in college grounds and the abolition of mass play in football, are correct. The students are almost to a man opposed to the changes suggested.

PLOTS TO KILL HER.

A "Spy" Warns the Sheriff to Guard "Murderess" Mary Hartford.

EXETER, N. H., Feb. 16.—The postmaster at Candia has received the following letter postmarked Boston:

"To the Postmaster at Candia: Notify the sheriff of your county to hold under arrest the murderess, Mary Hartford, as her life is in danger from four men in South Cove, Boston, and 11 men of your town. She will be murdered in day or by night. All your laws cannot prevent.

"A. S. MUBBERS, a spy to the men."

The woman referred to in the letter is Mrs. Mary Hartford, who was accused of cruelty to little Georgia Strodler, and it is alleged that her cruel treatment of the child caused his death.

State Normal School Burned.

COOPERSTOWN, N. Y., Feb. 16.—The State Normal and Training school at Oneonta was burned to the ground yesterday. The origin of the fire is not positively known. The school was opened in the fall of 1889. The building was erected at an original cost of $114,000, which has since been increased by additional appropriations for improvements and apparatus to about $180,000. There were about 350 normal students and 150 intermediate students in attendance the present term. A citizen's meeting was held last night to ascertain whether sufficient accommodations cannot be secured about town for the use of the school in order that it may continue its work in temporary quarters. Several rooms can probably be secured. An insurance of $75,000, it is said, was carried on the building.

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DEATHS

MOONEY—At Scotch Plains Feb 15 1894, Isabella D. Mooney, in her 47th year.
Funeral services at her late residence Saturday afternoon, Feb 17 at 1:30, and at the Scotch Plains M. E. Church at 2.

DUNN—At Scotch Plains Thursday, Feb. 15, 1894 Norman F., youngest son of Norman and Augusta L. Dunn, aged 19 years, 3 months, 25 days.
Funeral services from the residence of his parents, Mountain avenue, Scotch Plains, Saturday, Feb. 17, at 3 p. m.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

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HORSE wanted; the owner of a nine-year-old sorrel, kind and safe, would like to exchange for a young, lively horse that can be trained to saddle. Address X. Y. Z., care Press. 2 16 4

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 610 Central avenue.

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LOST—Small silver watch, ribbon and locket attached. Reward for return to Press office or 1109 East Front street. 2 15 2

WANTED—A superintendent for the Boys Club; must be a man genial but able to control. Apply, giving references by letter only, to W. B. Wadsworth, 452 West 8th street. 2 14 3

PLEASANT rooms with board. 212 Watchung avenue. 2 15 1m

WANTED.—A loan of $500 for six months; will pay a good bonus and give good security. Address Loan, care Press. 2 15 3

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TO LET—April 1, seven-room house; furnished; centrally located; improvements. Furnished, care Press. 2 12 tf

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FURNITURE at private sale, consisting of sofa, chairs, 2 B. W. bedroom suits, dining extension table, laundry stove and table, kitchen utensils, parlor gas chandeliers, 3 clocks, student lamp bed springs, at No. 1113 Putnam avenue after 2 p. m. 2 13 5

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TOPICS OF THE TOWN.

Social Inactivity of the Lenten Season—Cards and Their Limitations—An Echo of the Melopoia Concert—Amateur Theatricals for Easter Week.

With the advent of Lent, social activity of every sort has come to a standstill. Whatever diversions of a sufficiently sombre nature for the time of year were projected or discussed, have fallen through, and while spasmodic attempts are made occasionally to get people together with the ostensible purpose of enjoying themselves, that are seldom successful, and people seem to have made up their minds that they will "lie low" until the mild festivities of Easter week set the ball rolling again.

The Cooking Club dinners which have been such a pleasant feature during the Fall and early Winter have been discontinued until after Lent, although one would think that they were of a mild enough nature to justify their being given even in the penitential season.

Netherwood, usually the dullest of the dull at this time of year, has a card club, and its members are really very proud that they have a regular engagement every Thursday evening—not that they always go, but then one feels much more like staying at home if one has an engagement than staying at home when there is no excuse for going out. This card club "meets around", and spends its brains on the earnest and solemn game of whist. Those who by chance or design on their own part are left out of the whist fours make up a round table for hearts or poker—"for love", of course. One might think it would bore some of these good people to shift these unmeaning chips around, for when the company is properly selected and there is no fear of talk the chips take on a more earnest appearance by reason of their increased value. There are some of the women in this club—but more of them out of it—who play as careful a poker game as any of their liege lords, and if the meetings (with limited refreshments afterwards) drag somewhat it may be because there is not sufficient interest in the games. People who are too poor to go to the theatres or entertain can pass very pleasant evenings playing "penny ante" if nothing higher, and they find the amusement quite innocent and harmless.

A short time ago an emissary of a certain law firm in Elizabeth did a prodigious amount of bell ringing in Netherwood making inquiries of the residents of that peaceful settlement, and of their man servants, maid servants, etc., as to whether they could furnish any evidence in the case of an upset that occurred in front of the residence of J. W. Reinhart a year or so ago, when Mrs. Percy Ohl was thrown from her carriage, sustaining injuries of a more or less serious nature.

It is hardly necessary to say that the aforesaid emmissary found out nothing, as most people have something better to do than to appear on the witness stand in a case where the evidence in the first trial partook of such a surprisingly personal nature. As the readers of The Press doubtless know, the jury, in the trial of the suit brought by Mrs. Ohl against Mr. Reinhart, rendered a verdict for the plaintiff, awarding her a considerable sum in damages. As the accident occurred shortly after sunset, it became an important question to the Court, as to the exact time that the shining orb of day went between the sheets beyond the Watchung mountain. The time of the sunset being determined to the satisfaction of the Court, the trial proceeded with the results given above. When everything was over and Mrs. Ohl was holding out her hand as it were for the expected plum, someone happened to look into an almanac which had the effrontery to state that the sun had set several minutes later than the Court said it did. This was of course being inconsiderate of the sun, but it must be remembered that it really could n't help it. The story goes that the Court having been fooled once was determined not to be taken in again, and so sent for Sergeant Dunn to come down from the top of the Equitable Building and settle the matter once for all.

Mr. Dunn, after working the example out by logarithms, said he guessed the almanac was right and so there is going to be a new trial.

If the evidence in the second trial is as complete and exhaustive as it was in the first it would be worth going miles to hear. Probably there never before was such a perfect record of the goings on in one small town as that laid before the jury in Elizabeth.

The evidence dealt with things apparently entirely foreign to the case, and was broad enough to comprise the time that a certain gentleman resident in Netherwood changed his "pants", and the question of the affections of a certain ardent witness for the defence. Dunns do not come from the tops of Equitable Buildings without a bait of ducats, neither do legal emissaries ring doorbells without fees, and when one remembers that Mr. Reinhart could have compromised for $27 cash at the time of the accident the whole proceedings seems rather absurd.

A story is being whispered about concerning an occurrence after the first Melopoia concert a few weeks ago. It will probably be remembered that the chorus did not exactly cover itself with glory on that occasion and that the lively arms of their leader worked with more than usual energy trying in vain to beat them into proper form. The exquisite playing of M. Marteau only made the performance more grotesque by contrast, and the patiepce of their at all times nervous leader was entirely worn out. The story goes that Mr. Chapman rushed down into the ladies dressing room in the bowling alley and in the language of Mr. Carroll:

Told them that he would not stand it,
Told them in emphatic language
What he'd be before he'd stand it,

In fact, said that he could not have his reputation ruined by such an exhibition of incompetency. They were all very sorry, and said that they would do better next time.

After almost a year of inactivity, the amateur Thespians of Plainfield have started active operations and intend giving a play in Easter week. It has not yet been given out what the play is to be, or just who will take part. The presiding spirits, however, are the same as those that piloted "Esmeralda" and "Young Mrs. Winthrop" through so successfully, and who carried through the rather poor performance last Easter on their reputations.

I am told that there are other candidates for theatrical honors in the field, but of course they will step down and out rather than interfere with something that is an assured success as soon as it is projected by these veterans of the amateur stage. To these younger amateurs I would say, Wait; your turn will come soon enough. Give those who have won glory in previous years a chance to gather one more laurel wreath with some immortelle blossoms intermixed. They have done much for the Plainfield stage in years gone by, and they deserve consideration above anyone else. Meanwhile, keep your eyes open and learn. You can at least learn what not to do.

THE LOUNGER.

Rights of the Sexes on Ferryboats.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—I wish to strike a blow through the columns of your influential journal at an abuse which, though offensively prominent and in daily practice, has never, to my knowledge, been assailed by so much as a comment.

The thousands of passengers who daily throng the ferryboats that ply between New York and Jersey City can bear witness to the fact that the cabins ostensibly for the use of women are crowded with men who usurp the prerogative of their female fellow travelers by possessing themselves, often rudely, of the seats to which they are both by right and courtesy entitled. Men in the prime of life, young men and boys, stolidly remain seated, while the women who have entered that part of the boat manifestly assigned to them stand before their eyes, crowded, jostled, weary—yet powerless by the mute appeal of their discomfort to regain their rights.

It may be said that the uncleanly condition of the so-called men's cabins drives the more fastidious among them to seek a higher degree of comfort on the other side of the boat, but this is no reason why women should suffer.

Let women have a cabin to themselves or let only such members of the sterner sex enjoy the greater comfort of their quarters as are sufficiently manly to treat them with courtesy.

Should this arrangement not prove satisfactory, there seems to me to be but one other alternative—that of having three divisions of the boat—one for women, one for men, and one for hogs.

COMMUTER.

The Late J. F. Sharp.

The Somerville Messenger gives the following tribute to the late father-in-law of Baggage-Master Garretson:

Jacob F. Sharp, age 65, died suddenly, of heart disease, Sunday morning, at his residence on West Main street. Mr. Sharp had not been well for a month past, but was able to be up and around the house at times. He ate a good breakfast Sunday morning, but passed peacefully away shortly afterwards. Mr. Sharp was an old and respected citizen, and his death will be mourned by a large circle of friends. Deceased has been a resident of Somerville for about twenty-five years. Previous to his coming to Somerville he owned and resided on the farm at Finderne now occupied by John C. Shaw. His wife was a daughter of the late Philemon Dunn, who also lived at Finderne on what is now known as the Bernard Meyerstock farm. His wife and three daughters survive him. Two of them (Ella and Minnie) are unmarried and live at home. The other married J. C. Garretson of Plainfield, where she now resides.

Republican Papers Praise Him.

(From the Somerville Unionist-Gazette.)

The rumor from Washington is that ex-Speaker James J. Bergen, of Somerville, is to be appointed Internal Revenue Collector in place of George H. Large, the Republican incumbent, whose resignation has been called for. Mr. Bergen's appointment would be acceptable in many ways. He is a competent man, of well-tested capacity and undoubted honor, and is personally liked by a very large circle of acquaintances.

This expression of praise, from the Newark Sunday Call, must be gratifying to all of Mr. Bergen's friends. No one would question its truth. If we are to have a Democratic Collector, who would suit better than ex-Speaker Bergen?

No Reflection Intended.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—In your article of yesterday's issue headed "The Boy Was Bitten", I find that you have done a great injustice to Lawyer H. C. Runyon in stating that I said the case was not properly presented. To the contrary the case was tried by the counsel in an able and gentlemanly manner, nothing being overlooked by the counsel that would in any way help his case.

VINCENT W. NASH.

Worthy the Support of All.

Concerning the proprietor of the company which is to hold the boards in Music Hall next week, the Hudson Register says:

Mr. Waite is a gentleman with marked business qualities, and the behavior of his people off the stage as on it has commanded respect. We feel it a plain duty and a pleasure to speak kindly of the organization, and say they are worthy the support and respect of good people wherever their lot may be cast.

A Lot With Every Theatre Ticket.

Another brilliant scheme has been projected from the teeming brain of J. M. Hill.

"To every person that purchases from twenty-five to fifty cents admission to Herrmann's, beginning next Monday,"—said Mr. Hill yesterday,—"I will present, with my compliments, a choice lot in the city of Egg Harbor, forty miles from Philadelphia."

The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands can testify. Proper local treatment is positively necessary to success, but many, if not most, of the remedies in general use afford but temporary relief. A cure certainly cannot be expected from snuffs, powders, douches and washes. Ely's Cream Balm, which is so highly commended, is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power, with perfect safety and pleasantness to the patient. The druggists all sell it.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY.—"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 25c. Sold by H. P. Reynolds, druggist, Plainfield. 12 8 3m

TELL A WOMAN A SECRET.

She Will Keep It, Says Evangelist Crane—He Satirizes Modern Methods of Seeking the Saviour.

The service at the First Baptist Church last night was interesting. After several soul-stirring hymns by the congregation and a solo by Mr. March, Rev. Dr D. J Yerkes read the Scripture lesson and offered prayer.

Mr. Crane then gave an impressive talk to the unconverted, and announced his text as Matt. xv: 21-28, where the Syrophenician women besought the Saviour, who was passing, to heal her daughter who was greviously afflicted.

The first thought that comes to us—he said—is a woman in trouble. How many burdens she has to carry! If a husband is in trouble, he goes to his wife and tells her all about it; the children carry their griefs to the mother. Then in this particular case it was a secret trouble. If I have a secret, and want to confide in anyone, I would tell a woman. A great many people have an idea that a woman can't keep a secret, but my experience has taught me she is the only one who can. Here the speaker cited several instances that came under his personal observation.

Continuing, he said: "You notice how the woman cried unto the Saviour. A woman of the 19th century would have used a different form. Before going to see the Divine healer, she would have put on her best dress, arranged her furs, and then sought some eminence, where He would pass. Then rather than cause any trouble she would try to catch the eye of a disciple, call him one side, and tell him what a beautiful daughter she had; well educated, could speak French, German, and play the piano, but she had a demon, and she wanted the Master to call at the house and heal her." The picture drawn was so realistic that it caused ripples of laughter. Mr. Crane then described several secret troubles, with which the uncovered were possessed. Mr. Crane's remarks were the means of bringing many to a conclusion.

The usual testimony and prayer service followed, and many remained to talk to the Christian workers.

The afternoon as well as the evening meetings are growing in attendance. The large choir assists very much in the service.

Surprised the President.

A most agreeable surprise was that given to Henry Seader, President of the Young People's Society Christian Endeavor of Warren Chapel, at his home, 34 Harmony street, last night. Among the games enjoyed was the tail pinning on the traditional donkey, in which Frank Splane took the first prize and G. Taynor the booby prize. Mr. Seader received many presents and good wishes. Those present included: Misses Sadie Searing, Anna Searing, Minnie Zelsz, Maggie Shepherd, Jennie Shepherd, Minnie Bolsterle, Cora Berdick, Ada Cale, Lillie Mirax, Jennie Sutphen, Lottie Happy, Jennie Taynor, Hattie Taynor, Messrs. Charles Taynor, S. R. Proud, Daniel Gittis, Fred Walker, Frank Splane, George Wilson, E. Devine, B. Mettler, Mr. and Mrs. George Taynor, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Seader and Mrs. Charles Epplincott.

Revival of "Brother John".

"The Senator" will be succeeded by "Brother John" at the Star Theatre in New York city Monday night. This play was originally presented in New York last Spring, when it made a hit of gigantic proportions. The comedy was written by Martha Morton, a young American girl, and like all of Mr. Crane's other productions, it is essentially American. After closing its run in Gotham, the play went to Chicago, where it was one of the biggest successes of the World's Fair season. In the play Mr. Crane will again be seen as John Hackett, the kindly-hearted hatter, whose sole being is wrapped up in his little family of two sisters and younger brother. The play is a picturesque sermon against the evils of discontent, and teaches a good lesson without making the character go up into a pulpit and preach. It is singularly free from all social impurity, and is as clean and pure as the petals of a rose.

Won't Pay Jeptha's Bills.

At Tuesday's meeting of the Somerset County Board of Freeholders, the bill of Chief Grant, of Plainfield, for transportation of Jeptha A. Wagener to the New Jersey State Asylum, was returned, with instructions that the freeholders were not responsible for the payment of the bill.

A bill of Dr. Simpson, for $5.80, for examination of Jeptha, was returned with the same instructions as those attached to the bill of Chief Grant.

Four-Men Teams.

Two teams of four bowlers each rolled an interesting game on Windham's alleys last night.

The score:

TEAM TWO.		TEAM ONE.	
Hut	176	Stewart	156
Brady	175	Moraller	170
Bamberger	180	Humstead	173
Brown	149	Delke	124
	680		623

Vets of the 2d Cavalry.

The gallant old Second Cavalry will hold their fourth annual reunion in Plainfield, Thursday, Feb. 22. The comrades will meet at the rooms of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., at 10:30 a. m.

It is the intention of the Committee of Arrangements to make this reunion the best ever held.

How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. a bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

JUST A SCRIMMAGE!

There are many lively scenes in Our New Serial—naturally enough, too, for it deals with

MUNICIPAL POLITICS

the plots of a wily Brooklyn politician and the counterplots of an alert journalist.

Oh, there is lots of fun and excitement in

A Fight For Millions

ARE YOU READING IT?

STORM IN NEW ENGLAND.

More Severe Than Last Tuesday's—Fears for the Safety of Vessels.

PROVINCETOWN, Mass., Feb. 16.—A heavy rain, accompanied by a northeast wind and gale, set in at 5:30 a. m., and continued all day. Fears are entertained for the safety of several of the fishing fleet supposed to be on the fishing grounds. Quite a number of vessels are safely anchored in the harbor. Up to the present time no news has been received regarding the fate of the three-master which struck on Race point, Tuesday morning, and was blown off. No arriving vessel has seen her. Fishing schooner Mickerson is ashore at the head of the harbor.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 16.—A hail, snow and sleet storm prevailed throughout Rhode Island all night, and heavy rain followed, which continued all day with a high wind. The different mill streams are having a boom, with a flood in some places, doing damage to the lower floors of large factories. The streets in Providence are flooded and water overflowing into cellars has caused damage. Business is paralyzed again for the time being.

BANGOR, Me., Feb. 16.—The storm of yesterday was the worst yet this winter. Snow has accumulated to a great depth. All trains are late.

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 16.—A severe snow storm with heavy northeast gale prevailed here all day yesterday and last night. The show drifted badly in the country and in this vicinity. The gale appears to be increasing in force in the bay. So far there have been no disasters reported.

LYNDONVILLE, Vt., Feb. 16.—The most severe snow storm of the season began yesterday morning and about fifteen inches of snow fell. Passenger trains are several hours late and freights have been mostly abandoned.

John Carberry Worse.

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 16.—John Carberry, upon whom an operation was performed to relieve the hiccoughs from which he has suffered for the past 11 weeks, is much worse. The spasms returned in a more violent form than any from which he has suffered for some time, and the operation appears to have afforded only a brief relief. The attending doctors, however, are not discouraged, and say they do not expect any decided improvement for three or four days.

No More Red Flags in Paris.

PARIS, Feb. 16.—M. Lepine, the prefect of police, has signed a decree forbidding the display of any but the French and foreign national colors in the streets or cemeteries. The decree is the outcome of Sunday's demonstration in Ivry cemetery, when a red flag was unfurled by the anarchists who took part in the affair

Lesson in Election Inspection.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Dennis J. Buckley, who was an inspector of the 18th election district of the second assembly district and was convicted on Tuesday of receiving fraudulent votes, was sentenced by Justice Bartlett to serve one year in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of $500.

Labor Has a Show.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 16.—Judge Caldwell of the United States circuit court has ordered another wage schedule prepared and a conference between the Union Pacific receivers and labor leaders, which he will attend. He favors the labor side of the case.

Old Colony Canal.

BOSTON, Feb. 16.—Over $1,000,000 of the capital stock of the Old Colony & Interior canal company has been subscribed for, but ground will not be broken until $2,000,000 is subscribed, so as to insure the plans being fully carried out.

Big Fire at Columbus.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 16.—The wholesale dry goods house of Jones, Witter & Co., on East Spring street, together with several small tenement houses, burned. Loss estimated at $300,000.

W. E. Chipchase, 224 S. Charles st., Baltimore, Md., found Salvation Oil a sure cure for sprains and inflammations.

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure only 1c a dose; 25c, 50c, $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North ave., opp. station.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation; 25c, 50c, $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North ave., opp. station.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life: I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble; 75c. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North avenue, opp railroad station.

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by I. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.

WOMEN IN SESSION.

Delegates to The National Convention Congratulate Themselves.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The twenty-sixth annual convention of the National American Woman Suffrage association began here with a large attendance of delegates, representing all parts of the country. The session was devoted to the presentation of reports and the annual address of the president, Miss Susan B. Anthony, who stated among other things that a petition signed by a million names would be presented to the New York constitutional convention in May next for the elimination of the word male from the suffrage laws of the state, and congratulated the association upon the addition of the Colorado star to that of Wyoming in the flag of the organization. Among the delegates participating are Mrs. Carrie Lanex Clampman, of New York; Rev. Anna H. Shaw, of Pennsylvania; Miss Laura Clay, of Kentucky; Dr. Frances Dickinson, of Illinois; Mrs. Laura M. Johns, of Kansas; Mrs. L. M. Stansbury, of Colorado; Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, of New Jersey; Mrs. Mary Seymour Howells, of New York; Rev. Ida C. Hultin, of Illinois; Mrs. Clara Berwick Colby, of Nebraska; Mrs. Julia Wardle Howe; Madame Hanna Korany, of Syria; Dr. Sarah H. Hackett Stevenson, of Illinois; Mrs. Harriett Taylor Upton, of the District of Columbia, and about 100 others.

HER FATE KNOWN AT LAST.

How the Ship Horn Head Was Sunk in Mid-Ocean.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—A small bottle has been picked up on the beach at Gigha, one of the Hebrides islands, containing a piece of paper on which, written with a pencil, is the following:

"September, 1893.—Horn Head sinking mid-Atlantic. Collision iceberg. (Signed) "Mate."

The steamer Horn Head was a British vessel of 2,168 tons, owned by the Ulster Steamship company, limited, of Belfast. She was commanded by Captain Scott. She sailed from Baltimore August 19, and Hampton Roads August 20 for Dublin, and until now nothing was afterward heard of her. The Horn Head was built at Belfast by Harian & Wolff in 1884.

Twenty-five lives were lost by the foundering of the steamer Born Head. The names of but three victims are, however, known in this city.

Black Sheep Howard.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 16.—Information is had from an authoritative source that Rev. George F. B. Howard, the famous impostor, now serving time in the United States prison at Columbus, O., for fraudulent use of the mails, will be brought back to Jackson, Tenn., in a few weeks. He will there be confronted by the four witnesses whom he is charged with having suborned, and arraigned on the charge of "subornation of perjury." One of the witnesses confessed directly after the trial, and the other three a short time since weakened and turned state's evidence to save themselves. All the bribed were from New York city and are young men formerly in Howard's employ.

New Honors for Cuttyhunk.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Feb. 16.—The Standard says that it is learned that rich men who frequent the rock-bound little island of Cuttyhunk have resolved to have the fight between Corbett and Jackson come off there if money is an object to the principals. Certain parties have been empowered to meet any offer made by others and "go them one better." The authorities of Gosnold, the town which embraces the island, are said to be favorable to the project, which, as it is becoming known, is creating great excitement in sporting circles in this city. As visionary as the scheme may sound, those who are most interested seem to have no doubt that it can be successfully carried out.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure. For sale by I. W. Randolph, 21 West Front st.

MUSIC HALL,

J. A. Demarest, Lessee and Manager.

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Monday, Feb. 19.

—A week of—

Comedy, Singing, Dancing and Music.

James B. Waite, proprietor and manager

WAITE'S COMEDY CO.,

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New Comedies!
Funny Comedians!
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LUSARDI & CO.,

No. 120 NORTH AVENUE

Where they will be pleased to serve their friends and the public generally with first-class fruits, confectionery, peanuts roasted every day, sugars, &c.

Branch stores, 205 West Front st., and Front and Somerset.

Linden's Condition Worse.

BOSTON, Feb. 16.—The condition of Linden, who was injured at Harvard college on Tuesday while boxing, seems to be a little worse, certainly he is not improved. He remains unconscious. The attending physicians held a consultation and decided to perform no operation. In fact they are at a loss to know exactly what is the matter with him. They think it is a fracture and that a piece of broken bone is imbedded in the brain.

Nominated By Governor Flower.

ALBANY, Feb. 16.—The governor has sent to the senate the nominations of the following persons to be trustees of the New York Soldiers and Sailors home: Henry W. Slocum, of Brooklyn; John Palmer, of Albany; Frank Campbell, of Bath; Oliver H. Caldwell, of Watertown; Halbert S. Greenleaf, of Rochester; Geo. W. Blackmann, of Wellsville, and Edwin S. Jenney, of Syracuse, all renominated.

Investigating Charges of Bribery.

ALBANY, Feb. 16.—The senate judiciary committee devoted several hours yesterday afternoon to the investigation of the charges made by certain New York city correspondents that agents of the lieutenant governor, with his consent, were resorting to bribery to defeat the Buffalo police commission bill. Several witnesses were heard and the hearing adjourned until Tuesday next.

The Human Electrical Forces!

How They Control the Organs of the Body.

The electrical force of the human body, as the nerve fluid may be termed, is an especially attractive department of science, as it exerts so marked an influence on the health of the organs of the body. Nerve force is produced by the brain and conveyed by means of the nerves to the various organs of the body, thus supplying the latter with the vitality necessary to insure their health. The pneumogastric nerve, as shown here, may be said to be the most important of the entire nerve system, as it supplies the heart, lungs, stomach, bowels, etc., with the nerve force necessary to keep them active and healthy. As will be seen by the cut the long nerve descending from the base of the brain and terminating in the bowels is the pneumogastric, while the numerous little branches supply the heart, lungs and stomach with necessary vitality. When the brain becomes in any way disordered by irritability or exhaustion, the nerve force which it supplies is lessened, and the organs receiving the diminished supply are consequently weakened.

Physicians generally fail to recognize the importance of this fact, but treat the organ itself instead of the cause of the trouble. The noted specialist, Franklin Miles, M. D., LL. B., has given the greater part of his life to the study of this subject, and the principal discoveries concerning it are due to his efforts. Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine, the unrivaled brain and nerve food, is prepared on the principle that all nervous and many other difficulties originate from disorders of the nerve centers. Its wonderful success in curing these disorders is testified to by thousands in every part of the land.

Restorative Nervine cures sleeplessness, nervous prostration, dizziness, hysteria, sexual debility, St. Vitus dance, epilepsy, etc. It is free from opiates or dangerous drugs. It is sold on a positive guarantee by all druggists, or sent direct by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind., on receipt of price, $1 per bottle, six bottles for $5, express prepaid.

Sold by A D Mallinson, 205 North Avenue, opp. station.

BALLENTINE'S

Cash Market. The best meats at the lowest cash prices in the city.

Rib roast	8c to 16c	Sirloin steak	14c to 16
Porterhouse	16c to 18c	Round steak	13c
Chuck steak	8c	Leg mutton	10c
Chops	12c to 16c	Shoulder mutton	7c
Breast mutton	4c	Leg lamb	14c
Bologna, salt pork, fresh pork, pork chops, sausage 10c.			

106 PARK AVENUE.

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Sealed Proposals

Will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the city of Plainfield, No. 109 Park avenue, until 6 o'clock p. m. of the twenty-seventh day of February, 1894, for furnishing and laying all the cross-walks required by the city of Plainfield during the remainder of the year 1894.

Specifications for said work may be procured at the office of the Street Commissioner.

The right to reject any or all bids is herewith reserved.

Sealed Proposals

Will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the city of Plainfield, No. 109 Park avenue, until 6 o'clock p. m. of the twenty seventh day of February, 1894, for furnishing crushed stone to the city of Plainfield for the remainder of the year 1894.

The bids to state the prices for furnishing the following sizes, viz: "Dust", No. 1 or one inch; No. 2 or one and one-half inch, and No. 3 or two and one-half inch, in such quantities and at such places as the Street Commissioner may direct.

The stone must be of the best quality of trap-rock, free from dirt, clay or other foreign matter, and in every way acceptable to the said Street Commissioner.

The stone must be weighed on such scales as the Street Committee may direct and a voucher or weigh-bill must be delivered with every load, to the said Street Commissioner or his authorized representative.

The right to reject any or all bids is herewith reserved.

Sealed Proposals

Will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the city of Plainfield, No. 109 Park avenue, until 6 o'clock p. m. of the twenty-seventh day of February, 1894, for the macadamizing of "rant avenue from West Front street to West Fourth st.

Specifications for said work may be procured at the office of the Street Commissioner.

The right to reject any or all bids is herewith reserved.

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

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Madam Iza Lezem's School of Dancing

Every Friday from 8 to 10:30 p. m. for ladies and gentlemen; every Tuesday from 4 to 5:30 for children in Hulett's Hall. Private lessons any hour; all the latest dances; Two Step, Columbia Lancers, Kaiser William's New Court Dance, etc. Waltzes a specialty. Carnivals, Kirmesses, Cotillions, Fancy Dances, etc. Address 339 Park avenue or Hall. Send for circulars.

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3 years old will be supplied in small or large quantities to stores or private families by dropping a postal to C. J. ACKERMAN.

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Thomas McBride, THE BAKER,

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Everything usually found in a first-class bakery. Also choice candies.

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Notice to the Public.

Having transferred our lumber and coal business to Curtis M. Thorpe & DeWitt C. Ivins we request our patrons to make an early settlement at possible of outstanding accounts, and announce that we shall continue our office at 325-215 Watchung avenue for the convenience of our patrons. Soliciting for our successor a continuance of favors, we thank the public for its patronage of the past.

LOOMIS & RICH.

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They Have No Equal.

Highest Award. Gold medal and diploma at Wold's Fair.

Geo. W. Rockfellow,

THE GROCER, Park ave. & 4th st.

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Watchung Park Property.

Handsomely Situated

BUILDING LOTS

NOW OFFERED FOR SALE.

THIS PROPERTY is in the heart of the recently opened residence section of the city, being within a few minutes walk of the Central railroad station.

THE NEW WATCHUNG PARK, with its new streets and avenues, will be among the handsomest residence sections in this pretty suburban place.

ONLY HIGH GRADE RESIDENCES will be erected. The neighborhood will be restricted, making it as desirable as any in Plainfield.

ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS will be in force by early spring. The work of macadamizing the streets is now being pushed rapidly.

ELECTRIC CARS PASS the property. Electric lights, gas and city water will be introduced as soon in the spring as they are needed.

SCORES OF BEAUTIFUL HOUSES now fronting on Sandford and Westervelt avenues have been located on the old Crescent ball field.

JUST AS PROPERTY VALUES jumped in Sandford and Westervelt avenues, so will they also increase rapidly in Watchung Park. Those who buy now will reap the benefit of an early investment.

THE LOTS are about 50x150 feet in size and the map of the property printed in these columns on Wednesdays and Saturdays will give the public necessary information as to their location.

For further information regarding prices and terms, large copies of the map, etc., address or call upon

A. D. THOMPSON,

12 19 6m-m t t f 147 North avenue, opp. Railroad Station, Plainfield, N. J.

Economical Women

Understand the wisdom of cleaning and coloring. Even in good times, if the price of one dress can be made to cover two, it's certainly worth trying for.

In times not quite so good, when it is hard to spare the price for even one gown, dyeing solves the problem. It's a heap better and cheaper to pay two dollars for coloring the old blue dress than it is to pay ten dollars for a new black one.

The principle—and the practice too—is the same in men's clothes—try it.

Hillier & Co. 175 NORTH AVE.

UPSIDE DOWN

That is the way we have been turning our stock and prices this week. Next week we do the same. The crowds who daily throng our store know a good thing when they see it—know where a dollar will go the farthest.

This may interest you.

$2.29 is the price of 7 yards of dress goods 5 yards of skirt lining and 2 yards of silesia. This is without an exception the best bargain in dress goods we have ever offered. Be sure and see 'em.

28c—On sale this week 500 rugs. Regular value 50c.

4½c—"Be you going to sell them ere ginghams for 4½c. next week?" asked a stranger from over the mountains. We told him yes and would also sell Fruit of the Loom, Dwight Anchor and Lonsdale muslin for 7c.

Embroideries—Our display of Hamburg embroideries we think, and every one who has seen them has said, is the finest ever brought to our town. There are five specials, 5c., 7c., 10c., 12c., and 15c.

Hosiery—Hermsdorf is the name of the man who dyes all our hosiery fast black. Do you know that we import all our hosiery direct from the makers and sell them at the same price that the other fellows have to pay for them? You just save 25 per cent. See what we offer for 10c., 12c., 15c., 20c. and 25c. per pair.

Housefurnishing Department improving all the time. Just now we are pushing our Golden Brown dinner ware, one of the prettiest decorations we have ever brought out. You can buy just as many pieces as you wish and it only costs a trifle more than plain white.

WHITE, of Plainfield.

LOTS ON THE INSTALLMENT PLAN.

J. F. MACDONALD

Has a few left over from his two auction sales

At Netherwood

There is no better time to build a house than now. Men want work; you can build cheaply and at the same time help others.

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HATTER & HALLOCK,

109 West Front Street,

Will be pleased to show you the latest styles in Hats, whether you wish to purchase or not.

ELY'S CREAM BALM—Cleanses the Nasal Passages, Allays Pain and Inflammation, Heals the Sores, Restores Taste and Smell, and Cures

CATARRH

THE QUICK CURE FOR CATARRH, COLD IN HEAD, HAYFEVER, DEAFNESS, ELY'S CREAM BALM

Gives Relief at once for Cold in Head. Apply into the Nostrils. It is Quickly Absorbed. 50c. Druggists or by mail. ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y.

International Fur Store,

114 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J.

FURS

REPAIRED, ALTERED AND STORED.

A FIGHT FOR MILLIONS.

By JOHN J. McGINNISS.

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CHAPTER XII.

ISABEL YIELDS TO THE SCHEMER.

When Mangan walked out of the penitentiary, Raymond, the warden and the keepers dropped their hands. Raymond felt like berating the keepers soundly. He was not a man to allow his feelings to interfere with his schemes. It would never do to suspend the keepers; it would be bad to abuse them; it might awaken enmity even to criticise them. He was at their mercy. In his fruitless endeavors to confine Mangan until he had millions secured he had simply succeeded in giving three men a power over him that he would have to conciliate for all time.

Therefore he said nothing concerning the experience of the evening, but bade the warden and keepers good night and walked down the stoop, a much more dejected man than when he entered the grim portals of the state's stronghold a few hours before.

Next day he was fretful. He feared the consequences of his act and was uncertain what to do. He awaited the initiative of Mangan. Days passed and he had heard nothing of the newspaper man. He had instituted inquiries about him, but no trace of him could be found. He had newspaper friends—the recipients of his favors—who were on terms of intimacy with the managing editor of The Bugle. But managing editors are not telling everybody, or any one, just what men on special missions are about. The words of the managing editor, as quoted to Raymond, were:

"Mangan has dropped out of sight. I don't know where he is."

"What has become of him?" That was the question Raymond was puzzling about. Raymond was not afraid of a spit. It was and is the practice of justices to run off on pleasure trips and sign a number of papers for their chief clerks to fill. Naturally, the justices, if ever called upon, accept the decision of their clerks as their own. If Mangan brought suit, the evidence would be all against him. If he said he had never appeared in court for trial, he would be set down as demented, a fit subject for a lunatic asylum.

Raymond had resolved to ascertain whether anything was known at the convent of Mangan's location. He had concluded that Mangan had gone to Denver. He had also reasoned to himself that Mother St. Gertrude must have known of his discovery. The letter addressed to her predecessor satisfied him of that. If Mangan had gone to Denver, he must circumvent him. How? That he could determine only by learning how much Mother St. Gertrude knew and then by deceiving her and Isabel. It was a dangerous move to visit the convent, but it was the safest. He was playing for millions, and his nerve must not fail. Over a week had elapsed since Mangan disappeared, and it was time to act.

"Surprised to see me, mother?" he said as he passed inside the convent portals, determined not to be ushered out or take hints to go until he had gained the knowledge he was seeking.

"I am at a loss to account for your visit," she said.

"I am interested in a friend of yours and a friend of Isabel—Laurence Mangan."

"Well?"

"I you know where he is?"

"I o not."

He scanned her features and had no doubt that she was answering truly and would answer truly if she did not resort to evasions. Prevaricate or equivocate she would not.

"You know of his mission?"

"What mission?"

"Well, he was writing an article and went off at a tangent. He was too hot-headed to give explanations. Did he say what his suspicions were of my conduct?"

"I am not at liberty to say anything."

"Well, from your reply I should say he was indulging in his usual trade. I discovered some days before he did the coincidence of name in the deeds of certain lands, and attracted by it took steps to protect her and secure the property by paying the taxes and getting a certificate. There was no record that I could find that would show it was any relative of hers who had made this investment. Isabel is the heiress, the property is hers, and we have the time to search into the past for evidence."

"And Laurence was going to Denver to investigate. Just think of it. I was surprised at his conclusions. I wish he was here now."

"So do I. But, mother, my interest was in Isabel long before this. Even now it is difficult to prove her right to the property. I confess I cannot see how it can be done. I'm a wealthy man. You know that. There can be no charge of selfishness in my regard for her. Do you know what that regard is?"

"Isabel has told me, but is Laurence really her brother?"

"He is."

"Then if you can prove that why cannot you prove whether Isabel has a right to this estate or not?"

"I can only prove that there was a George Leland, that Laurence is his son and Isabel his daughter. The family tradition will do that, but of Mr. Leland's investments there are no proofs. The lawyer who searched the titles and arranged the purchase is dead. He was my patron, and I have fruitlessly examined his papers for any clew."

"But how did you trace Isabel's relationship?"

Raymond was not dealing with a simple girl now. He was talking with a woman of a judicial temperament who wanted to know the why and wherefore of everything.

"Didn't Isabel tell you?" he asked, parrying her interrogatories to get time to plan his story.

"She said something about an uncle in Worcester pressing him. But if the uncle knew of Isabel why did he never write to her? Why did he never send her some memento of her mother? I cannot believe there are hearts in the world so cruel."

"I told Isabel that I discovered her name a short time ago by a memorandum of the old lawyer. It said: 'Isabel Le Clair in Convent of Mercy and Laurence Mangan, supposed son of James Mangan of Worcester, Mass., son and daughter of George Leland. See case 3, shelf 21.' Evidently on that shelf and in that case was something that would throw light on all this. The executor, however, who was a brother of the deceased, took those papers. He has himself died since, and in the few weeks I have been looking into the matter I have been no further enlightened. On the other hand, the case was being pressed against Laurence, and my interest in Isabel caused me to display more activity than usual in Laurence's behalf. Have I not satisfactorily explained?"

"How do you account for the antipathy Laurence entertains toward you?"

"It is hard."

"I think he is too candid, too honest, to persist in his enmity if a frank statement were made to him."

"But where is he now?"

"I cannot say."

"I know he has been pushed during the past few days and is likely to be arrested. He is so high minded and sensitive that he might resort to means we would deplore. He strikes me as one who would prefer death to dishonor."

"He would never shun danger by courting discredit."

"I hope you are right, mother, but his absence and his silence are significant."

Just then Isabel peered in from the corridor. She wanted to see Mother St. Gertrude and had been directed to the reception room. Raymond had seen her, and she could not withdraw before the mother superior said:

"Come in, Isabel."

She obeyed. Her face told of the nights of worry she had passed through. The change did not escape Raymond. He attributed it to the secret that she was hiding from Mangan and that she had imparted to Mother St. Gertrude.

"You are looking ill," he said to her.

"I am not feeling well," was her only reply.

"I hope," he continued, "that you are not fretting over things that will ultimately lead to happiness, though a little perplexing now."

"I wish it would end quickly. Why cannot you tell Laurence now?"

"I would like to please you," he answered, "but I cannot find him. He was persecuted by the people of whom I spoke and has probably gone away to some other city. I will take steps to find him. In fact, that's what brought me here today."

"Oh, how good of you!" exclaimed Isabel, and the sparkle of her eyes spoke her appreciation.

"There are a few matters that must be attended to inside," said Mother St. Gertrude. "I will be away but a few moments. Meanwhile try to devise some scheme to reach Laurence."

"What would you suggest?" queried Raymond.

"We must trust to you. But I'll go over the matter when I return."

"What is your opinion?" Raymond asked of Isabel when the nun had gone.

"It is as Mother St. Gertrude says. We must trust to you."

"I have an idea," he said. "It must not be mentioned to the sister unless it is acceptable to you."

"What is it?"

"Laurence will never settle down. He will fly from place to place until the prosecution ceases. You know that I love you. I know that in time my devotion will awaken reciprocal feelings in you. Let your love for Laurence guide you. I have discovered property both of you may claim. I have taken steps to hold it for you, as Mother St. Gertrude will explain. Surely there is in all this something that must give you an assurance that nothing I can do will be left undone to make you and him happy. I have told you how and why his character can be vindicated, reconciliation effected, and your lives, with mine, enter a vista more propitious, prosperous and peaceful."

"Mr. Raymond, I must say that I have thought this matter over; that I cannot give you the love a wife should have for her husband, and that, while I might set aside my personal wishes to further my brother's welfare, I have no right to be a burden upon you."

"It is no burden. If you never change toward me, there will be solace in your friendship that will atone for all."

"You have that already."

"But the companionship I have not. I cannot proceed until you are my wife. The very mention of this in the press, bringing you and the convent into publicity, would create a sensation painful to Mother St. Gertrude. How can I explain my interest in this case of his, risk my personal and political standing, if I fail and scandal ensue, without something to fortify me? Let me be candid. I am not doing this for Laurence so much as for you. You can hardly appreciate what it means to me, and it is not likely that Laurence would resent my interference. But if you say so, if you ask me to make the sacrifice, I will do so. I will give up all for the hope of winning your love."

"Love is dead with me," she answered. "Affection survives, the affection that springs from gratitude. I will consult with Mother St. Gertrude."

Raymond was gaining his point at every turn. He saw that the deep love Isabel had for Mangan as a lover and the affection due to a brother had blended. Mangan was dearer than ever to her now. There was nothing she would not dare for him who was torn from her—aye, torn from her, for she wept at night and worried by day that he had been blotted out of the pictures she used to draw of the future—blotted out from the most striking scenes, showing up only in the background of the newer canvas placed upon the easel of her dreams. She longed to keep him at the front, her hero still, but fact put a weight on fancy and would not let it soar.

Laurence Mangan was dead. She could never love another as she had loved him. But Laurence Leland lived. The cavalier garment of romance had dropped from his heroic figure, but yet he appealed stronger to her sympathies. Since it would be the only way to demonstrate how strong her love had been and how attached she still was to him, and that the new relation would have in it some of the sweetness of the old, she would crown her sorrow at parting with a sacrifice for a reunion.

"I will go to Mother St. Gertrude," Isabel continued. "I want to meet her alone, to confide in her, to appeal to her, to pray for guidance."

"Shall I wait?"

"Yes."

Isabel went in the direction the nun had taken. Raymond knew or felt that he had dissipated the opinions the nun had entertained of him through Mangan's report. Yet he was nervous. He had a presentiment that all would not be satisfactory. He arose and walked back and forth across the reception room, just as he had paced the office of the registrar of arrears some days before when he took the first step in the daring plot he was now carrying out.

"I'll marry her," he said. "She will turn over the management to me, sign her rights away, and she'll not be the burden on me she thinks. She can take the veil then if she wants to. Mangan? Oh, I'll have a judge appoint a commission that will incarcerate him in the county asylum, and it isn't likely he'll escape from there until I am politically dead. And how are they going to kill me? It will set Mangan crazy anyhow, and the commission will not have to be."

These and kindred ideas were surging through his brain as he walked up and down, his head bowed, his brow corrugated, his fists clinched as a man's

He would stop now and then to listen.

fists will when he wants to drive back the rush of excitement pulsating through his nerves or meet the pain stealing through his system with the anæsthesis of determination. He would stop now and then to listen for the returning footsteps of the sister and the girl, and while he was in one of these hearkening attitudes Mother St. Gertrude, in her soft sandals, noiselessly approached the door.

"Ah!" he exclaimed, straightening up and endeavoring to be pleasant. "I feared you had forgotten i

"Under the circumstanc would be difficult."

"What am I to understand, ther St. Gertrude?"

"Why, that the conversation between Isabel and myself precluded thoughts of anything but you."

"Is she coming back?" he asked, her absence appearing to him as an omen of defeat.

"I fear she is not strong enough. She has had too much to bear of late."

"Then I must go?"

"For the present you must be satisfied with this: Laurence will return in good time. He is Isabel's brother. I cannot consent to any such arrangement as you propose, and I have confidence in Laurence himself that only his own actions can weaken. I will wait for awhile. You know why Isabel consents. It is through love for him, not through love for you."

"My action is through love for her."

"That I will not deny, Mr. Raymond."

"Mangan may not return. Would you allow this shadow to rest over him? He has been a friend of yours. Can he do more for you than I? Sister, do you know my power?"

"I do. I would like it to be the power of a friend."

"It is."

"I am pleased to learn that."

"But of Laurence?"

"No stain shall rest on his name if I can avert it. But I owe him something—I owe him the faith in his character that must not listen, no matter how strong the accusation against him, to any proposition that would imply that his own manhood had failed to reach the means of redemption. Isabel has agreed with me to wait awhile."

"Then I had better go. I will bid you goodby."

"Goodby," she said as she extended her hand.

"There is one thing will settle this," he soliloquized as he walked across to the cars. "Mangan must die before they consent to this vindication theory."

He reached the main thoroughfare and stood for awhile awaiting the car. His introspection, deep as a trance, was not disturbed by the bells of the cars or the noise of the passing vehicles. It was some minutes before he came back to the world around him.

"It is an easy thing," he muttered. "Mangan must die!"

And the heartless, cruel sternness that twitched his lips and made ferocity dance in the pupils of his eyes showed how earnest he was in his resolve.

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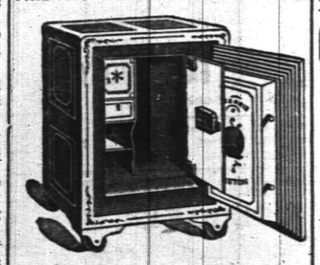

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2 09 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Bangor Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton

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The stage fright is a malady which afflicts the most experienced and capable actors as well as beginners, is the unanimous verdict of the profession.

Miss Marie Tempest whose many successes upon the English and American stage, have placed her in the front rank of operatic stars, admitted frankly upon a recent occasion that she is frequently attacked by stage fright. Miss Tempest combines a voice of extraordinary pitch and sweetness with the dramatic fervor of an emotional actress to a greater degree probably than any other prima donna now upon the English speaking stage, and the statement will be a surprise to thousands of her admirers whom she has impressed as the personification of supreme confidence and self control.

"The sensation is one of utter collapse, she said, "it is truly an awful feeling and is nearer to seasickness than anything I know of. Players with a highly nervous organization are sure to be attacked by it when approaching the climaq of an important part or when appearing for the first time in a new play. Those playing emotional roles are more susceptible to stage fright than others, because the individual capable portraying those parts is necessarily possessed of a highly nervous and impressionable temperament.

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"Then great nervous excitability is a decided advantage to an actress.

"In the way I have described, yes; as a general proposition, no. The mental strain, the intense application necessary to a proper realization of the part, the apprehension that the audience may be criticising you adversely, and the constant study of new roles, undermines health and often cuts short the career of the conscientious and ambitious actress. At the close of last season I was completely prostrated by nervous excitement and overwork. My nerves were so unstrung that the slightest sounds startled me, and I became sleepless, melancholy and irritable. Sick and disheartened, I sought the home of an old and dear friend, who immediately advised me to use a brain and nerve food of which I had heard much but knew comparatively little. I would have taken anything she chose to give me but I liked the taste of the preparation and continued its use. I had not taken one bottle when I found that my nervous system had resumed its normal tone. I no longer jumped at shadows, my appetite came back, each night brought sound and refreshing sleep and I am now in perfect health and vigor, through a systematic use of Paine's celery compound. The present season has been the most successful, and therefore the most exacting, of my career, but the invaluable remedy which restored my health has also preserved it. I have recommended it to a number of my friends, and in every case with most fortunate results."

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ROBBED AND KILLED

Daring Bandits Wreck a California Train.

Deliberately Shoot to Death the Fireman as He Was Dragging Himself from the Wreck—The Express Car Blown Up With Dynamite—Evans and Morrell, the Outlaws, Suspected.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 17.—A gang of train robbers wrecked passenger train No. 20 on the Southern Pacific railroad at Roscoe station, twelve miles north of here, at 1 a. m. They blew open the express car with dynamite and fired several shots at the trainmen who attempted to escape. Those shot by the robbers or injured in the wreck are:

Fireman Arthur Masters, shot and killed while extricating himself from the wrecked locomotive.

—— Granger, who was stealing a ride on the train, shot and killed by robbers.

Engineer David Thomas, probably fatally injured by falling off his locomotive.

Brakeman Foster, cut on head and badly bruised.

The robbers escaped with several strong boxes belonging to the Wells Fargo Express company, but the total amount of cash is believed to amount to not more than $1,000.

None of the passengers, so far as known, with the exception of the tramp, Granger, was injured.

The robbery was the most daring and cool piece of work done in the west for years, and it is believed that Chris Evans and Morrell, the outlaws for whom California officers have been searching for months, planned and executed the crime.

The train was late in leaving Los Angeles. At Burbank, six miles north of this city, several rough-looking men boarded the train, and it is believed they were the accomplices of the robbers. At Roscoe, six miles north of Burbank, is a short spur of track leading from the main line to a side track used for switching. As the locomotive neared the junction Engineer Thomas saw by the glare of the headlight that the switch was open. He reversed the engine and tried to stop the train, but the heavy load behind was too much to be stayed in the short distance and the locomotive and two fruit cars left the rails and fell a wreck into the ditch. Before the passengers and Conductor Odell could realize what had happened, three masked men jumped into view from the woods adjoining the track with rifles in their hands. A volley of shots was fired at the engineer and fireman, who were struggling to escape from the tangled wreck, and the gang kept up a fusillade of bullets to terrify the passengers and prevent them from leaving the cars.

When the shock of the accident was felt, the accomplices who boarded the train at Burbank, left the rear coach and hurried to the express car, which stood on the rails unharmed. They placed bombs under the car and the explosion tore off the doors. Express Messenger Harry Edgar was uninjured. The robbers then rifled the car, of all its contents and mounting horses, which were tied in the woods near the railroad, galloped north.

Foster, the brakeman, was in one of the passenger coaches at the time of the accident, and realizing that the robbers were at work, quietly slipped from the train and made his way to a farm house, where a team was secured and the neighborhood aroused. The officials in this city were notified, and a train was at once sent to the scene. Dr. Ainsworth, the railroad company's surgeon, was sent to Roscoe, but found no one to care for but Engineer Thomas. The bodies of Fireman Masters and Granger were brought back to this city.

The belief that Evans and Morrell, who escaped from the Fresno jail several months ago, participated in the robbery is shared by many officials. The job was such a cold-blooded and desperate piece of work that officers familiar with the two desperadoes agreed that it bears their trade mark.

Gen. Early's Condition Critical.

LYNCHBURG, Va., Feb. 17.—The condition of General Jubal A. Early, following upon the fall he sustained Thursday, is more serious than was apprehended at the time. He refuses to take any nourishment and the only rest he has had was after an opiate had been administered. He suffers great pain and at times is unconscious. Dr. Terrell, the attending physician, is evidently alarmed about his condition. General Early is in his 78th year.

An Old Paper to Change Hands.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—The controlling interest in the oldest commercial paper in the United States, The Shipping and Commercial List and New York Price Current, will soon pass into the hands of Mr. D. O. Haynes, of Detroit, Mich., who is proprietor and publisher of the Pharmaceutical Era. The Shipping and Commercial List was established in 1795, and the present owners inherited the property from the founders.

Receivers for a Telegraph Company.

BOSTON, Feb. 17.—William M. Osborne has been appointed receiver for the New England Printing Telegraph company, having lines between Boston, Providence, New Haven and New York, on complaint of a stockholder. The bill alleges that the company is in debt to the amount of $30,000.

Judge Brentano's Life Threatened

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—In consequence of a threatening letter received by Judge Brentano, who is presiding in the Prendergast case, threatening him with death if Prendergast is harmed, half a dozen armed officers have been constantly in attendance in the judge's court room.

Against Eva L. Mann.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—The general term of the supreme court has just handed down a decision sustaining the rule of the surrogate that Eva L. Mann, otherwise Eva L. Hamilton, was not the widow of Robert Ray Hamilton, and was therefore not entitled to any share of his estate.

Bridgeport Strikers Returning.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Feb. 17.—Superintendent Radel, of the Bridgeport Traction company, says that so far six strikers have applied to him for work. They will be put on the cars at once.

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PECKHAM'S REJECTION

Who Will Run the Senate Gauntlet Next?

The President Awaited the Result of the Vote Yesterday With Unusual Anxiety—Senator Hill Declines to Talk—Mr. Lodge Gives His Reasons for Opposing the Nomination.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Now that the senate has rejected two nominations made by the president to fill the vacancy on the bench of the supreme court of the United States, speculation is rife as to who will be the next man to be put up to try his luck in running the senate gauntlet.

The vote against Mr. Peckham's confirmation was decisive, 41 to 32. The senate now consists of 85 members and this vote accounts for all but 12 of that number. The vote was as follows:

For confirmation: Democrats — Bate, Blackburn, Brice, Butler, Caffery, Faulkner, George, Gray, Harris, Hunton, Lindsay, Mallory, Martin, Mills, Mitchell (Wis.), Palmer, Pasco, Ransom, Roach, Turpie, Vilas, Voorhees and White (La.); republicans—Dixon, Hale, Mitchell (Ore.), Pettigrew, Platt, Proctor, Squire, Stockbridge; populist—Kyle. Total, 32.

Against confirmation: Republicans—Aldrich, Allison, Cameron, Carey, Chandler, Cullom, Davis, Dolph, Frye, Gallinger, Hansbrough, Hawley, Higgins, Hoar, Lodge, Manderson, Morrill, Perkins, Power, Sherman, Stewart, Teller, Washburn, Wilson; democrats—Berry, Call, Cockrell, Coke, Daniel, Gibson, Gorman, Irby, Jones (Ark.), Hill, McLaurin, Murphy, Pugh, Vest, White (Cal.); populists—Allen, Peffer. Total, 41.

This shows twenty-three democrats, eight republicans and one populist voting for confirmation and fifteen democrats, twenty-four republicans and two populists voting against.

The pairs were as follows: Mr. McMillin for, with Mr. Vance against; Mr. Morgan for, with Mr. Quay against; Mr. Smith for, with Mr. Dubois against; Mr. Gordon for, with Mr. Wolcott against, Mr. Camden for, with Mr. Jones (Nev.) against. Mr. Colquitt and Mr. Sherman, both favorable to confirmation, were absent and not paired.

After adjournment Senator Hill refused to discuss the matter.

In an interview Senator Lodge said: "Yes, I voted for Hornblower and against Peckham. The question of senatorial courtesy, about which so much has been said in the newspapers, has no weight with me and has very little weight, I think, with any senator. The same may also be said of the factional fight between Mr. Cleveland and Mr. Hill. In both cases I reached my decision without any reference to either of these points. I voted for Mr. Hornblower because I considered him in all ways fit for the position for which he was nominated, and there were very few protests and very little evidence against his fitness. In the case of Mr. Peckham, while there was nothing to be said against his character or professional ability, there were grave objections to him on the score of age and temper. I do not think it wise to put on the supreme bench men over 60 years of age."

The president was informed of the defeat of the Pechham nomination within a few minutes after it had been rejected. A prominent senator sent a telegram to Mr. Cleveland over the wire running from the senate to the white house. During the cabinet meeting, which lasted from 11 o'clock until half past two, the president and the cabinet officers present waited for some news from the senate and it is said that the meeting was prolonged in the expectation that something definite would be received.

Paul Jones at Providence.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 17.—"Paul Jones" is here stopping at the Narragansett. During the day he did nothing of special interest. After arriving at the Narragansett he spent 40 cents—15 for a shave and 25 cents for a soda lemonade. Hereafter he says he will make his own lemonade. It's cheaper. He made a tour about town, during which he visited the Press club rooms. He visited an art store and made arrangements for having a number of his photographs mounted. It is his intention to remain in Providence over Sunday, but what he will do while here will depend upon circumstances.

Frank Byrne Dead.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 17.—Frank Byrne, who was secretary of the Irish National Land league under Parnell, and who was arrested in France for complicity in the Phoenix Park murders, died at the Rhode Island hospital yesterday. His wife, who is a helpless paralytic, and three children are living here.

Yonkers for a Port of Delivery.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Mr. Ryan (dem., N. Y.) has offered in the house a bill making the city of Yonkers a port of delivery in the customs district of New York city.

MANY BLOWN TO DEATH

Boilers on a German War Ship Explode.

Three Chief Engineers Who Were on the Vessel to Test the Boilers Among the Killed — Some of the Injured Will Die—The Accident Near Kiel—The Emperor Going to the Scene.

KIEL, Feb. 17.—A terrible boiler explosion occurred yesterday on the German ironclad Brandenburg, at this port, with terrible results.

The Brandenburg had had new boilers placed in her and had been ordered to make her trial trip to test them. The vessel was on this trip when the explosion occurred.

Forty-one men were instantly killed and nine others were fatally wounded. Among the dead are the three chief engineers, who were on the vessel to report on the work of the boilers, and several other officers. Most of the bodies were badly scalded, in some instances the faces being so swollen out of shape as to be unrecognizable.

As soon as the effects of the explosion were known to the officer of the deck he caused signals to be set showing that the vessel was helpless. Five steamers went at once to the assistance of the disabled warship and, getting lines to her, towed her back to Kiel.

When she reached port, Prince Henry, of Prussia, the emperor's brother, immediately boarded her, and found that the explosion had caused much damage to the vessel.

Prince Henry worked energetically aboard the ship. He helped direct the work of relieving the wounded and questioned the ship's officers concerning the names and homes of the dead and injured.

The steam tug Pelican, which was the first vessel sent to the Brandenburg's assistance, returned to the quay with thirty dead bodies. The news of the accident had spread through the city and thousands had gathered at the landing place.

All the injured were were taken to the military hospital for treatment.

Emperor William is expected to arrive here to-day.

An officer of the Brandenburg said that the main steam pipe of the starboard engine burst. Among the men killed are many dockyard artificers, but it is now said the number of victims will not exceed 40.

THE STRANDED KEARSARGE.

A Wrecking Company Makes a Liberal Offer to Save the Wreck.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—The Merritt Wrecking company of New York has made a proposition to the navy department to save the wreck of the old corvette Kearsarge, now lying on Roncador reef. The terms are reasonable, but the matter will be held in abeyance by the department until the arrival of Admiral Stanton and the officers and crew of the Kearsarge at New York on the 21st inst. Admiral Stanton informed the department prior to sailing from Colon, that there was little chance of saving the wreck, and this opinion is adopted by naval officials who think the effort to save the old craft will cost more than the result will be worth except from a sentimental standpoint.

Mr. Blair, of New Hampshire, has introduced a bill in the house to appropriate $30,000 to rescue the armament of the Kearsarge, apparently under the impression that her present guns were those that sunk the Alabama, but this is not the case.

PLYMOUTH MINE HORROR.

It Will Take Fully a Month to Reach the Spot Where the Men Are.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Feb. 17.—The two rescuing parties at work in the Gaylord mine trying to find the 13 entombed timbermen are making slow progress. Rock and coal continues to fall, and on more than one occasion they were obliged to flee from work in order to save themselves. In the No. 5 workings of the mine the caves continue to take place, and piles of rock and coal appear to be falling continually. One of the entombed men, John D. Morris, was imprisoned in a mine in Wales for ten days previous to coming to this country. It is safe to say that it will take fully a month before the rescue parties can reach the men, where they are supposed to be.

Schooner Morrison and Crew Lost.

PROVINCETOWN, Mass., Feb. 17.—The schooner Edwin I. Morrison has been fully identified by Captain R. M. Lavergier. He says that without doubt the wreckage which came ashore is from that vessel. This is the vessel that was seen pounding along the beach the morning of the 13th inst., and has sunk in the deep water off Race point. There is no chance that any of her crew was saved. She was commanded by Captain John H. Smith, of Dorchester, Mass., and carried a crew of eight men all told and left Rockport for New York on the morning of the 14th inst.

Burned and Sunk.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 17.—The side wheel iron steamer Ida was burned to the waters edge last night and the hull filled with water and sunk. The Ida was built in Wilmington, Del., in 1881 and has for several years plied between this port and points on the Chesapeake bay, in passenger and freight trade.

May Brooks' Remains to Be Sent East

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—The remains of May Brooks, the leading lady of Palmer's New York company, who committed suicide in this city Thursday night, have been embalmed and will be sent east.

UNIMPEACHABLE TESTIMONY!

A WONDERFUL STORY BY AN IRVINGTON WOMAN.

Fearful Failure of Fifteen Physicians—Serious Surgical Operation Suggested.

For four years I have suffered from a complication of diseases which physicians said were dyspepsia, liver and kidney complaint, nervous prostration and womb disease. No words of mine can describe the terrible pains and distress I have experienced—the dizziness, trembling fears of evil, chills, fever, melancholy, restlessness and numerous other dreadful sensations which I am unable to describe. Have been treated by fifteen physicians, some of whom were sure they could cure me within two or three months, and all of whom have had from two months to three, four or more, as they said was needed. One I tried for a whole year until last May I found myself disappointed, discouraged and about ready to give up altogether, as, after treating me for a year my physician told me I would be obliged to undergo a surgical operation before I could commence to get better. Just at this time I was advised by friends to consult Dr. Starkweather of No. 105 Halsey street, Newark, as they knew of some very remarkable cures which he had performed.

I followed their advice and visited the doctor on May 5. How glad I am that I took this step no one can realize who has not been similarly situated. The doctor gave me a complete history of my case, describing with surprising accuracy the conditions and symptoms which I had endured for years, but what gave me the greatest surprise and pleasure was when he assured me that there was no need of any surgical operation. Proper means, he said, would overcome my troubles without any surgery. I commenced at once to follow Dr. Starkweather's directions and treatment. Having graduall and steadily improved since that time, as he stated I would, until now I am the wonder of all my friends, while rejoicing in renewed health, strength and spirits. Am constrained by a sense of duty and gratitude to accord the praise due Dr. S. for his gentle, soothing and skillful treatment of my case, and advise all sufferers from whatever cause to consult this eminent physician. MRS. WM. R. MANSER.

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CIRCULATION EXCEEDS THAT OF ALL OTHER PLAINFIELD DAILIES COMBINED.

In response to the nomination by The Press of S. St. J. McCutchen for Borough Mayor, Mr. McCutchen says that he cannot accept. But popular sentiment clamors for him, and just how he is going to avoid his destiny is hard to see. Mr. McCutchen's modesty, like his host of other good qualities, is pleasant to contemplate, but the people will insist that he take the nomination and the office.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—John Bittenhouse has been granted an increase of pension.

—A song service will be held in the W. C. T. U. rooms tonight.

—The Red Men worked the adoption degree on one candidate last evening.

—St. Mary's Church has services next Wednesday and Friday evenings at 8.

—The Armour Beef Company ran a handsome new delivery wagon today.

—Read the Sunday Service column carefully for special exercises tomorrow.

—A "smoker" will be given in the C. Y. M. L. club-house next Thursday evening.

—North avenue, from Richmond street to Terrill road, is now a popular place for speeding horses.

—Three sprightly kittens were added to the family of Ruth Cleveland, The Press office cat, last night.

—Evening prayer and lecture take place in the Church of Our Saviour every Friday during Lent.

—The coasting on Dunlap hill was excellent last night, and many bob-sleds were out in spite of the cold.

—Corporation Counsel Marsh was entertained by the fire department last night with an exhibition of quick hitching.

—Division No. 4, A. O. H., will give their twentieth annual ball in Saengerbund Hall, Easter Monday night, March 26.

—Raymond Hodge, a five-year old boy of Somerset street, fell at noon and cut his head quite badly. Dr. M. B. Long attended him.

—If the cold weather continues ice-cutting will begin on Tier's pond Monday. Old ice is now six inches thick and the second crop four inches.

—The surplus supplies provided for the banquet of Columbia lodge last night were distributed among the poor today by the Ladies Relief Association.

—Thanks to the efforts of Dr. Mattison and Marshal Pangborn, a pension has been secured for Mary Harding. She gets $399 33 back money, and $8 a month.

—Several of the street lighting poles on Grove street, between Craig place and Emily street, are being replaced today by sticks forty feet long, to raise the wires above the trees.

—The lovely display of roses, carnations and violets now to be seen at Miles's greenhouses, Somerset street railroad terminus, are a sample of what to find there all the time.

—The Red Men adopted one paleface last evening. After the business had been transacted the members were entertained by an exhibition of a patent folding microscope by Benjamin F. Allen.

—Elder Hand, of the First Church of Christ, will go to Newark tomorrow morning, to be present at the meeting of the Disciples who meet in the Mt. Pleasant Avenue Church. He will return in time for the evening service in Plainfield.

—The public will doubtless be delighted to learn that Miss Ednorah Nahar, the elocutionist, will be in Bethel Chapel Thursday night, March 8. All who heard Miss Nahar were enraptured by her reading. She will be supported by a company of artists of whom more will be said later.

—The work of erecting poles to carry the wires of the Edison Electric Light Company to Bound Brook has been completed to Greenbrook and it is said the whole line will be ready in six weeks. The Edison Company will then furnish light to North Plainfield, Dunellen, New Market and Bound Brook.

—The Rev. Arthur Crane's services tomorrow will be: First Baptist Church, consecration service, 9:30; sermon on "New Birth", 10:30; Sunday-school address at 3:15. Y. M. C. A. rooms, 4:15, preceded by open-air meeting in front of rooms at 4. First Baptist Church, prayer meeting, 7:15; preaching, 7:30.

—Wm. Adams, of Terrill road, for assaulting his friend English, got five months from the County Court today. Attorney DeMeza secured the lightness of sentence. Holmes, for robbing Venable, got three months. Count VanNess was n't sentenced for assaulting his workman, as he has appealed to a higher court.

—The largest strawride party of the season from Scotch Plains was given by the Pentzes Thursday evening. The invited guests were driven in a four-in-hand to the Springfield Hotel, where supper was served, followed by dancing. The party did not return to their homes till an early hour Friday morning, tired but happy.

—The committee in charge of the coming masquerade ball to be given under the auspices of Iona Council will have invitations ready for distribution Tuesday. Members can have the same by calling on any of the following committee: J. William Klein, chairman, Mrs. Fred. Westphal, Mrs. H. Welgmann, Mrs. Jules Stephaney and Mrs. David C. Allen.

Beware of imitations. Take no "just as good." See that you get the genuine Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, the peerless specific.

The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands can testify. Proper local treatment is positively necessary to success, but many, if not most, of the remedies in general use afford but temporary relief. A cure is certainly cannot be expected from snuffs, powders, douches and washes. Ely's Cream Balm, which is so highly commended, is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power, with perfect safety and pleasantness to the patient. The druggists all sell it.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Brief notices will be inserted under this head free of expense, but must be delivered at this office not later than 10 o'clock Saturday morning to insure publication.

Secly Edsall will speak in the Washingtonville Memorial Chapel tomorrow evening.

The Bible training classes of the Y. M. C. A. will meet as usual tomorrow at 9:15 a. m.

An interesting meeting will be held in the Mt. Pleasant School-house tomorrow evening.

In Bethel Chapel, tomorrow, there will be morning service at 11, Sunday-school at 3 p. m., and evening service at 8.

Masses will be celebrated in St. Joseph's Church tomorrow at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m. Sunday-school will be held at 3 p. m., and vespers at 8 p. m.

Friends meeting will be held at 11 a. m., tomorrow, in the Watchung Avenue Meeting-house. The First-Day school will meet at 10 a. m.

Rev. Arthur Crane will speak and L. G. March of Maine and the Association Choir will sing at the Y. M. C. A. meeting tomorrow afternoon at 4:15.

The W. C. T. U. room will be open as usual tomorrow for the 9:15 a. m. praise and consecration service, and the Gospel temperance meeting at 4 p. m.

In All Souls Church, tomorrow, service will be held at 10:45 a. m. The pastor, Rev. Hobart Clark, will preach. The Sunday-school will meet at 11:45 a. m.

In the Trinity Reformed Church tomorrow the pastor, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, will preach at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In Warren Chapel tomorrow, services will be held at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. with preaching by the pastor, Rev. Joseph O. McKelvey. Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In the Monroe Avenue M. E. chapel tomorrow there will be morning service at 11, and service in the evening at 8. The sermons will be by the pastor, the Rev. Herbert B. Munson.

In St. Mary's Church tomorrow masses will be celebrated at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30 and 10:30 a. m. Vespers will be held at 8 p. m. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In the Crescent Avenue Church services will be held tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., with preaching by the pastor, Rev. Wm. R. Richards, D. D. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In the East Third Street Mission tomorrow there will be Gospel services at 8 p. m. led by Anthony C. LaBoyteaux. The Christian Endeavor meeting will be held at 7 and the Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In the Congregational Church tomorrow Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor, will conduct services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday-school will meet at 2:45 p. m. At 7:30 p. m. the pastor will preach a sermon to Perseverance and Unity Lodges, Knights of Pythias.

In the First Church of Christ tomorrow there will be a love feast at 10:45 a. m.; Lord's Supper at 11:45 a. m.; Sunday-school at 2:45 p. m.; preaching at 7:45 p. m., by Pastor B. W. Hand, and Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30 p. m.

In Grace Protestant Episcopal Church, tomorrow, there will be early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m., morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m., Sunday-school will be held at 3 p. m. Bible Class at 4 p. m., and evening service at 4:30.

In the First Presbyterian Church tomorrow, the pastor, Rev. Charles E. Herring, will preach at 10:30 a. m. on the subject "Doctrine of the Trinity", and at 7:45 p. m. on the subject "Come". The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 and the Young People's Society at 7 p. m.

In the First Baptist Church tomorrow there will be consecration service at 9:30 a. m.; preaching at 10:30 a. m. by Arthur Crane, D. D.; Sunday-school and Bible classes at 2:30 p. m., followed by an address by Rev. Arthur Crane; evening service at 7:30, led by Rev. Arthur Crane.

In Grace M. E. Church, tomorrow, Rev. Dr. J. L. Huribut will preach at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The Sunday-school will celebrate its second anniversary in the afternoon, at which time there will be interesting exercises with an address by Dr. Huribut. Communion at morning service.

In the Church of Our Saviour, tomorrow, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector, will officiate. There will be Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m., Sunday-school will be held at 9:45 a. m., morning prayer, litany and sermon at 11, and evening prayer at 4. Two free stages will leave the railroad station for the church and return, at 10:30 a. m.

In the First Methodist Episcopal Church tomorrow the pastor, Rev. C. R. Barnes, D. D., will preach at 10:30 a. m. on the subject "An Unprofitable Compromise", and at 7:30 p. m. on the subject "The Wanderer; the second chapter in the life of a young man". The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 and the Epworth devotional meeting will be held at 6:45 p. m.

In the Park Avenue Baptist Church tomorrow the Rev. J. W. Richardson's themes will be: In the morning at 10:30, "Moses: the man who could not be bribed by a kingdom". In the evening at 7:30, "The Model Youth", a sermon to young men and women. The ordinance of baptism will be administered at the close of the sermon. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

Zero in Plainfield.

The self-registering thermometer at 8:30 Central avenue last night registered zero, by 4 degrees the coldest of the season.

—The Nevius bob was wrecked on the Broadway hill last night. No one was hurt.

—One of B. W. Rice's horses smashed its sleigh by running away on Fourth street.

—The Christian Endeavor Societies of the city are invited to a Washington Birthday revival meeting by Rev. Arthur Crane at 7:30 p. m.

—The first issue of the Grace Parish Record, the new publication of the Men's Association of Grace Church, will be distributed among the parishioners tomorrow.

—The Salvation Army will have a temperance meeting tonight, and an all-day anniversary tomorrow, led by Mr. and Mrs. Evans and Ensign Wood and wife. Monday, recruits will be sworn.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell; 25c., 50c. and $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 305 North ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

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Charles P. Leggett is reported as being very ill with pneumonia.

H. M. Clarke, a promising young lawyer of Elmira, was the guest of Lawyer Harry Maxson yesterday.

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Carpet tacks	1c package
4 yds. roll tape, all sizes	2c each
Darning wool	2c card
Bent hooks and eyes	2c card
Ball darning cotton	2c ball
Wardrobe hooks	2c each
Machine cotton	2c spool
Ball tinsel	2c ball
Knitting cotton, large balls	2c each
Safety pins, all sizes	3c dozen
Curtain pins	3c dozen
Hand brushes	3c each
Sink brushes	3c each
Dish mops	3c each
Coat hangers	3c each
Cabinet of hair pins	3c each
Tracing wheels	3c each
Toweling	3c yard
Screw drivers	3c each
Hair crimpers	3c dozen
Gimlets	3c each
Meat forks	3c each
Biscuit cutters	3c each
100 yard spool silk	4c spool
Linen thread	4c spool
Machine oil cans	4c each
Lamp burners	4c each
Black pins	4c box
Bon-Ami	5c cake
100 brass head nails	for 5c
144 shoe buttons	for 5c
Metal dress stays	5c dozen
Chimney cleaners	5c each
No 4 Bixby blacking	5c box
School ink	5c bottle
25 yds. picture wire	for 5c
Blue seal vaseline	5c bottle
Fine tooth brushes	5c each
Rubber dressing combs	5c each
Rubber fine combs	5c each
Hair curlers	5c each
Nickel match safes	5c each
Darning lasts	5c each
Coin purses	5c each
Machine oil	5c bottle
Pocket mirrors	5c each
Bread toasters	5c each
Sink shovels	5c each
Attachable corset steels	5c pair
Knitting cotton	5c ball
Large dust pans	6c each
Ammonia, the best	8c bottle
Soap shakers	8c each
Stockinet dress shields	8c pair
Pure rubber dress shields	10c pair
1,000 sheet toilet paper	10c package
India tape, assorted	8c dozen
Covered dress stays	6c set
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9 " "	6c dozen
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DEATHS.

COMPTON—In this city Friday, Feb 16 1894, Mrs. Effiah M., wife of the late Nathaniel Compton, in her 78th year.
Funeral services from her late residence, 319 West 3d st., Monday, Feb. 19, at 2 p. m. Friends and relatives are respectfully invited to attend without further notice.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

BOB sled for sale; good condition. Apply 305 East 3d st. 2 16 3

HORSE wanted; the owner of a nine-year old sorrel, kind and safe, would like to exchange for a young, lively horse that can be trained to saddle. Address X. Y. Z., care Press. 2 16 4

HOUSES to rent centrally located: 1 house 11 rooms, good condition $20; 1 house 8 rooms, rent $12; 2 house 7 rooms, rent $9; 1 house 8 rooms, rent $11. Apply 110 Park ave. 2 10 6-eod

LADIES wanting good help will find same at Mrs. Corbin's, 315 Park avenue.

WANTED—Chicken brooder in good repair. Lock Box 436, Westfield N. J.

WANTED—To rent, small house with not more than 4 or 5 rooms. W. E. B., care Press.

FOR SALE—Ladies' safety "Juno"; almost new; or will exchange for gentle horse suitable for young lady to ride or drive. Address Box 574, Westfield, N. J. 2 17 2

WANTED—A girl for small family. Apply 12 Rockview Ave

FOR SALE—Cheap, heavy work horse. 565 West Front Street. 2 17 3

FOR SALE or exchange, bay pony, good driver; also fine saddle horse. 112 Lafayette place. 2 17 3

TO LET—At Netherwood, 8 roomed house; $12 per month. Inquire of E. Willis, South avenue, opposite water works.

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TO LET—Portion of furnished house to party who will board 3. Address V., care Press. 2 12 tf

TO LET—April 1, seven-room house; furnished; centrally located; improvements. Furnished, care Press. 2 12 tf

WANTED—A Remington typewriter, and cabinet for same. G. B. Wean, 112 Plainfield avenue. 2 14 tf

TO LET—3 rooms on first floor, 4 rooms on second floor. Apply 404 West 3d st., cor. Central avenue. 2 14 6

TO LET—Large house and barn, Front street and Clinton avenue, Evona, opposite station. Wm. McD Cortelli. 2 13 6

FURNITURE at private sale, consisting of sofa, chairs, 2 B. W. bedroom suits, dining extension table, laundry stove and table, kitchen utensils, parlor gas chandeliers, 3 clocks, student lamp, bed springs, at No. 1113 Putnam avenue after 2 p. m. 2 13 5

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REPORTS OF THE YEAR.

North Plainfield Borough Council Concluding Its Work.

A meeting of the Borough Council was held last evening. All of the members were present except Councilman Howell. Clerk Vetterlein read the minutes of previous meetings and they were approved.

On request the placing of four lights on Girard avenue, two between Myrtle avenue and the bridge over Green brook, and two between Giraud and Sycamore avenues, was referred to the Fire, Water and Lamps Committee.

A draft of a proposed ordinance offered by the Borough Counsel, designating streets on which the poles of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company could be erected, was laid over until the next meeting.

Collector Spencer reported collection of taxes received since his last monthly report as follows:

Taxes of 1891	$ 588.31
Previously collected	11,602.48
Total	$12,290.69
Taxes of 1892	$ 567.17
Previously collected	11,122.67
Total	$11,679.84
Taxes for 1893	$ 747.60
Previously collected	10,427.91
Total	$11,174.51

He also reported having received for licenses, less percentage from the County Clerk, $42.50, and $39 from the Township Committee as one-half of the expense of the Rock avenue improvement.

The Chairman of the Committee on Streets and Public Health reported the macadamizing of Chatham street and Craig place, and Duer street to Emily, and the filling of Greenbrook road between Duer and Somerset streets. Many crosswalks had been improved. Not much work had been done on the sidewalks, but the committee thought that the new sidewalk ordinance would be enforced with benefit. The desirability of action on the sewerage question was admitted by all, and no doubt something would be done in the matter.

The committee asked for a larger yearly appropriation than $3,500. The macadamized streets were used for ordinary traffic almost exclusively and often need repair. Their condition was not improved by the carrying of mud from unmacadamized thoroughfares to them. The committee thought that $4,500 would not be too much. They thanked the Mayor for his services, and especially for his work on the Grove street improvement. The balance on hand was $670.22, with a note of $500 due next month.

A report was presented by the Fire, Water and Lamps Committee. Previous to last year no efficient means had been provided for drying the fire hose. At a meeting of the Council held July 7, 1893, it had been decided to erect one. This had been done at a cost of $300, and had proved very satisfactory. A steam gong, placed on the electric light station by Warren Engine Company, had been purchased for $161 94. The members of the Engine Company had done excellent work and no reasonable appropriation should be denied them. A most favorable five-year contract had been made with the Edison Electric Lighting Company. During the year eleven additional lights had been placed in various parts of the borough.

Their statement of the lighting account was:

Receipts	$7,750.13	
Expenditures	7,527.95	
Balance		$222.18

Fire department account:

Receipts	$3,665.23	
Expenditures	2,150.07	
Balance		$1,515.16
Total balance		$1,376.61

The Auditing Committee reported an examination of the accounts and complimented Clerk Vetterlein on the excellent manner in which he kept the books.

The borough account, exclusive of fire department, lighting, roads and lockup, was:

Expenditures	$3,816.85
Receipts	3,650.24
Total balance with taxes	$57.50

Police account:

Salaries and supplies	$1,096.12
Lockup and Magistrate	192.72
Total	$1,288.84
Fines received	$129.00
Local licenses	190.75
From County Clerk	1,851.75
Total	$2,171.50

Borough account:

Total receipts	$3,821.74
Expenditures	5,105.69
Balance	$716.05

Gospel temperance meetings will be held in Reform Hall tomorrow as usual, at 9:15 a. m. and 4 p. m.

On motion of Mr. Fountain two lamps were ordered placed on Mercer avenue, one between Grove and Duer streets, and the other between Grove street and Washington avenue.

Mr. Needham moved that the Printing Committee be instructed to have the annual reports and the list of delinquent taxpayers published in pamphlet form and distributed.

Mr. Edwards thought the reports should be published in one of the three newspapers which would present the lowest bid for the advertising.

An amendment was made that the committee be authorized to publish the work and in addition to have it inserted in one of the newspapers at a cost not to exceed $10, the cost of the pamphlets.

Mr. Hummer said that the newspaper men had done the Council good service. Their reports of meetings were the only means by which the people learned whether the Council was in existence. It would be no more than just to give the three newspapers the advertising, and the report would thus be widely circulated.

The amendment and the motion were carried, Mr. Edward opposing.

Chief Marshal W. N. Pangborn's yearly report showed the number of arrests were 109 and that aggregating ten years, four months and seven days imprisonment had been imposed. The increase in the force had been very satisfactory. No cults against the borough for illegal arrest during the Marshal's administration. 53 persons had received lodging in the lockup during the year. The report was received and ordered published with the regular report.

The meeting was adjourned for two weeks.

NOW AN ELOPEMENT.

Actor Dyas Said to Have Indulged in Another Escapade.

SOMERVILLE, Feb. 17—Some two weeks ago The Press told exclusively about the troubles of Charles Dyas, the old-time actor, whose wife died from injuries received in jumping out of a second-story window while suffering from delirium. Dyas seemed to be crazed over his wife's death, and for a week afterward he went daily to the cemetery, where one morning he was found lying on his wife's grave in his night clothes. Dyas seems to have been growing worse daily, and last night he eloped as it is supposed with an eighteen-year-old girl by the name of Mary Golden, the sister-in-law of one Wisile, who sells oil and gasolene. On Thursday night Dyas checked a big trunk to Trenton telling the night baggage master at the station that his son's wife was going home. Last night Dyas and the woman hired a rig at Frail's livery stable and were driven to Bound Brook, there all trail of the couple was lost, although Wisile telegraphed in every direction for trail of the elopers. Mary is a fine looking girl and could easily have secured a younger and a more suitable partner for life. Dyas, Jr., lives at the homestead with his new wife whom he married while his mother lay dead in the house, but this was done it is said at his mother's request.

FAITHFUL ARE THE WOUNDS OF A FRIEND.

(From The Bound Brook Chronicle.)

The Plainfield Daily Press is making an effort to convince the owners of leased houses in that city that their rents are too high and that for this reason the growth of the town is being checked. Of course, the real estate men raise the cry that the publication of such articles injures the place, but to this argument The Press replies with entire truthfulness: "It isn't the statement of facts that hurts or helps a town. It's the facts themselves." That expresses the situation briefly but clearly. Let a man of intelligence come out from New York to Plainfield or Bound Brook, looking for a home. He knows something of the value of property and if the rents are found higher than he thinks they should be, he seeks a residence elsewhere. The newspaper which pleads for lower rents can in nowise be blamed because the landlord has lost a tenant. The Chronicle has for years begged of the property-owners of Bound Brook to improve their sidewalks, and this paper has been taken to task for saying so much on the subject, in fear of keeping people from locating here. But the facts speak for themselves. Let a prospective resident come to this town looking for a home on any day when the mud is soft, and he will go away without renting. Why? Because he has read in this paper that our walks at times are not what they should be? No, indeed. But because he has seen for himself their true condition. In this connection we quote the following from the Hunterdon Democrat:

"Aside from any town ordinance, every property-holder ought to have sufficient pride as well as a regard for the welfare of his neighbor, to make his sidewalk passable. It's easy enough if there's a will to do it."

A FLOURISHING START.

Columbia Lodge, No. 58, A. O. U. W., met in Firemen's Hall last evening and initiated twenty-five new members. District Deputy Grand Master Workman and Supreme Lodge Representative John W. Diefendorf, of Newark, led the exercises of initiation. Garret T. Dunham presided at the organ. The lodge now has ninety-six members and five applications were received last night.

At the banquet which followed Master Workman Their, of Westfield, and Master Workman Randolph, Thaddeus C. Smith and P. M. Westphal, of Central Lodge, spoke. Remarks were made by Street Commissioner R. A. Meeker, just initiated, Justice Nash, Councilman Neal and others of the new lodge.

Mr. Diefendorf congratulated the lodge, which he said was made up of the most prominent business men in Plainfield. He considered it the banner lodge of the State.

The lodge will hold a special meeting February 28, when the report of the medical examiner on the new applications will be received, and action taken accordingly.

Small Fire Draws a Big Crowd.

The fire department was called out shortly after 4 yesterday afternoon by a chimney fire in the house of Reuben Ray in Stiger's alley. Sparks and smoke were pouring out into an upper room when Chief Doane reached the place, and the occupants were much alarmed, but an extinguisher was all that was needed to put the fire out. A strong wind was blowing. A large crowd gathered.

The hose wagons responded to the alarm at once. In turning into East Front street Alert's wagon swung around and bent the hind axle. After the fire a coal wagon was fitted up in its place while the hose carriage could be repaired.

The hook and ladder truck did not reach the alley until ten minutes after the alarm. The delay was caused by a weak collar snap in the harness of the engine team, which under the orders were to lead the truck after they hastily returned from work. The trip was finally made with the regular team. The engine followed. In returning the harness fell off again. The defective collar had been recently repaired and was thought to be in good order.

Trenton Potteries.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 17.—The chancery suit brought in the name of Attorney-General Stockton and the state of New Jersey by dissatisfied stockholders of the Trenton potteries company to break an agreement under which the plaintiffs are restrained from engaging in the same line of business has been brought to an abrupt end through the action of the attorney-general, who filed a notice of withdrawal from the case. He finds that the contention of the defense, that the agreement was, in its nature, a private one and of no concern to the state, is sound. The plaintiffs will probably seek their remedy in another way.

Henry and His Friends.

PARIS, Feb. 17.—It has been learned that Emile Henry, the man who threw the bomb in the cafe of the hotel Terminus last Monday night, recently lodged with anarchist friends at Belleville, a suburb of Paris. As soon as the friends learned of Henry's arrest they burned all his papers to prevent them from falling into the hands of the police, and, it is said, conveyed to a safe hiding place a bomb similar to the one thrown by Henry. The police made a search of Henry's lodgings at Belleville and found a number of copper tubes, a quantity of lead, chlorate powder and picric acid.

William's Visit to Bismarck.

BERLIN, Feb. 17.—The return visit of Emperor William to Prince Bismarck will be made on Monday. According to the official programme, the train by which his majesty will travel to Friedrichsruhe will arrive there at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Prince Bismarck will await his coming at the railway station. They will be immediately driven to Prince Bismarck's residence, where later in the day dinner will be served. Only a few intimate friends of his majesty and the prince will attend the banquet.

CONDEMNED ALREADY.

Evangelist Crane Preaches a Rousing Sermon to Unbelievers.

Rev. Arthur Crane's remarks last evening in the First Baptist Church were much enjoyed by a large audience. He said he would endeavor to show the condition of the unconverted, and before he closed everyone felt that he had accomplished his purpose.

His text was the eighteenth verse of the third chapter of John—"He that believeth on Him is not condemned; but he that believeth not is condemned already, because he hath not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God".

The unconverted—said Mr. Crane—do not like these words, for they usually come home to them with impressiveness. Let us examine our lives tonight by the plumbline of God's Word! We notice by the text that judgment and sentence are passed. There are professors of religion today who talk and believe in probation. With all the privileges a person has to accept Christ in this life, if he refuses, what hope is there for him hereafter? God's Word speaks emphatically against any doctrine of hope beyond the grave, and there is absolutely no probation after death. We are under condemnation—said Mr. Crane, and at this point drew a vivid word-picture of a county court and the arrest of a man charged with murder, the trial, the charge of the judge, the verdict of the jury; and likened it to a man under the spiritual law. But the prisoner is not condemned until the jury decides he is guilty, and then he has lost his right of citizenship. In a spiritual sense, we are condemned already. The sin of unbelief is the worst of all; by it God's Word is rejected, and God is made a liar. The unconverted says he will not have God to rule over him. Unbelief dethrones God in a man's soul. How would a wife feel if her husband should cease to love her and become infatuated with another woman? And yet we treat God even worse than that. It is not possible for a person to be justified by good works, not even if he lives according to the law given on Sinai. Christ has made atonement for our sins, and if we accept His proffered grace and mercy, we will be saved; if not, we will be lost.

Mr. Crane's words were brought to a close by an invitation to the unsaved, and many accepted salvation. Many testimonies were added to those already given on previous nights. The singing was the means of drawing a large number to the service.

Thinks Jim Bailey Should Enter Wall Street.

The New York Evening World tells the following story of interest to Plainfielders:

A unique possibility of theatrical commerce cropped up in Plainfield the other day. The burning of the Globe Theatre, Boston, forced "Blue Jeans" to a night's presentation in the borough, and as the price asked by the transfer man favored by the theatre for the carriage of scenery and baggage to and from the theatre was higher than the tariff in any other part of the country. Managers Rosenquest and Arthur endeavored to secure the services of another drayman. None could be found. Investigation revealed the condition that the only entrance to the stage of the Music Hall is at the end of a lane running through the yard of a candy factory, adjoining the rear of the hall. The transfer man, whose name is Bailey, has a regularly executed legal document granting him the exclusive right "to push, drive or otherwise propel" vehicles through this lane. Of course "Blue Jeans" had to accept his services. Bailey should go into Wall Street.

From a Cent to a Million.

If it's only a cent you have, or if you have more, you can spend it to best advantage at the slaughter-of-prices sale inaugurated by VanEmburgh & Son in their store under the bank. The big ad they have in The Press today tells an interesting story, and it will pay you to cut it out and lay it aside for future reference. Don't miss this great sale, or you'll have to pay more for the goods you need when the sale is over. VanEmburgh & Son are progressive and enterprising, and the thriving trade they get is the result of their deserving popular patronage.

North Plainfield Boys Club.

The North Plainfield Boys Club, but recently organized, will formally open their clubhouse, 216 Grove street, the evening of February 23. The social amusement of the sixteen members will be the club's object. Clam chowder will be served the opening night. The officers are:

President—James Brown.
Secretary—William Price.
Treasurer—Edward Hobby.
Janitor—Charles Stahl.

MUSIC HALL,
J. A. Demarest, Lessee and Manager.

WEEK COMMENCING
Monday, Feb. 19.
—A week of—
Comedy, Singing, Dancing and Music.

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WAITE'S COMEDY CO.,
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Years of Successful Popularity
New Comedies!
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Popular dime matinees—Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.
Change of Play Every Performance.

Gold Dollars for Fifty Cents.
—SO—
BUY FULL VALUE.
E. G. Horse, Painting and Paper Hanging,
87 CHATHAM STREET. 6[illegible]

EVERY ONE A DIFFERENT DAY.

Father Time Superintended the Review, and Not Even Wash Day Was Omitted.

The friends of the Epworth League of the First Methodist Episcopal Church were treated to a novel entertainment in Vincent Chapel last evening, when the Social Committee of the League gave a "Festival of Days".

Twenty-six different days were represented by persons in costume, who marched around the room and caused no little amusement by the diversity of their outfits. Afterwards the audience guessed what day each person represented. Mr. Cornwell aroused a great deal of laughter by his attempts to recite "The Pilgrim's Fathers". In his arduous task he was assisted by Mr. Joy, who managed to interrupt him at least once every verse. Below is a list of those who took part:

Father Time	Samuel W. Clarke
New Year's	Francis Weir
Vanentine Day	Sadie Howell
Washington's Birthday	Raymond McGee
Easter	Mrs. Samuel W. Clarke
May Day	Millie Spicer
Wash Day	Grace Barnes
St. Patrick's Day	Clarence Smith
Birthday	M. Weir
Decoration Day	Frank Hyde, Robert Davis
Ironing Day	Lillie Chandler
Children's Day Song	Erwin Leland, Fred Linn, Eddie Springer, Ida Pepper, Lena Brown, Laura Anderson.
Dog Day	Wilbur Cornwell
Rainy Day	May Mulford
Excursion Day	Lucy Davis
Red Letter Day	Edna French
April Fool Day	Walter McNaughton
Hot Day	Sadie Douglas
Labor Day	Louis Dunavan, Oscar Campbell.
Hallow E'en	David Dunavan
Independence Day	George Horn
Cold Day	Elsie Horn
Forefathers Day	W. G. Cornwell, G. Rittenhouse, H. McGee, J. M. McNaughton.
Christmas	Clifford McGee
Thanksgiving	Master Pike

Tenement Houses and the Rental Question.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Common sense is a good thing to have around in any city. I have lived in Plainfield ever since the city was born. I have built a few houses, and had the rental of others. I am not in the business now. I am of the opinion that the average landlord of our city does not make a net profit, after paying taxes, insurance, and repairs, over 3½ to 4 per cent. Some may make more, and some less, according to situation or locality. Some fine residences may rent at a good profit, but let some speculator purchase land near and put up a row of tenement houses near by, and he is knocked out half or two-thirds of his interest. The two kinds of dwellings do not help each other. Sometimes certain men purchase lands in close connection to a locality of fine dwellings and commence to put up small tenement houses, and often the people are compelled to pay that man a large profit for said lands to save the character and value of their property and neighborhood. But what does the speculator care? I am of the opinion that cheap tenement houses should exist, but they should be located outside the better class of residences, and near our manufacturing establishments, where the children of the tenants will not maraud over fine grounds and damage fine properties. Small tenement houses, rum shops and blacksmith shops prove detrimental to all fine residences. I think rents in Plainfield are cheaper than in any other city in the State in proportion to beauty, pleasantness, healthfulness and climate. Many tenants that complain of high prices spend half of their earnings for liquor, tobacco and the keeping of a dog, then complain that they cannot support their families and pay their rents. Many families attempt to put on high style of living, and then neglect their rent, and some stay as long as they can and then move rather than clean house. There are two sides to the question.

OBSERVER.

Discovering a Good Purpose.

While we are naturally inclined to accept the statement that all things are created for some good purpose, the utility of the mosquito had never been popularly conceded until Collier photographed him in the bowl of a souvenir spoon. Call at 103 Park avenue and get one of these most appropriate mementos to send to an absent New Jersey friend.

FAIR & FESTIVAL,
—IN—
VINCENT CHAPEL,
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Thursday and Friday, (Washington's Birthday,) Feb. 22 and 23.
Afternoon and Evening
Admission 10 Cents.
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Fresh Pork Tenderloins, Scrapple & Sausage
AT THE
Plainfield Packing House,
153 West Front Street.
ULRICH & BLATZ, Proprietors

CASH
Paid for old gold and silver at
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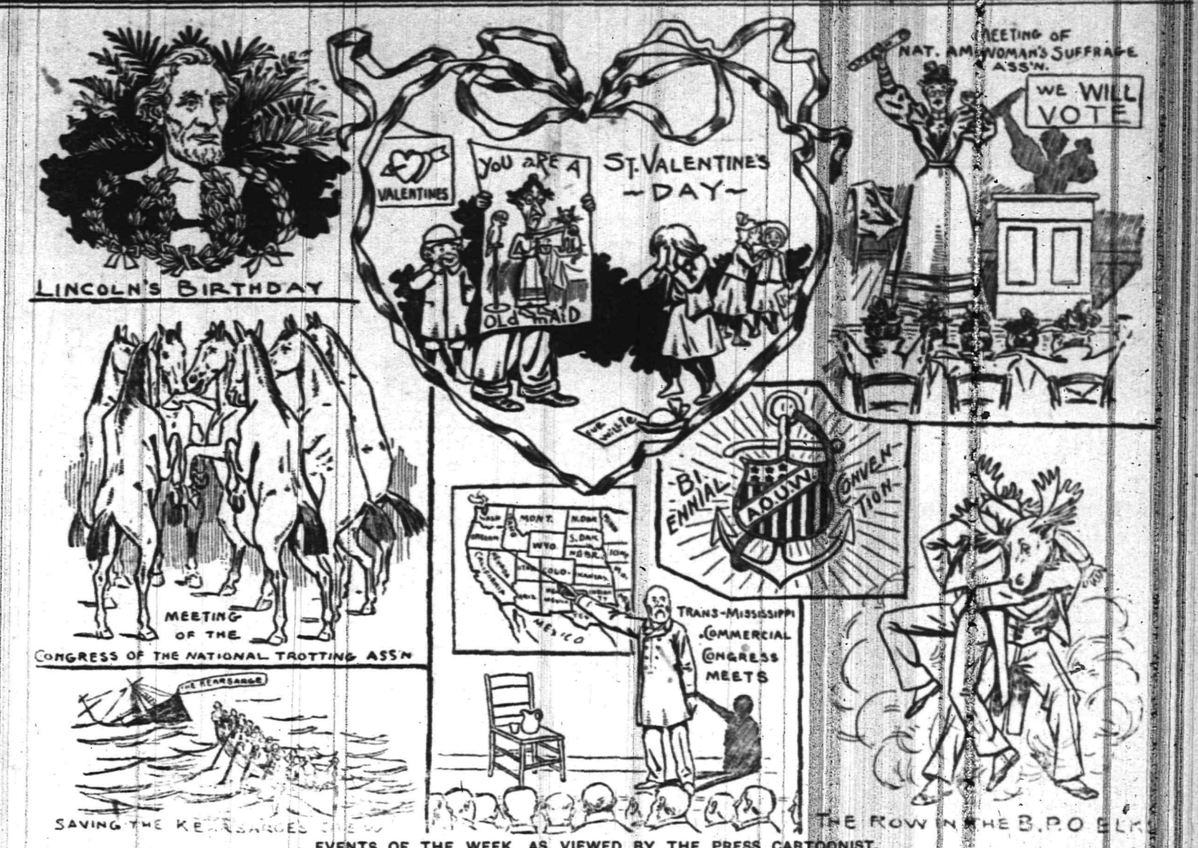
Cor. 5th St.



EVENTS OF THE WEEK, AS VIEWED BY THE PRESS CARTOONIST.

PARTICULAR MENTION

Freeholder Badgeley, of New Providence, was in town today.

Mrs. George Rockafellow has been quite ill for the past few days.

A lively sleighload of Westfielders danced at the home of G. F. Randolph, 98 Duer street, at 9 last night.

An informal dance at the home of C. E. Brown, of West Front street, last night, was attended by twenty from Elizabeth, Dunellen and Plainfield.

William Jukes, head press erector for the Scott Press Works, returned home yesterday after a two-weeks stay in Baltimore where he has been putting up presses.

A birthday party at the home of William J. Luckey, of West Second street, last night, was made enjoyable by games and refreshments. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. W. Addis, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hansen, Mr. Krog, S. J. Pickens of Newark, C. Mundy, Misses Weasie and Mamie Koller, Mrs. Traynor, Mr. and Mrs. H. Norris of Newark, and Mr. and Mrs. G. Bilyeu.

The funeral of Mrs. Effah M., late relict of Nathaniel Compton, will be held from her late residence, 319 West Second street, Monday afternoon at 2. She leaves two unmarried daughters, who lived with and cared faithfully for her. She had been ill five months, but a patient Christian through all her sufferings. Rev. Dr. Yerkes, of whose flock she was a member, will preach the funeral sermon.

Shot Her Mother-in-Law.

A special despatch from Lebanon, Hunterdon County, states that Mrs. Phoebe York, of Hudson street, Newark, was accidentally shot and fatally wounded last night by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. William York, of Lebanon, whom she was visiting. The younger woman was carelessly examining an old pistol found in a bureau drawer, and it went off.

Two Best Seats for 30 Cents.

Seats for the Monday night production of Waite's Comedy Company, Premium Band and Orchestra are now on sale at Leggett's. Any seat downstairs may be reserved for 30 cents, and the gallery seats are 10 and 20. For Monday night complimentary tickets have been distributed for women, which may be exchanged for reserved seats at Leggett's in connection with the purchase of 30-cent reserved seats.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY—"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75c. Sold by H. P. Reynolds, druggist, Plainfield. 12 6 9m

Elizabeth Wants a Public Building.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Mr. Dunn (dem., N. J.) has introduced in the house a bill appropriating $250,000 for the purchase of a site and the erection of a public building at Elizabeth, N. J.

How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

West & Truax, wholesale druggists, Toledo, O.

Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, wholesale druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. a bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

Much Fun from Valentines.

The High School Lyceum held a St. Valentine's Day meeting yesterday afternoon, and it was one of the most successful meetings of the year. A large number of young ladies attended who seemed thoroughly to enjoy the meeting. The valentines were read by H. C. Wells, '94, F. W. Goddard, '94, A. Woltman, '94, and J. C. Whiting, '93.

Some of the valentines had been excellently illustrated by R. Campbell, '93, and as the valentines were read the sketches were hung up in front of the desk.

A committee consisting of Miss Needham, Miss Williams, Miss Thompson, Miss Schoonmaker and Miss Burt, gave a prize of a silver heart-shaped key ring to the one honorary member, W. Ellery Leonard of Bolton, Mass., for the best valentine.

The committee conducting the affair was composed of Riley, '94, Wells, '94, and Morse, '95.

Grist of the City Court.

Fred Mitchell, colored, and John Horan, Irish, were tried in the City Court today for fighting. The quarrel was Sunday, Feb. 4, and the men pleaded not guilty. It was proved this morning that bad words and blows had been exchanged and fines of $5 each were imposed.

A Scotch Plains wheelman who had been ordered to court by Policeman McCue, and who did n't come till he was brought down, was fined $2.

John Lynch was found guilty of violating the hack ordinance for the third time. Sentence was suspended.

A Jubilee Over the New Piano.

The monthly sociable of the Epworth League was held in Grace M. E. Church last night. Refreshments were served and an interesting programme was rendered. The sociable was arranged by Miss Grace Carroll. Miss Agnes Tingley provided the following programme:

Piano Solo	Miss May McDonald
Autoharp Solo	Miss Alice Carroll
Readings	T. W. Powell
Song	Miss Grace Carroll
Violin Solos	Dykman Winckler
Autoharp Solo	Miss Grace Carroll

Burned Spots on the Floor.

The borough police prevented the sending in of an alarm of fire by boys at 8:30 last night, as the engine company was not needed to put out a small fire in the new house of John Emmons on the corner of Duer street and Greenbrook road.

Masons were removing from one room to another a stove which was used in drying the walls, and it fell apart, scattering the contents on the floor. The hot coals were shoveled out of a window, and no damage was caused except the scorching of the floor.

There is nothing superior to Salvation Oil for the relief and cure of wounds of all kinds. Its effects is marvelous. 25c.

News from the Indian Missions.

Mrs. Reeside, a missionary returned from among the Kiowa Indians in the Far-West, gave a very interesting talk, descriptive of her work, in the Park Avenue Baptist Church last evening, under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society.

Mrs. Reeside has been laboring in the field for several years with excellent results.

Eyes.

Have your eyes examined and your glasses made by A. Jay Cross, (R. O.), 18 West 23 1 st., N. Y. 2 3 y-e

HIS EXCELLENT REPUTATION.

Saved an Absconding Bank Cashier from State Prison.

(Special to The Press.)

ELIZABETH, Feb. 17.—George H. Simpson, the young Rahway bank clerk who took $1,000 of the bank's money and went to see the Corbett-Mitchell fight in Florida, but returned and gave up all of the money, was taken before the Union County Court this morning.

All the preachers of Rahway, the City Council and a number of lawyers petitioned for leniency. Senator Voorhees appeared for the prisoner.

The Court said he felt relieved not to have to send the prisoner to State Prison on account of excellent character. He was sentenced to the County Jail for four months.

RUMORS REGARDING M'KANE.

Mystery About a Report of Attempted Jail Delivery.

(Special to The Press.)

BROOKLYN, Feb. 17—Residents of Brooklyn were startled this morning by a rumor to the effect that John Y McKane had attempted to escape from Raymond Street Jail, and that he had assaulted one of his keepers. The facts which gave rise to the report could not be learned as admittance to the jail was refused.

Long Savannah, James Co., Tenn.,
Dr. R. V. PIERCE, Buffalo, N. Y.:
Dear Sir—I think your "Favorite Prescription" was a special preservation of my life. I was under the doctor's care for three years with what he called consumption, and a general wasting of the tissues. I got so weak that I could not be raised in bed when I commenced taking the "Prescription," and by the time I had taken three bottles I was up and going about, and I have kept so ever since. That was four years ago. I have recommended it to a good many of my friends, and they have taken it and are highly pleased.

MRS. SPRIGGS.

Yours truly, G. A. SPRIGGS.

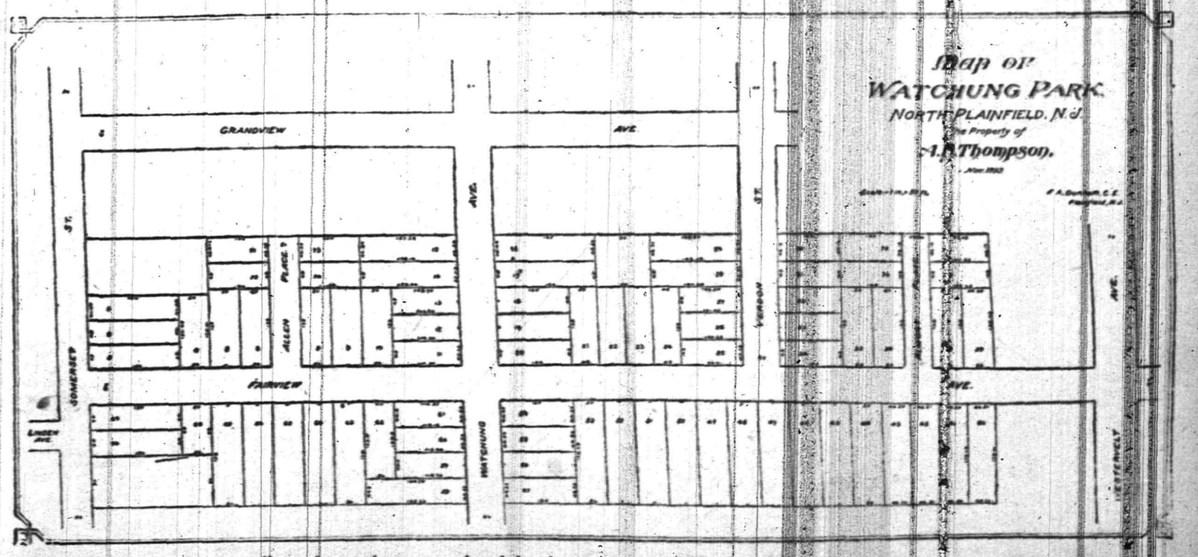
PIERCE Guarantees a CURE OR MONEY RETURNED.

Watchung Park Property.

Handsomely Situated Building Lots

Now Offered for Sale.

THIS PROPERTY is in the heart of the recently opened residence section of the city, being within a few minutes walk of the Central railroad station.
THE NEW WATCHUNG PARK, with its new streets and avenues, will be among the handsomest residence section in this pretty suburban place.
ONLY HIGH GRADE RESIDENCES will be erected. The neighborhood will be restricted, making it as desirable as any in Plainfield.
ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS will be in force by early spring. The work of macadamizing the streets is now being pushed rapidly.
ELECTRIC CARS pass the property. Electric lights, gas and city water will be introduced as soon as the spring as they are needed.
SCORES OF BEAUTIFUL HOMES now fronting on Sandford and Westervelt avenues have been located on the Crescent's ball field.
JUST AS PROPERTY VALUES jumped in Sandford and Westervelt avenues, so they will also increase rapidly in Watchung Park. Those who buy now will reap the benefit of an early investment.
THE LOTS are about 50x150 feet in size, and the printed map of the property will give the public necessary information as to their location.



For further information regarding prices and terms, copies of the above map, etc., address or call upon

A. D. THOMPSON,
147 North avenue, opposite railroad station, Plainfield, N. J.

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A FIGHT FOR MILLIONS.

By JOHN J. McGINNISS.

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CHAPTER XIII.

RAYMOND AT THE MORGUE.

There is a morgue not far from the convent. In fact, there are several of them, but this particular morgue had a peculiar keeper, a man on the shady side of 50. His greed for place, power and profit was an ineradicable feature of his character, and there was no risk he would not take to advance himself.

This was the man who two days after Raymond's rebuff by Mother St. Gertrude welcomed the political chieftain into the private office of the morgue with:

"Arrah, Mr. Raymond, how are you, man? Sure, I'm glad to see you. And what has brought you up this way, at all, at all?"

"I thought I'd drop in to see you. How are you getting along?"

"Fine. The divil a' many are bothering me these times. People are getting to think more of life every day in the year."

"Then you haven't any bodies here now?"

"Only one."

"Has this body you now have been identified?" Raymond asked.

"The divil a bit of it. It will go to potter's field. Two women came here today to see it—a mother and a daughter. The young woman looked at it and said it was her brother. She was about to faint. The mother went closer and said: 'It is not our Will. The teeth are all here.' You see, the man they were lookin for had a broken tooth. The head had a good deal of knockin against the piles in the water, but if the blaggard had kept his lips closed and not showed his teeth these women would have given him a dacent burial.

"His clothes were all tattered," the morgue keeper went on, "and the face battered. The wagon will be here tomorrow for him, and if's mesel' won't be sorry to get rid of his company."

"Did you know Laurence Mangan?" questioned Raymond.

"Did I?" repeated the keeper. "Indade I did. Was he a frind of yours?"

"You ought to know better."

"I'm glad he wasn't. He was a cheeky fellow. Now, if ever he came out here on a special case, he'd insist on me draggin up the body. The other reporters take my word and copy the description out of the book. You see, if a body is picked up, it gets little notice, but if it's a case of murder or suicide they rush here. If a man is found alongshore and no letters in his pockets to say who he is or where he kem from, he is brought here, and a few lines in the paper end him. That's all this fellow got. But you were talkin of Mangan?"

"Yes. You couldn't say this was Mangan, could you?"

"Is there any reason I might?"

"Will you say it?"

"Seein as you ask me, I will. But what use? He'll turn up."

"Never mind that."

"All right. I'll tell the boys at police headquarters that I think it's Mangan. If I didn't know it mesel', I'd take it to be Mangan."

"Some day later on," said Raymond, "I'll call upon you. It will be a rich joke on Mangan, the better because he is out of town."

"Bad cess to him, it's mesel' that has long been wishin for this slap at him. Why, do you know it, sir, now that I took to thinkin it is Mangan, I'd like to kick the body. It's had weltin enough, but my toes wouldn't itch so much if I had one good crack at it."

"I'll go out now," said Raymond, with a forced attempt to smile. "I feel a little ill, and the outside air is better for me."

"I'm sure I'm much obliged to you for callin, Mr. Raymond," said the morgue keeper when they reached the sidewalk.

"It is I who am obliged to you. Good day," was Raymond's parting salutation.

"I'm thankful to you, Mr. Raymond."

The keeper went back to the office and rang up the reporters at police headquarters.

"Hello! Hello! Is that the reporters? You haven't been up here to see that body. It didn't amount to anything, you say? Do you know if Mangan's about? No? Well, do you know this body looks like his? Yes, that's what I said. I hope it ain't, but would some of you come up? Oh, you can see it any time. You will? All right. Goodby."

Such were the telephonic sentences he delivered to the reporters, and they suggested what the queries of Mangan's comrades in the journalistic profession were. Usually one man goes out on an assignment like this, but nearly all the reporters went up to the morgue to see the body, trusting that they would not find it to be Mangan's.

Meanwhile Raymond had communicated with the office of his newspaper organ and ordered a man to be sent to him. There was one there, by Raymond himself appointed, whose stories were passed unedited. They were understood to come from the chief. This man staid in the office, killing time as best pleased him, generally at easy desk work, ready to respond to the summons of his superior. In a few minutes he was in the private office of the registrar of arrears, which Raymond had lately been making his headquarters.

Raymond's factotum was not a newspaper man by training. He was an intelligent fellow who could write fairly well and drew two salaries—one from the paper and one from the city government—for doing nothing, with a facility unequaled. He had sense enough to realize that it was none of his business to be inquisitive. It did not come within the province of his duty to question motives, to ask the why or wherefore of this or any other matter he wrote from dictation. That his instructions were sufficiently clear to enable him to execute his task satisfactorily was all he sought. He realized that no more would be given if he did ask, and that he might incur displeasure if he pressed for more information than was volunteered.

"I've got a little piece of work for you today," said Raymond. "You must be cautious about it. There is a body in the morgue. I understand the reporters are going up to view it. I think it is Mangan's—you know Mangan, don't you?—and I want you to be around and help to identify it. understand? Put in a word here and there to convince them it is. I'll explain when you come back. You have no time to wait."

About two hours later the man returned. Raymond read in his features the success of the ruse. He drew a chair nearer to his own, motioned his emissary to sit down and asked:

"What news?"

"Why, it is Mangan," was the statement evoked. "The morgue keeper identified him, as did all the boys. The face was badly battered. The Bugle reporter also recognized the body and said that Mangan had been missing for several days, and that there was a letter from Denver in the office for him."

"From Denver?"

"Yes."

"Well, go on."

"That's all, except that the boys are going to hold a meeting and arrange for the funeral. They say there must have been foul play; that Mangan never committed suicide."

"Do you know where the Convent of Mercy is?"

"Yes."

"Go there, represent yourself from The Trumpet, ask for Mother St. Gertrude, tell her the facts, say that the motive ascribed for the suicide your paper alone has in a special dispatch from Worcester. Remember, one of The Trumpet's men had learned that he came from that town, telegraphed on and ascertained that he was a defaulter. Say that the story will be published tomorrow, and that it is too bad he should die with the stain upon him, and that you believe it to be undeserved."

"What then?"

"Lead the conversation around to me. Mother St. Gertrude will get excited and ask how the publication can be prevented. Hint that I own most of the stock in the paper; that if she knew any one who had influence with me I could be got to suppress the story. She will want to meet me. Volunteer to bring the message."

"I will do as you say."

"Mind," was Raymond's warning, "this is not for the office. There is no story in it. This is between you and me."

No sooner had the man departed than Raymond communicated by telephone with one of the coroners and summoned him. The coroner came. He felt honored at the attention of his leader.

"Anything up?" he asked as he entered and reached forward his hand to Raymond.

"There is. I want you to go over to The Bugle office, and under the magisterial authority with which you are clothed demand a letter that is there for Mangan."

"I was surprised. The morgue keeper just telephoned that the body up there had been identified as Mangan's."

"Yes. You know I had no love for him. Bring the letter here. I want to read it and arrange for a jury that will bring in a verdict of suicide. I'm not much on religion, you know. I suppose I'm a freethinker, but I understand that the people interested in Mangan would consider it an eternal disgrace if he were buried in unconsecrated ground. A suicide cannot rest there, can he?"

"I believe that is the church's law. You're getting square, Mr. Raymond, aren't you?"

"Never mind that now. When over there, ask about Mangan, with a view of eliciting facts to guide you in selecting witnesses for the inquest."

"Leave it to me now, leave it to me," said the coroner as he hurried across the street to The Bugle office.

When he returned, he had the letter. He ambled into the office hesitatingly, evidently puzzled.

"I don't know what to make of this," he said. "The letter is from Mortimer. He invites Mangan to Denver."

He read aloud the letter from Mortimer. Raymond whistled and said:

"That'll do, coroner. I have got an appointment about this time. If there is any change in the programme, I will notify you."

"I have made a bad break," said Raymond to himself when the coroner had gone. "I ought to have humored Mortimer by writing. But his physi-

Whose voice was that?

cian says he can live but a few months, and Mangan shall never get that letter. But what can Mortimer tell of Leland? He never mastered the case. Pshaw, why should I worry? And yet it is best to force this marriage now. If Mangan is alive and hears of it, he will never return to this city. The news will make him a wanderer over the face of creation."

"Will he not come back to persecute and prosecute you?"

Whose voice was that? It staggered him. His eyes surveyed the room.

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(A smooth shorn porker in bopedal guise),
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The meeker you, more arrogant he grows.
In streams profuse his erudition flows;
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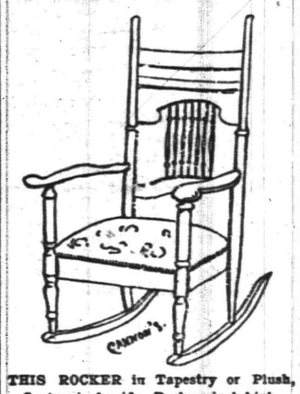

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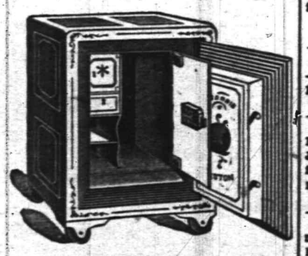

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For four years I have suffered from a complication of diseases which physicians said were dyspepsia, liver and kidney complaint, nervous prostration and womb disease. No words of mine can describe the terrible pains and distress I have experienced—the dizziness, trembling fears of evil, chills, fever, melancholy, restlessness and numerous other dreadful sensations which I am unable to describe. Have been treated by fifteen physicians, some of whom were sure they could cure me within two or three months, and all of whom have had from two months to three, four or more, as they said was needed. One I tried for a whole year until last May I found myself disappointed, discouraged and about ready to give up altogether, as, after treating me for a year my physician told me I would be obliged to undergo a surgical operation before I could commence to get better. Just at this time I was advised by friends to consult Dr. Starkweather of No. 105 Halsey street, Newark, as they knew of some very remarkable cures which he had performed.

I followed their advice and visited the doctor on May 5. How glad I am that I took this step no one can realize who has not been similiarly situated. The doctor gave me a complete history of my case, describing with surprising accuracy the conditions and symptoms which I had endured for years, but what gave me the greatest surprise and pleasure was when he assured me that there was no need of any surgical operation. Proper means, he said, would overcome my troubles without any surgery. I commenced at once to follow Dr. Starkweather's directions and treatment. Having gradually and steadily improved since that time, as he stated I would, until now I am the wonder of all my friends, while rejoicing in renewed health, strength and spirits. Am constrained by a sense of duty and gratitude to accord the praise due Dr. S. for his gentle, soothing and skillful treatment of my case, and advise all sufferers from whatever cause to consult this eminent physician. MRS. WM. R. MANSER.

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Rescuers at Plymouth Risking Their Own Lives.

Considerable Headway Made in the Past Twelve Hours—Believed That the Entombed Men's Bodies are Under Debris On Top of Which One of the Rescuers Gained By Crawling.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Feb. 19.—Superintendent Edwards, who has charge of the night shift of rescuers, has completed a heroic act, at the same time taking his life in his own hands. He crawled through an open place situated near the roof on the plane in the Gaylord mine on his hands and knees with only a safety lamp hanging by his side to give what little light there could be had. He managed to get over 300 feet further in the mine than any other person that has so far dared to venture. On returning he said that he was of the opinion he had been near the spot where the entombed men were supposed to be, but others think that he no doubt passed over the bodies as he was on top of the debris and the men under.

It is reported that the rescuers have reached a place in the shaft 350 feet from the foot o the plane and they find the cross-headings almost clear. Five brave miners went into this portion and made a thorough search for the men. Superintendent Rosser, who has charge of the day shift, is of the opinion that the men should be found very soon if they are in the place where they are supposed to be.

Supt. McFarlan says, from the knowledge of the disaster, the men are beyond doubt dead, and he can see no chance where they had any avenue of escape from under the fall, which was 600 yards in length.

The work of rescue is attended with the greatest danger, is the fall of coal and rock continues, and it will be surprising if some of the rescuers are not buried under tons of falling roof before the work is finished.

NO LACK OF HOSPITALITY.

Atlanta Anxious for the Opportunity of Welcoming the G. A. R.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—"I have received a number of letters," said Representative Livingston, of Georgia, "asking me if there would be any lack of hospitality in Atlanta if the veterans of the grand army of the republic should decide to hold their encampment there. I have answered them all, that if the encampment is held at Atlanta the grand army men will get the heartiest and most hospitable reception they have had since the organization was formed. The idea that the old soldiers who wore the grey and the boys who have grown up since the war have any prejudice against the veterans of the grand army is a great mistake. Why should these grand army men hesitate about going to Atlanta, when they remember the royal welcome given to William T. Sherman, the man who laid the city in ashes?"

Chicago's Snow Riots.

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Quite a large force of police are still patrolling the scene of the snow riots on West 18th street, but their presence yesterday afternoon did not prevent a mob gathering on the street and making another attack on the street car company's employes who were protecting the tracks. The crowd threw the snow piles and drifts on the tracks, undoing the work which had been carried on all night. The rioters increased in numbers during the afternoon and received every passing car with jeers and a fusilade of snow balls. They were finally dispersed by the police. Several persons were injured.

He Thawed Out the Dynamite.

EDGERTON, Kas., Feb. 19.—A man engaged in sinking a well through rock on a farm owned by Jacob Smith near here, placed a stick of dynamite in the cook stove oven to thaw out and went away, apparently forgetting where the dangerous explosive had been placed. Mrs. Smith and her daughter-in-law soon afterward went to work in the kitchen, unaware of the danger they were in. The dynamite soon thawed and exploded, blowing the stove into atom, wrecking a portion of the house and seriously wounding both women.

For Passing Bogus Drafts.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 19.—L. T. Stephenson, who represented in this state the Norwalk Lock company, of South Norwalk, Conn., is under arrest charged with passing bogus drafts and checks. He induced John Cashatt to cash a draft for $10 on the Norwalk Lock company, which proved to be worthless. In Stephenson's pockets drafts ranging from $25 to $100 were found which he had prepared to have cashed by leading merchants and hotels.

More Trouble Threatened at Melilla.

MADRID, Feb. 19.—Groups of armed Riffs have camped near Melilla and are trying to raise a rebellion against the sultan, who, they fear, is about to punish them. They declare that they prefer Spanish rule to discipline from Muley Hassan. A dispatch received from Melilla said that the situation was becoming critical.

No Skating at Red Bank Yet

RED BANK, N. J., Feb. 19.—The skating races did not take place to-day. The ice on the river, that was good Saturday, has mostly disappeared, caused by the severe rain storm and the thaw. Many of the skaters are here and the date of the races will be announced by the skating association.

Worsted Mills Start Up

CAMDEN, N. J., Feb. 19.—Howland Croft Sons & Co., owners of extensive worsted mills in this city, have started their works with 200 hands. They expect to be able in a few weeks to give employment to their full complement of 500 hands.

Watching Anarchists.

LONDON, Feb. 19.—The London police, assisted by French detectives, are watching carefully at the railway stations all persons coming from the continent or going abroad.

Offices to Be Moved to Pittsburg.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Feb. 19.—The general offices of the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad, located in this city, are likely to be removed to Pittsburg.

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THE POPE IN ST. PETER'S.

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ROME, Feb. 19.—More than 100,000 persons gathered at St. Peter's between 9:40 and 11 o'clock yesterday to see the pope celebrate the last mass of his jubilee year. During the mass the pope wore the mitre given him by the German emperor, and afterward the tiara presented to him by Emperor Franz Joseph of Austria-Hungary. He looked exceptionally well and his voice was clear and strong.

The mass was attended by pilgrims from all parts of Italy, many tourists, a

POPE LEO XIII.

majority of the diplomatists in Rome and a host of Italian noblemen and Knights of Malta. The pope was borne to the altar on the sedia gestatoria, preceded by cardinals and bishops. At the conclusion of the mass His Holiness intoned the te deum, the vast congregation responding. Deafening were the cheers when the pope entered and left the church.

Big Wooden Bridge Burned.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Feb. 19.—The covered wooden landing bridge across the Raritan river at the north end of this city was destroyed by fire yesterday. The fire was caused by the explosion of the naptha lamps used for lighting the bridge. The structure was 800 feet long. The loss is $30,000; insurance $15,000.

Another Fire at the Fair Grounds.

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Another of the too frequent World's fair fires occurred yesterday afternoon in the east wing of the Illinois state building. It was undoubtedly of incendiary origin, but was promptly put out. Joseph Hallak, a fireman, fell thirty feet from the building, but escaped with slight injuries.

Paul Jones Returns to Boston.

BOSTON, Feb. 19.—Paul Jones, the globe trotter, came here from Providence by special train yesterday, the run of 44 miles being made in 43 minutes. He appeared at a benefit given John J. Braham at the Park theatre last night and took the midnight Shore line for Providence.

Ward Respected at His Home.

HACKENSACK, N. J., Feb. 19.—George B. Ward, arrested in New York for insulting women, lives near the Asbury M. E. church here. He has a wife and is connected with highly respectable people. He is very quiet and has a good reputation. His arrest has caused surprise here.

Northwestern Lumber Output.

TACOMA, Wash., Feb. 19.—Statistics show that the lumber output of the Pacific northwest during the past year has decreased 700,000,000 feet. For a corresponding period there has also been a slight decrease in the shingle output.

Bath Iron Works.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Feb. 19.—A representative of the Bath iron works is expected here next week to look over the field and consult New London capitalists regarding the removal of that establishment to this city.

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MRS. LEASE CLAIMS TOO MUCH

May Know Some Masonic Secrets, But Surely Never Sit in Lodge.

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 19.—Mary E. Lease claims to be a Mason and makes the startling statement that she proposes to organize lodges of Masonry for women throughout the country. Mrs. Lease wears upon her bosom, suspended by a gold chain, a Knights Templar charm, with the usual keystone of the chapter on the reverse side, and she declared that she is as much entitled to wear it as any man who belongs to the Templar order. She says her commandery is Hugh de Payne, of Fort Scott, Kan., and offers to prove to Masons that she knows all the signs and passes of the order, blue lodge and chapter, and that she obtained them legitimately. She says if Masonry is good for men it is much better for women, as they are more needful of protection than men. She says once by giving a sign of the order she was saved from personal violence, and from that moment she resolved to give to women the same advantages of Masonry that she enjoys. She said that she was thoroughly up in the Masonic work and it was not necessary for her to obtain the consent or aid of men in initiating women, and if the men refused to recognize her disciples as Masons, they could and would act independenely of them and conduct lodges and grand lodges of their own. Mrs. Lease admits that it is contrary to the Masonic rule for women to become members, but she declines to state how she gained the secrets of the order. She challenges any Mason to test her on the secret work of the order. The Masons deny her claims and say she is not a Mason, and that if she has obtained the secrets of the order it was by undue means.

Brother and Sister Elope.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19.—It develops that the principals in an elopement which occurred in Stockton last Wednesday are brother and sister. Charles Lacy of Stockton, who had adopted the girl, Ada "George Wedlaygood came to Stockton eighteen years ago with his wife and two children, Oliver and Emma, aged 3 and 1 year respectively. Haygood's wife soon died, and shortly after that he left for Aurora with the son, leaving the daughter in my care. I adopted the little girl, but lost all track of Haygood. The young man returned to Stockton about a year ago and soon after Mr. Lacy discovered their relationship, but refrained from telling it. Last Wednesday, however, they left together for San Francisco, and I have since been told they were madly in love with each other. Despite my endeavors, I have found no clue as to their location."

Too Much for Corrigan.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—The New York Catholic archdiocese is so large that its division has been spoken of for several years. It comprises the city and county of New York and the counties of Westchester, Putnam, Dutchess, Ulster, Sullivan, Orange, Richmond and Rockland and the Bahama islands. In this territory are more Catholics than any other American see can boast of. They are estimated at 800,000. The archdiocese of Chicago has 550,000 Catholics and Philadelphia claims 470,000. In making the visitations of the 212 churches under his jurisdiction and administering confirmation in them Archbishop Corrivan is kept pretty busy for more than half of every year. If the new diocese, it is said, will comprise the upper portion of the present territory, with the residence of the bishop in Poughkeepsie.

Banker Hart Will Be Bailed.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 19.—Banker Samuel H. Hart, of the State bank of Buckley, Washington, who was arrested here two months ago, will probably be admitted to bail. Hart is charged with the embezzlement of about $30,000 from the Buckley bank, of which he was president. Gov. Brown honored Gov. McGraw's requisition and the Baltimore courts upheld his action. Hart appealed to the United States court and offered bail, which the municipal courts refused to accept, claiming that the surety had been indemnified. In the meantime Gov. McGraw forwarded a new requisition which Gov. Brown has also honored. Judges Goff and Jackson, sitting as the United States court of appeals, decided that the indemnified surety is lawful.

Renounced the Ministry.

BOSTON, Feb. 19.—Bishop Lawrence has officially displaced from the Episcopal church Rev. John Alma Bevington, a presbyter of the Massachusetts diocese, the latter having declared in writing in renunciation of said ministry. Such renunciation was voluntary and for causes that do not effect Mr. Bevington's moral character. Rev. Mr. Bevington was formerly rector of the church of the Good Shepherd in Wareham and more recently connected with the Andover house in this city.

William's Sympathy.

KIEL, Feb. 19.—Captain Bonderman of the Brandenburg has received this despatch from Emperor William: "Accept my warmest sympathy and condolence for the loss of our heroes. We must keep a firm trust in God and submit to the working of His inscrutible will. Then we may find consolation and confidence. I shall cause a tablet commemorating the dead to be placed in the Garrison church in Kiel. For those that are left, full steam ahead."

Young Linder is Dead.

BOSTON, Feb. 19.—E. H. Linder, the Harvard student who was injured in the friendly boxing bout last Tuesday, died yesterday afternoon. He did not recover consciousness after the accident. He was 19 years old.

Cold Weather in the West.

ST. PAUL, Feb. 19.—This morning there is not a point in Minnesota, North Dakota, Montana and Manitoba at which the mercury is not below zero.

THE WEEK IN CONGRESS

Programme of the Work in Both Branches.

Hawaiian Matters May Occupy the Attention of the Senate Pending the Report on the Tariff—Sugar Men Threaten Fight—House Will Force the Bland Bill to a Vote.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—There appears no present prospect of a variation from the programme followed by the house of representatives the last few days. Mr. Bland has Speaker Crisp's earnest support in his intention to keep the seigniorage bill before the house until it shall be disposed of in some way. After adjournment Saturday last the speaker was conversing with several persons, including one or two members, regarding the business for the coming week. "We shall go right along," he said, "just as we have been going until a quorum votes upon the question of closing debate and remains until the vote on the passage of the bill is taken."

"When will that be, Mr. speaker?" was asked.

"O, I think we shall have a quorum with us in a day or two. But whether or not," he continued, with something like grim determination in his manner, "we will go right along and the bill will be passed."

This last statement was in response to Gov. Sayers, chairman of the committee on appropriations, who had expressed the opinion that Mr. Bland would not succeed in securing the attendance of a quorum favorable disposed toward his measure.

After the bill to coin the seigniorage in the treasury silver bullion has been disposed of, Representative Brown, chairman of the committee on elections, will ask the house to take up the report in the contest of O'Neill vs. Joy, from the Eleventh district of Missouri. Joy, a republican, is the sitting member and the committee, by a straight party vote, have recommended that O'Neill, a democrat and a former member of congress, be given the seat. The speaker has stated that he favors action upon this subject next in order, but Chairman Sayers, of the appropriation committee, will antagonize the motion with the fortifications appropriation bill, unless Representative O'Neill, of Massachusetts, asks to have the pension appropriation bill taken up.

So, whether it is the election case or the appropriation bills that follow the Bland bill, the time of the house for this week promises to be pretty well occupied.

Senators representing the sugar interests of the southern states and the beet and sorghum interests of the northwest reluctantly admit that they have no hope now of any favorable action in committee, but they still threaten a "Kilkenny cat" fight in the senate. Until the tariff bill can be reported, Hawaiian matters will probably engross senatorial eloquence almost to the exclusion of the other topics.

Although the newspapers have got considerably ahead of the state department in the publication of President Dole's letter to Minister Willis, its transmission to congress, in connection with Mr. Willis' reply, will certainly spring a debate.

Stamped Envelope Contract.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Postmaster General Bissell has determined to see whether or not the government can save considerable money in the stamped envelope contract during the next few years and to that end has had the specifications prepared unusually early with the intention of advertising the contract on or about the first of March and throwing open the competition to every one who can give satisfactory assurances of ability to execute its terms. Heretofore the specifications have required bidders to be actual envelope makers, or makers of certain paper, which has had the effect of limiting the competition to comparatively few concerns.

Mortich Again Denounced.

ROCKFORD, Ill., Feb. 19.—The Winnebago County Farmers' institute at its closing session unanimously passed resolutions denouncing Secretary of Agriculture J. Sterling Morton for his antagonism to the industrial farmers and their best interests, declaring him to be a traitor to the trust placed in him and demanding that he should be removed from office and a better man appointed in his place.

Tables Turned on Marino.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Ramon C. Marino, the Newark banker, who recently charged Balladino Bias with robbing him, is a prisoner in the Tombs, accused of passing checks with forged certifications. It is claimed that on Saturday Marino passed a check for $600 on a firm at 106 West street, bearing the forged endorsement of Zimmerman & Forstayo, bankers, at Wall and New streets.

For a Borough Form of Government.

PASSAIC, N. J., Feb. 19.—The inhabitants of Boiling Springs township, Bergen county, have decided to hold a special election on Tuesday, March 6, to vote on the question of adopting the borough form of government. The necessary petition will be filed with the court of common pleas at Hackensack this week.

Indians Threaten Trouble.

EL RENO, O. T., Feb. 19.—The Kiowas and Comanche Indians have assumed a war-like attitude and threaten to drive the cattlemen and stock from their reservation because they have received no grass lease payment since October. Wire fences are being cut and cattle butchered by the malcontent Indians.

Steamship Diament Foundered.

LONDON, Feb. 19.—The Norwegian steamship Diament, 1,034 tons, is reported to have foundered near Cape Finisterre, coast of Spain, during a voyage from Cardiff to Constantinople with a cargo of coal. The crew was saved.

Died of His Injuries.

MT. VERNON, N. Y., Feb. 19.—Frank Bloom, who jumped from a third story window of the Fifth Avenue hotel in this city, on Saturday night while delirious, is dead from his injuries.

More Counterfeiters Arrested.

ALTOONA, Pa., Feb. 19.—The secret service officers are still at work in this city and three more arrests of counterfeiters have been made.

THE DAILY PRESS.

A. L. FORCE, - - Publisher and Proprietor.
WALTER IRVING CLARKE, - Managing Editor.

CIRCULATION EXCEEDS THAT OF ALL OTHER PLAINFIELD DAILIES COMBINED.

THE WEATHER:

For New Jersey: Rain or Snow To-night or Tuesday Morning; Colder on Tuesday; Decidedly Colder by Tuesday Night; Variable Winds.

Hon. John T. Dunn is taking steps to prosecute the authors of the infamous libel published in The Daily Courier stating that he had exacted a certified check from a certain Plainfielder to secure for that person the appointment of postmaster. The Congressman is determined to secure for his villifiers the punishment *so richly deserved.*

A petition is being circulated and signed by business men of Front street and Park avenue intended to abate what they term the newsboy nuisance. The merchants say that the boys are too noisy and commit offenses against the peace. Therefore the Common Council is to be asked to take measures to suppress them.

If by suppressing them the petitioners intend to put an end to the selling of papers on the streets of Plainfield, then they contemplate an injury to an honest means of obtaining a livelihood. To stop the street sale of papers means no lessening of newspaper sales, as the customers of the boys would simply transfer their patronage direct to the stands or offices. But to the families of most newsboys the income from their sales is a material help. One newcomer to the ranks proudly exhibited Saturday night the first pair of rubbers he had ever worn, purchased from his newspaper earnings.

The Press believes that the merchants have gone into this matter thoughtlessly. If any boy—newsboy or otherwise — commits a breach of the peace, by indulging in disorderly conduct or malicious mischief, the aggrieved person has his remedy in handing the offender over to the police. The city ordinances cover every form of disorder.

But the effort to prohibit the newsboys from making an honest dollar in a way which is considered legitimate in every other city in this broad land, will not be countenanced by those who desire to keep Plainfield from being a laughing-stock for the world at large.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Most of the local prophets are now centred on John J. Kenney for postmaster.

—W. H. Rogers's latest exhibit in the way of wheels of '94 make is a Rambler bicycle.

—36 members of the Waite Comedy Company are stopping in Hotel Grenada for one week.

—Rev. Arthur Crane will talk to business men Wednesday evening, and to the young people Thursday evening.

—Four empty ice trains were returned to Lake Hopatcong yesterday, one of thirty cars going from Plainfield.

—Twenty members of the Turn Verein paid a friendly visit to South Brooklyn Turners in Prospect Hall yesterday.

—Invitations are out for a 'possum dinner to be held next Sunday in the Tippecanoe Headquarters on East Front street.

—The attractive floral display in Miss Lincoln's greenhouse, Park avenue, opposite North, is like a gleam of sunshine on a rainy day.

—It is doubtful whether the West Ends of Somerville will bowl on the Dunellen alleys Friday evening, as they have not as yet replied to the challenge.

—The Young Ladies Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church will hold a special sewing meeting tomorrow from 9:30 a. m. to 3:15 p. m., in the Bible Class room.

—A large congregation listened to an excellent sermon by Rev. Dr. Huribut in Grace M. E. Church last night. He spoke of the "Church of today, working and intelligent".

—Eugene Moore, of Summit avenue, has purchased from Nicholas VanWinkler 88 acres of farm land, situated between Mt. Bethel and Warrenville, which he intends to cultivate.

—Allie Davis was badly bruised by collision of his bob with a rock at the foot of the Broadway hill Saturday. A number of other bobs were piled up against his, but no one else was hurt.

—Waite's Comedy Company and Premium Band gave a street parade today, making an excellent showing. They will give a great show in Music Hall tonight, at 10, 20 and 30 cents for reserved seats.

—Prof. John Fiske concluded his Monday Afternoon Club lectures in the Crescent Avenue Church chapel Saturday. His subject was "Jacob Leisler and His Times". The audience was large, and the lecture excellent.

—In the First Presbyterian Church yesterday morning the pastor, Rev. Charles E. Herring, preached on "The Doctrine of the Trinity" from the text Matt. xxviii:19. The collection was for the Board of Foreign Missions.

—Six mighty bowlers, each possessed of a different degree of skill, rolled against each other on the Dunellen alleys Saturday night. The score C. Giles, 159, Geo. Taylor, 186, C. Williams, 118, "Z. P. O.," 94, N. Giles, 121, C. Taylor, 210.

—Evangelist Crane did a big day's work yesterday. He held services morning, afternoon and evening, in the First Baptist Church and the Y. M. C. A. rooms. A number of penitents professed conversion as the result of his work. The First Baptist services will be continued all this week, commencing tomorrow evening and lasting until Friday. Bible readings are given every afternoon at 3:30.

KNIGHTS GO TO CHURCH

EIGHTY-THREE PYTHIANS TOLD OF THE DIVINE FRIEND.

An Ideal Brotherhood of the Present Can Only Be Based on the Sacred Principles of the Saviour.

Eighty-three members of Unity and Perseverance Lodges, Knights of Pythias, met in the rooms of Perseverance Lodge on West Second street last night and marched to the Congregational Church. The sermon of the pastor, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, was addressed especially to the Pythians.

Mr. Goodrich welcomed the lodgemen to the church, especially as the central ideas of their order were so like those of the Christ whose work he did. He told the story of the friendship of Damon and Pythias, an illustration of the greatest degree of a man's love for another, but thought that he who founded the order thirty years ago took the fundamental principles—friendship, charity and benevolence—from the Bible. An ideal friendship was that of David and Jonathan, 700 years before the time of the Greek story.

The preacher spoke of the need of friendly feeling in this world of universal selfishness. Man was not made to live unto himself alone, and his nature craved friendship and sympathy.

In the sacred name of friendship men were often led to enter into evil practices. A prevalent idea was that men to be sociable must join in developing their evil natures. If the Pythian lodges only furnished social enjoyment without wicked influences their work was praiseworthy.

All men were liable to meet misfortune and reverses; all might need at some time the aid of friends such as were found in the ranks of the Pythians. The time was not yet passed for the performance of noble deeds. The Knight who visited the sick and aided the distressed did far greater good than those who wandered about, years ago, searching for enemies to conquer.

The speaker said he could not contemplate the objects of the Lodge without thinking of Christ's life, spent in aiding and sympathizing with the unfortunate. There were times when no human help could aid a man, no human sympathy comfort him. Then he had to have another friend, Christ.

The ideas of the order could not be carried out unless the members were Christians. Some Knights were not as congenial as others, and perfect harmony could only be secured through the possession of God's Spirit which fills the converted man with a love for all his fellowbeings.

WEST END NOTES.

There is talk of launching several boats on South Second street.

Jacob Roseberry, of Easton, is visiting his brother on Spooner avenue.

The Potter Press Works started up this morning at 7, and are still adding new men.

Twenty cars filled with ice arrived Saturday night and are being unloaded today.

If Mrs. John Brown of South Second street will call at Druggist Freeman's, she can get her satchel and pocket-book, *which were found by the doctor this* morning on South Second street.

WEST ENDER.

BY THE WAY.

—The Y's will hold a devotional meeting tomorrow at 4 p. m.

—Justice Nash this afternoon adjourned the case of Howell against Sebring for two weeks.

—Lyman & Petrie have succeeded to the real-estate business at 197 North avenue, and will put in improvements making it equal to any office in town.

—Investigations are being made as to the cause of a quarrel on West Sixth street, Friday, when a son of Capt. Armstrong was hit on the head with a snow shovel.

—A domino valentine supper will be given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Maynard, 143 North avenue, tomorrow evening, for the benefit of the Emmanuel Baptist Church.

—The appeal of Noah W. Pike from the verdict obtained against him by Mary Van Riper, is to be heard in the Supreme Court tomorrow. It will be George DeMeza's first appearance in that court. He is Miss VanRiper's counsel.

—Notwithstanding the bad weather, VanEmburgh & Son's store has been crowded all day by customers securing the greatest bargains ever offered in Plainfield. Their column ad in The Press tells the story.

—A special meeting of the Salvation Army will be held tonight in their hall on West Second street, preceded by a parade at 7:30. The meeting will be conducted by Major Evans, Bandmaster Trumpet Trumble, and a number of other officers from New York. Swearing in recruits will be a feature.

Leiderkranz Growing.

Three new members, William Belter, Rudolph Spiegel and Charles Smith, were elected at the meeting of the Liederkranz in Red Men's Hall yesterday afternoon. Singing and speaking occupied the attention of the society till 7. The piano and the violin were played by the two sons of Charles Smith.

For hoarseness, sore throat and cough, take Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, the specific for affections of the throat and chest.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

PARTICULAR MENTION

The condition of Letter-Carrier Robert Loughlin remains unchanged.

Charles Burnham, of Newburyport, Mass., spent Sunday with T. O. Doane.

Mr. and Mrs. Eden L. Boice are entertaining their friends Mr. and Mrs. Brown.

A pleasant surprise party was given to Walter Smalley, of Randolph road Saturday night.

Oscar S. Teale is editor of The Developer, a new and praiseworthy journal on photography.

Ex-Assemblyman Peter L. Hughes and Mrs. Hughes, of Elizabeth, spent Sunday with John J. Kenney.

Choirmaster Cheeswright will give his third free organ recital in Holy Cross Church tomorrow night at 8.

The Westfield Standard speaks in high praise of Miss Florence Randolph's playing at a Cranford Casino musicale.

Mrs. John Mewman and Miss Jennie Leimpeter, of New Brunswick, are visiting Mrs. Charles Freeman in Evona.

Charles P. Leggett is still very ill with pneumonia, and his father-in-law Garret Van Winkle is deliriously ill with the same disease.

Grace M. E. Church has fitted up room 8 for Rev. H. C. Randolph and bride and will give them a home-coming reception Friday night.

Dr. Charles E Greig of Paris will lecture on the McAll Mission work, in the Crescent Avenue Church chapel Wednesday afternoon at 3.

A birthday party will be given by Miss Catharine Frey and Miss Catharine Sutterlein Wednesday evening, March 7, at 213 Plainfield avenue.

Councilman E. H. Bird and wife, Letter-carrier Edward VanWinkle and wife, and Miss Sue VanWinkle spent Sunday with friends in New York.

Mrs. Gibbons and daughter Miss Delia Gibbons, of Brooklyn, returned home today from a pleasant visit to Mr. and Mrs. William Sullivan of West Third street.

A reception will be given Friday night at 8, in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church, by the Young People's Association, to Rev. Dr. W. R. Richards.

Rabbi Horwitz, of East Second street, married Bernhart Schach of this city and Miss Dora Solitor of New York at 64 Somerset street yesterday afternoon. Jewish festivities followed.

Miss Alice O. Smith will give a musicale in Madison early in April. Miss Kittie Quinn will be among the piano talent. The Madison Eagle says that though she is only 16 she is a remarkable performer.

H. C. VanEmburgh is making a ten-days tour of Hornelsville, Dunkirk, Jamestown, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Salamanca and Addison, all of York State, in the interests of his employer, F. A. Dunham.

Albert A. Koefoed and family of Putnam avenue leave Plainfield Wednesday for the South, where they will spend the remainder of the winter. Mr. Koefoed has been ailing for some time and is leaving the northern winter behind him in hopes that he may find relief in a warmer climate.

Mr. and Mrs. George Skillman returned home Saturday after visiting Mrs. Charles Bryant, of Chatham street. Before leaving they were met by Mr. and Mrs. William B. Moore, Mr. and Mrs Carson, Frank and John Jones and Charles Bryant, Jr., and a pleasant evening passed.

St. Mary's Church was the scene of a pretty christening yesterday afternoon. The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Sullivan of West Third street was christened Annie. The officiating clergyman was Rev. Father Murphy. The godmother was Miss Delia Gibbons of Brooklyn, and the godfather David White of Plainfield. Following the ceremony was a supper at the house.

A sleighing party given by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Uhrhahn went to Springfield Saturday night. The start was made from their home, 261 Somerset street. Those who made up the party were: Mrs. Giddis, Miss V. Ricketts, Miss Lizzie Parson, Henry Myers, William Rickette, O. Holmes, John Carle, Mr. and Mrs. Uhrhahn, H. Voehl, George Giddis, Percy Giddis, Miss Ida Uhrhahn, H. Uhrhahn, Miss Gracie Giddis and Miss Nettie Weise.

A gay party sleighed to Cranford Saturday night. The chaperons were Miss Judith Blackwell and Henry Patton. The merry young folks were Miss Eleanor VanDeventer, Miss Grace Overton, Miss Edith Burt, Miss Leonore Carl, Miss Lucie Davis, Miss Louise Eagan, Miss Florence Beal, Raymond McGee, George Horne, Nathan Lane, Wilbur Cornwell, Walter Rittenhouse, Charles Morse, Vincent Rittenhouse, Ernest Suffren, Philip Suffren, Sidney Titsworth, Louis Hammond and Oscar Nightingale.

—Manager Charles Runyon and Inspector Herbert Chamb rlain, of the local telephone office, worked hard all yesterday restoring the cable across the Raritan which went down with the Landing Bridge which burned Sunday morning.

—Forty carloads of ice were received a the freight-house today for the Plainfield Ice and Coal Storage Company.

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—if you can only be sure that a small pill will do you as much good, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are smaller than any others, sugar-coated, easier to take and easier in the way they act —and yet they really do you more good. Their refined and concentrated vegetable extracts act upon the liver in a natural way that *lasts*. They have a peculiar strengthening effect on the intestines. They not only relieve, but permanently cure.

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"NO SALOONS!"

From the West End to the Council Comes a Determined Appeal.

The largest audience gathered in Hope Chapel last evening that has been in the chapel for months on Sunday night.

The reason that so many braved the bad walking was to raise their voice against the granting of licenses west of Plainfield avenue.

For six years the Council has refused to grant licenses in the West End, and this fact has had much to do with making this section such an orderly and respectable place of residence.

The speakers of the evening were moderate in their expressions, calling no harsh names, and avoiding the intemperance of speech which sometimes marks temperance addresses.

They dealt with facts and figures, and were listened to attentively.

Without excitement, but calmly and deliberately, the audience signed a petition which will be presented to the Common Council tonight.

The respectable people of the West End are determined to keep saloons away, if their influence could do it.

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HORSE wanted; the owner of a nine-year-old sorrel, kind and safe, would like to exchange for a young, lively horse that can be trained to saddle. Address X. Y. Z., care Press. 2 16 4

HOUSES to rent centrally located: 1 house 11 rooms, good condition, $20; 1 house 8 rooms, rent $12; 2 houses 7 rooms, rent $9; 1 house 8 rooms, rent $11. Apply 140 Park ave. 2 10 6-eod

FOR SALE—Ladies' safety "Juno"; almost new; or will exchange for gentle horse suitable for young lady to ride or drive. Address Box 574, Westfield, N. J. 2 17 2

FOR RENT—Central Hall, permanently, for a lodge or other association; or occasionally for festivals, anniversaries, exhibitions, concerts, etc. VanBuren & Timpson. 2 19 3-m w s

TO LET—Desirable second floor flat corner Watchung avenue and east 4th street; modern improvements; $15 per month. Inquire 215 East Fifth st. 2 19 2

A RESPONSIBLE party desires to rent for one year a medium sized modern house in North Plainfield, west of Grove street, with option of purchase and applying rent on purchase money; terms must be easy and rent low. Address E. S. S., care Press. 2 19 6

WANTED—Rooms in private family for gentleman. E. K., care Press. 2 19 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 301 Madison avenue.

FOR SALE—A large house in Washington Park, containing 12 rooms, all improvements, city water, steam heat, barn on place; half or more of value may remain on mortgage for term of years; would exchange for small house nearer station; well located, with all improvements. Address House, care Press. 2 19 tf-eod

TO LET—Partly furnished house on Craig place; all modern improvements; Inquire 218 West Front street. 2 19 3

FOR SALE—Cheap, heavy work horse. 165 West Front Street. 2 17 3

FOR SALE or exchange, bay pony, good driver; also fine saddle horse. 112 Lafayette place. 2 17 3

BEAUTIFUL Bermuda lilies with 5 to 7 flowers, palms, azaleas and rubber trees at Denton's, Hillside ave. 2 17 2

MONEY wanted to invest on gilt-edge Plainfield mortgages. Chas. A. Reed att'y, National Bank Building. 10 29 tf

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TO LET—Portion of furnished house to party who will board 3. Address V., care Press. 2 12 tf

TO LET—April 1, seven-room house; furnished; centrally located; improvements. Furnished, care Press. 2 12 tf

WANTED—A Remington typewriter and cabinet for same. G. B. Wean, 112 Plainfield avenue. 2 14 tf

TO LET—3 rooms on first floor, 4 rooms on second floor. Apply 404 West 3d st., cor. Central avenue. 2 14 6

TO LET—Large house and barn; Front street and Clinton avenue, Evona, opposite station. Wm. McD Cortell. 2 13 6

TO LOAN, on 1st mortgage $600 $1,200, $1,700, $3,000. Mulford, broker. 2 7 tf

WANTED—House, 5 or 6 rooms; centrally located; possession April 1. Address Z., care Press. 2 1 tf

TO LET—10 room house; modern improvements; 127 East 5th st. Apply Wm. H. Brower, 431 Watchung avenue 1 31 tf

AN elegant brick and brown stone house for sale or exchange for Plainfield property, on Halsey street, Brooklyn. Edward Love, corner North and Watchung avenues. 12 30 tf

FOR SALE—"The Medical and Surgical History of the Late War"; 4 rare vols. Address Books, care Press. 1 20 tf

Peter Wooden Causes Arrest.

Wm. Blake, arrested on complaint of Peter Wooden for the alleged theft of $25 from Mr. Wooden's house, will be tried in the Borough Court room at 7 tonight. Wm. M. Stillman is Mr. Wooden's counsel, and George DeMeza appears for the lad. Blake had access to the house and showed a $10 bill soon after Uncle Peter missed $25.

Grist of the City Court.

Edward Bergen and Benj. Potts, coal thieves, of Cottage place, were finally caught this morning after evading arrest for some time. In the city court Bergen received ninety days on two charges, and C. Potts thirty days for one offense.

Patrick Motley and his wife were fined $5 each for fighting at their home.

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Gowns that were $1.49, now $1.25.
Gowns that were $1.67, now $1.49.

One lot ladies' fast black cotton hose at 19c, were 25c; one lot ladies' wool hose at 17c., were 23c; one lot ladies' black cashmere hose at 21c., 29c., 40c., were 25c., 35c.,50c; one lot men's Scotch wool gloves at 39c., were 50c; one lot men's Scotch wool gloves at 29c., were 35c.

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Hosiery—We are booming on hosiery stock, we've offered so many good things in hosiery for ladies and children. You know we import all our hosiery and sell it twenty per cent. less than others.

Millinery Department—Pay us 49c. and you take your choice of any hats on our counters, every one goes at that price.

Childrens Stockings—You buy for the children those stockings we sell for 20c. dont you? They are the right sort.

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HE WAS CONTENT TO SUBMIT TO HIS PARENTS.

Young Men of Today Should Follow This Example—Impatience of Control is the Seed of Vice.—Mechanic or Merchant Superior to Social Fop.

The following is a synopsis of the Rev. J. W. Richardson's excellent sermon last night, in the Park Avenue Baptist Church:

The text was Luke II: 51, "He went down with them, and came to Nazareth, and was subject unto them". The speaker drew his lessons from "Christ, the model youth". He said in substance: "Think of the Saviour's greatness as the Creator of the world—of the glory He enjoyed in Heaven, and His royal commission on earth—and, yet, Christ was subject to the mother who gave Him His human nature, and to the husband of His mother. Jesus never arrived to any such majority of years, that obedience to them became a hardship. He did not consider that it was unbecoming His dignity to defer to their wishes. Even as a young man of age, the time for an entire disregard of His mother's wishes, never came. Never had a child such warrant to claim a release from human control, as had the youthful Son of Mary. And yet there has never been an example of more perfect obedience. Impatience of control is the seed of vice. It cannot appear where the heart is pure. If a young person is beginning to feel that submission to parents is a degradation, and obedience is becoming irksome, that young person stands on a perilous edge. Could you look into the chambers of his soul, you would find them hung with pictures of guilt, over which he gloats. You would discover that all the internal safeguards of virtue have been removed. You would be startled to discover, that just as soon as the outside barriers are gone—just as soon as he thinks he may indulge without detection, he will rush into sin. Then again, when a young person uses the sacred relations that exist between him, and his parents, as the basis for a jest, mischief is already begun in his heart. It may sound inconsequential to say "My old man": the "Old woman". With some young people such talk is used to denote superiority. They are up with the times. The inference is, that their parents are back-numbers. But such language is a sword thrust through the sublimest of human relationships. "Father:" "Mother:" next to God and Christ, the sweetest names ever pronounced by human lips. Some of these fathers and mothers have waited on their children, till their own feet ached. Some parents have made keen sacrifices for the welfare of the boys and girls—are such parents deserving of the epithets "My old man: my old woman"? Wherever this dishonoring of parents transpires, whether in speech or department, there is small basis upon which to build up an honest firm character. He who dishonors a good parent, is a Judas to the claims of friendship. No skill of the tailor, nor ingenuity of the dressmaker, can hide such moral deformity. Pert young folks may indulge in romantic cant about "Home Sweet Home". But it avails not, if they leave their parents to cold neglect; or shun their counsel as rustic and unfashionable. Look out for the beginning of evil. If you had not seen it, you would not believe that a little acorn could become a mighty oak. If we had not seen it, we would not believe, that a little sin could transform the character in awful repulsiveness. Disrespect to parents is a fearfully bad beginning. Those who are dishonest with their parents, will surely be dishonest with an employer, or cheat the public. Those who are false to their homes, in youth, will yet be untrue to the dearest ties of the human heart. If young people wish to do anything, and their parents deem it unwise, stop where you are. Consider that they are more interested in your welfare, than anyone else. If you think they are mistaken in their judgment, respectfully seek to convince your parents of its advisability. But do not surreptitiously do the interdicted thing, and then deceive them. Don't ever tell a falsehood to your parent to cover up your disobedience. Such deportment will injure the sensitiveness of your soul. It will loosen your moral grip. The next time you are tempted, former indulgence is a weakness. You will act on the impulse, that as you have done it once, you might as well do it again. One step leads to another, and before one realizes it, he has slid down the entire flight of stairs between virtue and vice. The boy who could lie to his parents, stole marbles from his playmates. And he, who could steal marbles when playing for fun, stole in earnest $80,000 from a Massachussetts bank, and was sent to prison for ten years. The girl who could deceive her mother, and keep forbidden company, became the unfortunate Jennie Cramer of New Haven. Where did their shame begin? I will tell you: when first they deceived their parents, and became disobedient. Oh when one tips over the edge of the toboggan slide of immorality, usually he does not stop sliding till he reaches bottom. Young people don't commence the slide!

The model youth is patiently industrious. At twelve years of age, a Jewish boy of whatever rank, was compelled to learn a trade for his own support. Thus for eighteen years Christ worked at a trade. We know him as Christ, the carpenter of Nazareth. His example is a divine indorsement of industry. But some of our young people seem to think that work is dishonorable. In some families the young lady entertains all the company, while a weary mother plods through the drudgery and attends to the household mending. The young man looks upon a trade as vulgar occupation. Some young fellows seek situations where they can keep their hair scented, wear good clothes, and not soil their hands. In other families the father goes to the business house and sweats and grinds, and has all the headaches and anxieties; while the boy spends the money and has all the fun. We have peculiar notions as to what constitutes gentility. It is not the mere possession of money and leisure. Some who have both are low in sentiments and ill-bred in manners. The most useful people in the world, the real ladies and gentleman, are those who consecrate their material and moral resources towards making the world richer and better. The world is better for their having lived in it. These are the truly genteel people. Even the austere world recognizes the fitness of honest toil. When it wishes to present an ideal of manliness to its children, the world never goes to the hotels and club-houses where idlers lounge. The world never searches the drawing-room for its ideal man. It never presents its hero arrayed in a dress suit and patent leather shoes. Whenever the world wishes a type of manhood for its banners and coats-of arms, it paints the mechanic at the forge or the merchant at his desk. It is high time that boys and girls reconstruct their ideas of what constitutes true gentility. They used to understand that honest industry is not derogatory to true manhood and womanhood. The bench is no more unworthy than the desk. The factory is no more plebian than the counting room or school room. Any vocation occupied by those who conduct themselves as ladies and gentlemen, is ladylike or gentlemanly. It is the man and woman who make the profession, and not the profession which makes the man and woman! Florence Nightingale and Emma Barton did not move in those circles which gather in the salons of palaces. Neither did they have royal titles attached to their names. But by their busy, self-denying lives, they were of more royal blood than any of the select "400" that belong to the Prince of Wales set. It is one thing to possess an empty title, with no real character to fill it. It is quite another thing to have a character too large for human titles. Consecrated faith, honest industry, require no artificial decorations. Men like George W. Childs, the printer and editor; Timothy Gilbert, the Boston piano maker; Peter Cooper, the machinist and philanthropist; women like Frances Willard and Fanny Forrester, need no titles to give them honor. Have a higher aim, than to secure a mere social position. Aim to make your lives helpful to God and your fellows, and you will find honor and promotion.

HOW GRACE HAS GROWN!

She Is Just the Biggest 2-Year-Old Plainfield Can Show Today, and She's Doing a Noble Work.

The second anniversary of Grace M. E. Sunday-school was observed yesterday afternoon by special exercises in the church. The building was well filled with the children, their friends, and the workers in the school.

The programme was:

Song—"Sabbath Home".....School
Remarks.....Superintendent
Song—"At the Cross".....School
Chorus by Infant Class.
Solo—"Psalm of Comfort"...Miss Alice Carroll
Recitation—"The Two Church Builders",
Miss Tina Voehl
Song—"The Two Ways".....Quintette
Address.....Rev. Dr. L. Huribut
Solo.....Miss Haynes
Guitar accompaniment by Miss Gleuck.
Reading—"Hymn for Our New Year",
Miss Emma Stevens
Singing—"Go Gather Them In,".....Quintette

Superintendent John Valiant spoke of the growth of the school from the 87 scholars at its establishment to the present list of 286. Its spiritual advancement had been great, many members joining the church during the year.

Dr. Huribut said that he had little thought when he addressed the scholars at their first anniversary that he would be a resident of New York when the next year came around. He was not a resident of Plainfield now, but he felt at home in the school. In his new church surroundings in New York, although the congregation was large, he did not know one-fifth as many as he did of those he now addressed. He gave several apt illustrations of the importance of accepting Christ in early life, and in a simple, practical way urged the children to give their hearts to God.

The quintette consisted of Lewis Hummer, Ezra Loomis, Elmer Winckler, Charles Hummer and W. H. Griffen.

High-Church Vespers.

The Executive Committee of the Men's Association of the Grace P. E. Church, consisting of Rector Rodman, George S. Clay, Lewis G. Timpson, F. R. Stevens, Henry B. Ely, W. S. Timmis, Frederick J. Pope and M. B. Mellor, will begin next Sunday evening their high-church choral vesper services. There will be no sermon except on alternate Sundays. Feb. 25, Father Johnson of the Church of the Redeemer will preach. March 4, the clergyman will be Rev. David H. Greer of St. Bartholemew's.

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Lenten Sermons in Grace.

Following are the Lent preachers in Grace P. E. Church:

Feb. 22—Rev. A. S. Phelps.
Mch. 1—Rev. E. H. True.
" 8—Rev. F. M. McAllister.
" 15—Rev. A. B. Baker.
" 22—Rev. T. L. Murphy.

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AS PLAINFIELD SEES IT.

DR. RICHARDS REFLECTS ON HIS MEXICAN EXPERIENCES.

He Finds It a Land of Lights and Shadows—The Light, However, Is Chiefly of the Morrow, and the Shadows Are of Today.

The following concluding letter of Rev. Dr. W. B. Richards of his Mexican series appeared in The Mail and Express last Saturday:

MEXICAN NATIONAL RAILROAD, Jan. 27—Our train is moving cheerily northward, toward home. It is slowing up. It stops. A few yards away, directly before my window, rises a little pyramid bearing the inscription, "Tropic of Cancer"; on the southern face, "Torrid Zone"; on the northern face, "Temperate Zone". My eye runs westward from this significant little pinnacle, tracing the imaginary parallel across the plain, till far away it runs into the sun, at this moment setting over the western mountains. The sun crosses the horizon at the precise moment that we cross the tropic. The coincidence is startling, and sets my mind running rapidly over the sights and experiences of the last few weeks in a country which has so greatly interested me. What the bodily eye sees is only this monument of the tropic; the broad stretch of the sandy, cactus-covered plateau; the far-away mountain-range, the fading glory of the sunset. But the eye of the mind has a broader range, and what a panorama this is, quickly moving by, with no logical or chronological coherence, but each scene distinct as if it had been photographed upon the brain. Every scene a picture, for this land is nothing if not picturesque.

Now the graceful lines of some cathedral, or old convent of San Francisco; now the generous proportions of some hospitable home (why cannot our Northern architects borrow some of these attractive features?), the whole house a ground floor, those spacious inner courts, with trees and flowers, that shaded portico, each trip from bed chamber to study or dining room a veritable pleasure excursion. Then the costumes of the people—not the few wealthy of the capital, who copy the fashions of Paris or New York—but the people, with veil and blanket and sandals; that daring but successful confusion of colors, the endlessly changing but always graceful management of their simple drapery.

PICTURESQE SCENES.

I remember even a little boy with the toothache up in Monterey who contrived to make up a pretty picture of his swollen, bandaged face—the only case of toothache in the land, one would think, recalling the rows of pearls between the lips of those smiling, dark-faced Indian women.

Now the picture is of that warm stream flowing into Aguas Calientes, the bushes along its bank constituting almost a mile of clotheline, while the owners of those same garments, all ages and sexes, placidly soak in the stream till their clothes should be dry; startling, but unquestionably picturesque.

Even their use of names seems to argue a certain picturesque audacity in this people; names sacred and profane strangely mingled together; every other man you meet bearing the name of our Saviour. I recall a father named Bridget introducing me to his little daughter named Isaac.

Many pictures recall their pleasant cordiality; what a welcome they have given this particular stranger to their homes, and literally to their hearts. I can feel yet on my shoulder the peculiar pat of their embrace, and on my forehead the kiss of that impetuous brother who must give this stronger proof of his affection.

Yes, beautiful is the light of the sun shining over the western hills, and pretty pictures these are which move swiftly before my mind.

MORAL CORRUPTION.

But the sun is setting, the light is fading; darker shadows cross the plain. Each pretty scene in my panorama seems shaded with some tinge of sadness. These warm-hearted people are so strangely devoid of moral sense. That impetuous brother who kissed my brow—the woman standing beside him in his home was not his wife. The graceful droop of the blanket does not quite hide the ugly pistol back of the hip. The rollicking boys, chasing each other in the street, shout, "Toro, toro," their only sport to mimic a bull fight. So the Sunday afternoon with its real bull fight, those blindfold scarecrows of horses led in to be gored to death to make a Mexican holiday; or Sunday evening and its cheap theatre.

The picturesqueness of this life cannot hide the moral rottenness of much of it. Interesting to see everywhere these acres of great century plants; but the sap of that maguey is always fermenting into pulque, and distilling into mezcal. This land so wofully poor is cursed everywhere with drunkenness. What poverty it is! Now and then some foreign enterprise, like a cotton mill, blesses a limited neighborhood with comparative prosperity. That adds another scene to my panorama. It is a mill door, and the men rushing out of it at 8 o'clock in the morning to get their breakfast, swinging their blankets about them as they run. They had been working since 5 o'clock; they will work till 9 o'clock at night. The manager, standing beside me, tells me that these men receive 25 cents a day, less than 15 of our money. Comparative prosperity for Mexico.

POLITICAL CORRUPTION.

But their government, the officers of their government—another scene. A solitary horseman has ridden up to the side of our coach. A bandit? No, a postman, who every day rides over from a village twenty miles away to intercept the stage. The contract for carrying the mail over this route was let to a Senator for $80 a month, which he now receives. He sublet the job to a contractor for $50. He sublet it to our friend on the horse for $8. Mexican politics.

The sunset has been strangely picturesque, but the sun has almost gone behind the hill; our train stirs slowly away from that tropical milestone; all the country lying beyond toward the equator is under the shadow of night.

BRIGHTER TOMORROW.

But even in a sleeping car the night does not last forever. The long hours have rolled by; the light of a new day is in the eastern heavens. Now the higher mountain peaks are catching the glory, and it creeps down their sides, till all the plain is bathed in the splendor of the day. A more hopeful quality is in this early morning air. My conscience reproaches me for last night's moody forebodings. Are the lengthening shadows of evening to rest forever on this fair country? Is there to be no brighter tomorrow for this land of the "Tomorrow"?

Those many small mission stations and schools that we have been visiting these last few weeks with so much interest, had I forgotten them? Is no account to be taken of them? Shall there be no harvest of good from so many seeds of purer faith and clearer knowledge now sown patiently in the soil?

If you could but get some elements of steadfast Puritanism into the morals of this people, and of Christian intelligence into their worship, why should not the future have bright days in store for our sister republic? There shall be such days for her. She is young yet as a republic, young in the enjoyment of these privileges of religious liberty. Last night's fading sunset cast a misleading light for studying the fortunes of so youthful a people. Rather this view of Mexico shall stay with me under these fresh glories of the sunrising.

SIX YEARS FOR M'KANE.

Sentence Imposed by Justice Bartlett—A Stay of a Week to Allow for Appeal.

BROOKLYN, Feb. 19—John Y. McKane, the boss of Coney Island, who was convicted last week of conspiracy to violate the election law at Gravesend at the elections last November, was sentenced this morning by Judge Bartlett, in the Court of Oyer and Terminer, to six years imprisonment in State Prison.

The penalty for the offence prescribed by law is not less than two years and not more than ten years in State Prison.

Col. E. C. James of New York appeared as special counsel for McKane, and made a number of motions and requests in his client's behalf, all of which were denied except a request for thirty days in which to prepare the record of the defendant's case upon appeal, the law prescribing that without special permission the record must be prepared in one week.

The prosecution also consented to a temporary stay of one week in order to enable the defence to make application to a Supreme Court Justice for a certificate of reasonable doubt, provided the defence would today serve notice upon the prosecution of the Judge to whom the application will be made, and the time and place of its making.

McKane flushed when sentenced, seated himself, leaned back, closed his eyes, clasped his hands across his paunch and twirled his thumbs. He had protested his innocence to the last.

APPRECIATIVE SEVENTH-DAYS.

They Give Their Pastor $208, and Two-Weeks Vacation to Spend It in.

A surprise and a donation were combined last night by members of the congregation of the Seventh-Day Baptist Church to emphasize the pleasant relations which exist between Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis and his people.

The affair had been quietly arranged by a number of church workers, Mrs. J. P. Allis being the originator. Over 100 people assembled at the home of W. H. Rogers, near the church, early in the evening. Charles Potter, Jr., suggested a vote by the church people to ask the Board of Trustees to grant Dr. Lewis a vacation. A resolution was passed unanimously, and then Mr. Potter proposed a collection to defray the pastor's expenses during his leave of absence. David E. Titsworth was made treasurer for the occasion and shortly had a purse of $208 in his hands.

Meanwhile the diligent and unsuspecting minister had entered his new study in the church and was busily engaged in his work. A knock at the door and the information that someone wished to see him brought him out into the Sabbath-school rooms, where the sight of the surprisers bewildered him.

His confusion was soon over, however, and when Mr. Potter told him of the vacation and gave him the purse, he was ready to express his thanks.

The rest of the evening was spent in conversation and the enjoyment of refreshments prepared by Mrs. D. E. Titsworth and Mrs. H. M. Maxson.

Singular Cause for a Broken Ankle.

Harry Barton, a young man employed by Ulrich & Blatz, broke his ankle late Saturday afternoon while driving a sleigh on East Sixth street.

In some way he lost his balance and fell out. His left foot caught between the fender and the body of the sleigh and in falling he sustained a compound fracture at the ankle.

He lost his hold on the reins and was dragged nearly a block, when the boy who was in the wagon stopped the horse. The injured ankle was temporarily set by Dr. J. F. Berz, and Barton was taken to his home on West Second street. The ankle was too badly swollen to set permanently.

The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands can testify. Proper local treatment is positively necessary to success, but many, if not most, of the remedies in general use afford but temporary relief. A cure certainly cannot be expected from mere snuffs, powders, douches and washes. Ely's Cream Balm, which is so highly commended, is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power, with perfect safety and pleasantness to the patient. The druggists all sell it. 2 23 y

2,000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from C. W. Mazon, Farina, Ills., says: "I consider your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have been in the drug business fourteen years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal satisfaction." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents. 12 22 7

REBELS GAIN ON LAND

All of the State of Parana in Their Hands.

A Big Force Invading Sao Paulo and Sweeping Back the Scattering Government Forces—The People Show No Inclination to Fight, But Openly Urge Compromise—Several Battles.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—A special from Sao Paulo, Brazil, via Galveston, says: President Peixoto's most ardent adherents now admit that all the state of Parana is in the hands of the rebels. Admiral Mello's expedition in Parangua took Caritaba and have since been joined by 3,000 federalist troops from Rio Grande do Sul and Santa Catharina. This combined force is now invading the state of Sao Paulo and is sweeping back the scattering forces which the government had guarding the frontier. These weak detachments make scarcely any resistance to the invaders. Already two engagements have been fought. There have also been six skirmishes. In every instance the government troops were defeated.

At present Gen. Lapa's forces, with but 60 days' rations, defend the frontier. This force numbers but 1,200 men, and it is expected that Sao Pedro de Itarare will fall.

Alarmed at the news of insurgent successes President Peixoto ordered 1,200 more men, including the 35th cavalry and 16th battalion of the national guard, together with the 2nd regiment of the Sao Paulo infantry and two artillery companies from Rio to start immediately for the frontier and reinforce Gen. Lapa's defending force. Two companies of local volunteers will follow.

Notwithstanding the insurgent victories the people of the state are not enthusiastic and show no inclination to fight. They openly urge President Peixoto to compromise with the enemy.

Nictheroy Arrives at Rio.

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RIO JANEIRO, Feb. 19.—The government dynamite cruiser Nictheroy has arrived here alone and anchored outside the harbor.

U. P.'s Famous Wage Scale.

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—A special to a morning paper from Omaha, Neb., says: General Solicitor John M. Thurston and the receivers of the Union Pacific will meet in New York this week and discuss the advisability of withdrawing the now famous wage schedule. It is understood that Judge Caldwell's decision was that he had not a right to give the men a chance, and that if Judge Dundy and the receivers withdrew or revoked the wage petition granted by Judge Dundy, they should come to Omaha and confer with the representatives of the employes and the receivers. The petition will not be withdrawn, nor will there be any move made until after the New York conference. Judge Thurston says that he could not say anything further about the subject until his return from New York.

Forcing Miners to Terms.

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—A special to a morning paper from Massillon, Ohio, says: Every mine in the Massillon district has shut down to remain closed, so the operators have formally declared, until the 3,000 miners keep hands off upon them for employment contrary to the terms demanded. The trouble was precipitated one week ago, when, without warning, the operators issued an ultimatum naming Feb. 15 as the last date they would pay prevailing prices, and that thereafter the men must accept Jackson county wages or none at all.

Fight With Daring Safe Burglars.

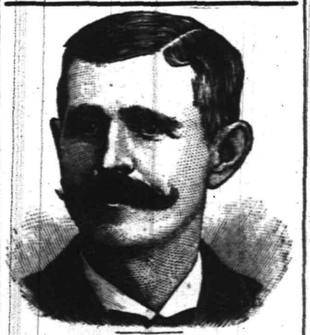
SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Feb. 19.—An attempt to rob the safe of the Adams Express company at Two Rivers, Conn., was made early yesterday morning and James Nail, the night telegraph operator who surprised the three burglars in the act of blowing open the safe, was roughly handled, receiving a shot in the groin and being struck over the head with a chisel. The burglars escaped without securing any booty of importance.

Two Big Factories Resume Operations.

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—A special to a morning paper from Racine, Wis., says: Two of Racine's largest factories have just resumed work. The J. I. Case Threshing Machine works started with 500 men and will soon put on the full force of 1,000 men. The Mitchell & Lewis Wagon works has also started with 450 men and will gradually increase the force.

Pushing Chilian Claims.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—There is a strong probability that the Chilian claims commission will be enabled to continue its sessions long enough to satisfactorily adjust all the claims that have been brought before it, notwithstanding the recent action of the Chilian government in notifying the United States authorities that the term within which the original treaty provided for the sessions of the commission could not be extended.



A STRANGE CASE.

How an Enemy was Foiled.

The following graphic statement will be read with intense interest: "I cannot describe the numb, creepy sensation that existed in my arms, hands and legs. I had to rub and beat those parts until they were sore, to overcome in a measure the dead feeling that had taken possession of them. In addition, I had a strange weakness in my back and around my waist, together with an indescribable 'gone' feeling in my stomach. Physicians said it was creeping paralysis, from which, according to their universal conclusion, there is no relief. Once it fastens upon a person, they say, it continues its insidious progress until it reaches a fatal point and the sufferer dies. Such was my impression. I had been doctoring a year and a half steadily, but with no particular benefit, when I saw an advertisement of Dr Miles' Restorative Nervine, procured a bottle and began using it. Marvelous as it may seem, but a few days had passed before every bit of that creepy feeling had left me, and there has not been even the slightest indication of its return. I now feel as well as I ever did, and have gained ten pounds in weight, though I had run down from 170 to 127. Four others have used Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine on my recommendation, and it has been as satisfactory in their cases as in mine."—James Kane, La Rue, O.

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Wire tea strainer	1c each
Basting cotton, large spool	1c each
Darning cotton	1c card
Hooks and eyes	1c card
Good pins	1c paper
Nutmeg graters	1c each
Carpet tacks	1c package
4 yds. roll tape, all sizes	2c each
Darning wool	2c card
Bent hooks and eyes	2c card
Ball darning cotton	2c ball
Wardrobe hooks	2c each
Machine cotton	2c spool
Ball tinsel	2c ball
Knitting cotton, large balls	2c each
Safety pins, all sizes	3c dozen
Curtain pins	3c dozen
Hand brushes	3c each
Sink brushes	3c each
Dish mops	3c each
Coat hangers	3c each
Cabinet of hair pins	3c each
Tracing wheels	3c each
Toweling	3c yard
Screw drivers	3c each
Hair crimpers	3c dozen
Gimlets	3c each
Meat forks	3c each
Bis uit cutters	3c each
100 yard spool silk	4c spool
Linen thread	4c spool
Machine oil cans	4c each
Lamp burners	4c each
Black pins	4c box
Bon-Ami	5c cake
100 brass head nails	for 5c
144 shoe buttons	for 5c
Metal dress stays	5c dozen
Chimney cleaners	5c each
No 4 Bixby blacking	5c box
School ink	5c bottle
25 yds. picture wire	for 5c
Blue seal vaseline	5c bottle
Fine tooth brushes	5c each
Rubber dressing combs	5c each
Rubber fine combs	5c each
Hair curlers	5c each
Nickel match safes	5c each
Darning lasts	5c each
Coin purses	5c each
Machine oil	5c bottle
Pocket mirrors	5c each
Bread toasters	5c each
Sink shovels	5c each
Attachable corset steels	5c pair
Knitting cotton	5c ball
Large dust pans	6c each
Ammonia, the best	8c bottle
Soap shakers	8c each
Stockinet dress shields	8c pair
Pure rubber dress shields	10c pair
1,000 sheet toilet paper	10c package
India tape, assorted	8c dozen
Covered dress stays	6c set
Lyon's tooth powder	18c bottle
7 inch bone dress stays	3c dozen
8 " "	4c dozen
9 " "	6c dozen
10 " "	7c dozen

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By JOHN J. McGINNISS.

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There was nobody there but himself. The shadows of evening were darkening the place. He walked around, sharply peering into every corner. It was the voice of conscience that startled him. In his excited mood it broke in upon him, and its very suddenness shook his frame as if he had run up against a specter and had been chilled by its icy touch.

"You are wanted."

Raymond fell back. He saw a tall form entering. He was completely unnerved. His moral strength had been sapped by the intense passions wrongdoing had engendered, and when the moral fortress collapses physical courage lies entombed in the wreck. He bent down to see clearer the man who addressed him.

"Who is that?" he asked in a hoarse whisper.

"It is I. You are wanted at the convent."

"I was dreaming," he said as he rallied his shattered nerves and steadied himself. "I awoke from a nightmare. I had dozed off. How do things run?"

"Just as you had anticipated."

"You can go."

"Good night, sir, good night."

Raymond followed him out. The registrar of arrears had patiently awaited him outside. He had feared that his chief might have been offended had he gone out with the clerks. He saw that Raymond was not looking as strong or as cheerful as when he came in some hours before.

"Is there anything I can do for you, Mr. Raymond?" he queried, with an assumption of concern. "You are looking ill."

"Yes, you can call a cab. It is only a momentary illness. The air will bring me around all right."

The cab arrived. Raymond entered, and the order he gave some days before was repeated:

"Drive to the Convent of Mercy."

CHAPTER XIV.

RAYMOND'S HOUR OF TRIUMPH.

"I'm so glad you've come," said Mother St. Gertrude to Raymond. "Isabel is frantic, and this, coming so soon, places all the responsibility upon me for opposing your plan. Are you sure it is Laurence?"

"I just heard the news from the reporter who brought me your message. I have no doubt of its truth. His own comrades have identified him."

"The Trumpet is going to publish the story of his trouble tomorrow. I understand you have the influence to suppress it. I must ask you to do so."

"I assure you I will."

"Then, about the funeral? To attend to that is the least our order can do for one who was such a friend. But will you aid our agent in securing the necessary permits?"

"Let me look after the whole matter and pay the expenses."

"No; we cannot do that."

"Have you thought of the burial place? The case is considered one of suicide."

"Suicide!"

"Yes."

"And that means the denial of Christian burial! What shall we do?"

"My idea is to place the body in a receiving vault for a time. Events may demonstrate that he was killed or that it was the result of an accident. Meanwhile continue investigations."

"I will consult Isabel."

"How is she?"

"She is bearing up bravely. She seems to get strength from the desire to vindicate his memory. She had not thought of this new feature—denial of Christian burial."

"It may not be the proper time to suggest it, Mother St. Gertrude, but from my worldly, more experienced point of view she ought, for the sake of his memory, place herself under my protection and with me proceed to make investigations. She cannot do it here, and she will not trust any one but herself, I feel, under the circumstances. You cannot, with peace of mind, allow her to proceed alone."

"I interfered once. I will not do so again. It shall be as she says. But the denial of Christian burial! It is terrible! Terrible!"

"I am certain that we can prove that it was not suicide. Perhaps his exoneration will incriminate another—we may be able to prove that he was foully dealt with."

"I will go to Isabel."

Raymond had determined to marry Isabel. He was afraid that Mangan might learn just enough to justify the issue of an injunction that could be continued for some time. The publication of these proceedings might elicit facts to undermine his hold on the property if an order to restrain him from getting the deeds was decreed.

Mother St. Gertrude eyed him critically. She was suspicious still of this man. She believed his profession of love for Isabel. His reputation as a man of wealth dispelled the idea that he was after her property. Again, the nun had not learned of the value of the lands that were destined to be converted into parks. Therefore his love appeared to be disinterested. It was the intensity of his ardor—its velocity, one might say—that she could not account for, but his eagerness to remove any and all aspersions from Laurence's character sprang from a broad spirit of generosity, she concluded. Where generosity was great, other affections were proportionately developed, she reasoned, and their outpour as impetuous.

"Before you go," he added, "there are a few things I should say. Some one must get an order from the public administrator for Laurence's effects. His sister can get it. Naturally, if she consents to a speedy marriage, I will take charge of that, see what is necessary to be done to straighten out his affairs, satisfy all claims, if any, and carry out the designs of Miss Le—Leland, I will say, with your permission, and I hope to be allowed the privilege of calling her Isabel."

"It is a sad affair, this death," said Mother St. Gertrude, her grief at last mastering her and driving out of mind all else. The tears, long suppressed in the presence of Raymond, forced their way, and as a stream, just breaking through confining barriers, roars in triumph at its freedom, these lachrymal rivulets signalized their victory over her power of mind by wrenching from her heart sob after sob that gave sincere ity to her flow of sorrow.

Even Raymond was touched. Here was a woman who had stood at many a bed of suffering, alleviating human ills, who had been so accustomed to death that it became almost an everyday incident in her life, yet weeping like a child, crying piteously as the lamb that vainly runs and bleats amid the heather of the Scottish mountains, for the mother that has slipped from sight and lies mangled in the treacherous ravine! What agony he was causing her and Isabel Raymond appreciated, and if he could retrace his steps with safety

The tears forced their way.

even his strong determination to proceed onward to the goal he had in view would have wavered and deserted him. But the danger behind, the ruin of his reputation, lessened in his eyes the consequences with which defeat might confront him.

He did not interfere with the expression of her grief. He saw his inability to offer effective consolation, and he delicately refrained from speaking. The sympathy shown on his countenance was not feigned. He was heartless in politics, but his activity in that field, where, as in the roar and rush of the exchange, no man cares who else is driven into a corner if he himself comes out on top of the pit, had not steeled him for such a scene as that in which he figured in this quiet convent home. It was the nun who spoke first:

"Pardon me, Mr. Raymond," she said. "I did not care to let the sisters see this outburst. And Isabel, whom I am trying to hearten, would give way if she noticed it. My feelings will not pass beyond control again. And now, since I am so weak, I do not trust Isabel. She is less used to sorrow. I think I know her sentiments. She does not love you. She did love Laurence dearly, and for the sake of his honor she will marry you, but she would say to you that she can never love again. To vindicate him she gives you her hand, but her heart will rest in his grave, brother though he was."

"I accept. If she does not return my love, I will know no other living man has it and will rest content, always hopeful that my devotion will some day cause her heart to beat with throbs responsive to my own. After the funeral I will secure the dispensations for the quietest of matrimonial ceremonies, in keeping with the circumstances."

"Can we view Laurence's body?" asked the nun, whose mind reverted more to the death than to the marriage.

"The newspaper men will be around until it is laid in the vault," said Raymond. "I am going to suppress a story in one paper. Would you suggest the secret to others by appearing there with her? The less said or done now the better. Then, again, if she saw him, she would receive a shock in the knowledge that he must rest in unconsecrated ground if his honor is not redeemed by investigation that will show he was not a suicide, no more than he was a defaulter."

"She will insist."

"The body will be carefully prepared and will be temporarily placed in the vault. In a few months we will be able to place it in the grave, with all aspersions from his memory removed. Then she will be stronger in the victory she has won for him and can see the body, which will be preserved as the best embalmers can."

Raymond took leave, and Mother St. Gertrude went to Isabel to offer her hope of reunion above—the only hope she could extend—and to reconcile her to that other union which was to be accepted as the only means to do justice to the character of him whom Isabel had idolized and Mother St. Gertrude had respected—aye, revered.

Isabel had a purpose to buoy her up. She learned of the preparations and agreed to the suggestions of the sister, while the action of Raymond in personally looking after the arrangements softened the disagreeable features of the union she was about to enter with him. Raymond's conduct was leading her to the belief that her sacrifice for the redemption of Laurence's name was not a little due to Raymond for his own sacrifice, prompted, as she imagined, by his love for her and his regard for the dead.

Raymond had already taken steps to secure dispensations and to hasten the ceremony. The ecclesiastical impediments alone stood in the way, and on the face of his petition and on the answers coming to inquiries instituted it could not be more than a week until Isabel became Mrs. Raymond.

"Mangan can whistle," thought Raymond. "Wherever he is, he can hardly interfere."

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 21, 6 05, 7 15, 8 28, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 50, 2 00, 2 30, 3 46, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 20 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 00 P. M 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 00, 9 00, A. M., 12 M., 1 15, 4, 5 15, 6, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 P.M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

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Leave Newark 6 18, 7 18, 7 55, 8 39, 9 08, 10 05, 11 55 A.M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 39 Saturday only, 3 40, 3 55, 4 05, 4 35, 5 05, 5 35, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 9 40, 10 05, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 00, 8 45, 9 50, 11 35, A. M., 1 15, 3 10, 4 40, 6 05, 7 07, 9 05, 10 30 P. M.
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Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 35, 7 45, 8 20, 9 05, 9 48, 10 A. M., 12 30, 1 48, 3 04, 3 36, 4 25, 5 25, 5 35, 6 26, 6 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 11 00 A. M., 12 08, 1 16, 5 05, 6 35, 8 08, 8 54, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON
Leave Plainfield 8 45, 8 16, 8 54, a. m., 12 43, 2 09, 5 05, 5 14, 8 38, 8 17 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 9 20 a. m., 3 08, 6 30, P. M.
Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 59, A.M., 12 32, 4 01, 7 25 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 59, A. M. 6 46, 7 30, P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 9 54, a m 5 05, 5 14 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.
6 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown' Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.
7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.
8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.
9 5 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazleton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.
12 43 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.
2 09 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Bangor Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton
5 09 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.
5 14 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk, Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.
6 20 P. M. for Flemington.
6 39 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.
8 17 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.
8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin Williamsport, &c., 3 08 p. m. Sundays to Easton, High Bridge Branch, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.
For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 14 p. m.
Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.
Leave Plainfield 8 37, 8, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, 5 54, p. m. Sundays — except Ocean Grove 8 52, a. m., 3 20 p.m.
For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 8 52, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, 4 50, 5.54, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 20 p. m.
For Freehold, 8 37, 8, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.
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For Trenton 8 45, 8 44, 9 48, 10 45, a. m., 12 43, 2 09*, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 17*, p. m., 1 17 night, Sunday—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 05*, 8 17 p. m., 1 17 night.
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From 24th and Chestnut—8 55, 9 12, 11 14, a m. 3 20, 6 13, 8 12, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—8 55, 11 14 a. m., 3 20, 6 13, 8 12, 11 45 p. m.
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For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m., 4 38, 5 08 p. m., via Monmouth Junction, week-days.
For Jamesburg, via Monmouth Junction—7 59 and 11 43 a. m., 4 38 and 5 08 p. m., week-days.
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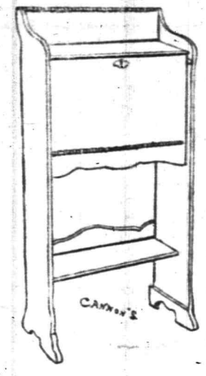

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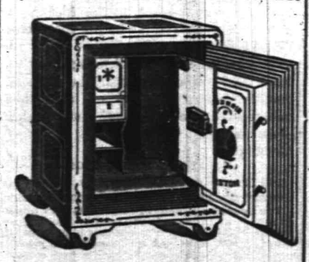

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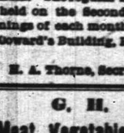

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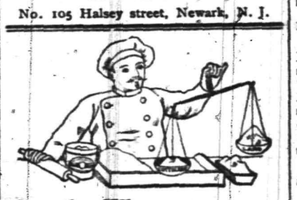

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BROOKLYN, N. Y., Feb. 20.—John Y. McKane, the former Gravesend political chief, who was sentenced to six years in state prison yesterday, will not go to Sing Sing to-day as was expected. Lawyer Roderick, after considerable hustling, succeeded in getting from Justice Edgar M. Cullen a stay of proceedings until Friday next. The hearing will take place at 10 o'clock on Friday morning in the supreme court, Brooklyn. After Mr. McKane was taken to the Raymond Street jail, Lawyer Roderick and Colonel James at once began work on the papers in the case. They worked all day long and it was dark before they had finished the task. Shortly before 9 o'clock the papers on which an appeal for a stay were to be made were finished. Mr. Roderick hurriedly left the Clarendon hotel and, jumping into a cab, hurried to the home of Judge Cullen on Willow street. The judge was getting ready to retire for the night. Mr. Roderick presented his case and after a long argument Justice Cullen finally granted a stay as stated above.

When Mr. Roderick received the judges signature to the papers he left the house and hastened to the Raymond street jail, where he served the papers on Sheriff Butling. When the lawyer arrived at the jail Mr. McKane was asleep. He was awakened and when told that a stay had been granted he merely said that he thought it would. It is said that the lawyer for Mr. McKane appealed to Judge Pratt for a stay, but he refused to listen to them.

News from the jail this morning is to the effect that McKane spent a decidedly restless night and that he is completely dazed at the position he finds himself in. He is trying to face the music as bravely as possible, but there is no disguising the fact that his conviction, the sentence of six years, and the seeming hopelessness of the efforts to prevent or delay his entering state prison, has almost stunned him.

The Gaylord Mine Horror.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Feb. 20.—From all that can be learned as to the situation at the Gaylord mine there is not a ray of hope of securing the men alive, and the truth of it is that it will be many days yet before they are found. The reports given out by many of the mine officials are misleading and cannot be relied upon. The work of the rescuing parties is progressing slowly and it is groundless to say that they have made any great headway. The mine is in such a bad condition that the men at work cannot push it to any degree of safety.

Evans and Morrell Surrender.

VISALIA, Cal., Feb. 20.—Evans, the outlaw, and his companion Morrell, surrendered to officers and a posse which surrounded Evans' house yesterday afternoon. Evans sent a child with a note to the sheriff asking the sheriff to come into the house for consultation. Several notes were exchanged by the child messenger, and the outlaws finally came out on the porch. They were at once covered by 20 winchesters. They walked out and were again in custody.

Sensation in Miss Pollard's Suit.

DANVILLE, Ky., Feb. 20.—In the Pollard-Breckinridge damage suit a great sensation developed in the testimony of Dr. T. M. Lewis. He swore that the late Hon. A. M. Swope, who was killed in the famous Swope-Goodloe duel at Lexington several years ago, had during the year 1885 applied to him to perform a criminal operation on one Miss Pollard and acknowledged that he was the cause of her misfortune.

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PARIS, Feb. 20.—A despatch from St. Louis, Senegal, says that a French force, marching to reinforce Captain Phillipe at Timbuctoo, were fired upon by natives at Malfoume, a negro town. The French shelled the town and killed one hundred of the natives. None of the French force was hurt. After thus punishing the natives the French force proceeded.

Peixoto's Fleet Massing in Rio Bay.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—A cable message, received at the navy department, from Rear Admiral Benham confirms the United Press report of the arrival of the government dynamite cruiser Nictheroy outside Rio harbor. Admiral Benham says in his dispatch that the rest of the loyal fleet will arrive at Rio from Bahia on Feb. 22.

Two More Counterfeiters.

ALTOONA, Pa., Feb. 20.—Two more men, accused of counterfeiting, are in the toils of the United States secret service officers in this city, making a total of nine arrests thus far. These two latter prisoners are John G. Stegers, of Coalsport, and Harry McFarland, of Utahville, Clearfield county.

Boom for Granite Industry.

BARRE, Vt., Feb. 20.—There is general rejoicing here over the outlook for the granite business. Dealers report an unusually large amount of orders for spring work. Many more cutters will be put to work as soon as stock can be obtained from the quarries.

May Be Compromised.

STAMFORD, Conn., Feb. 20.—The famous inquiry as to the mental condition of Timothy H. Porter, the Stamford millionaire, has been adjourned for one week. It is understood that a compromise will be reached in the meantime.

Bayard at St. James' Palace.

LONDON, Feb. 20.—The Prince of Wales, acting on behalf of the queen, held the first levee of the season at St. James' palace yesterday. Among those present was the Hon. Thomas F. Bayard, American ambassador to Great Britain.

Anarchists Threaten a Convent.

BRUSSELS, Feb. 20.—The mother superior of the Convent of the Sacred Heart has received an anarchist letter threatening to blow up the convent.

DURING hard times consumers cannot afford to experiment with inferior, cheap brands of baking powder. It is NOW that the great strength and purity of the ROYAL stand out as a friend in need to those who desire to practise Economy in the Kitchen. Each spoonful does its perfect work. Its increasing sale bears witness that it is a necessity to the prudent—it goes further.

N. B. Grocers say that every dollar invested in Royal Baking Powder is worth a dollar the world over, that it does not consume their capital in dead stock, because it is the great favorite, and sells through all times and seasons.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 WALL ST., NEW YORK.

WANT HER REMOVED.

An Administratrix Who is Too Extravagant and is Going to Wed.

JERSEY CITY, Feb. 20.—Social circles in this city are stirred by an application made to Chancellor McGill for the removal of Mrs. Emma Bentley as administratrix of her husband's estate. The bill was filed by Eleanor B. Dixon, wife of Warren Dixon, who is a son of Judge John Dixon. Joined with her in the application were Peter Bently, her brother, and Emily Bently, her sister. There are four younger children, boys, who take no part in the contest.

Peter Bentley, who was one of the most prominent lawyers in the state, his wife being a society leader here, died in April, 1888, leaving an estate valued at $30,000.

Ex-Mayor Gilbert Collins, who represented the applicants, said that Mrs. Bentley had not only been extravagant, but by her mismanagement had impaired the estate. Mr. Collins said she had expended $30,000 for the children in six years, to which there could be no objection while the income warranted it, but she had spent $21,826 which she had no right to touch. The last charge made by Mr. Collins was that Mrs. Bentley had engaged herself to marry George Whedon, a man well known in society, who is only about half her age. He also charged that Mrs. Bentley had acted on Mr. Whedon's advice in selling a part of the estate, Mr. Whedon having told her she could do as she pleased with the property.

Ex-Gov. Joseph D. Bedle, who appeared for Mrs. Bentley, said that Mr. Bentley's will made Mrs. Bentley sole executrix and empowered her to sell the real estate if she saw fit.

Growth of Loyal Americans.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 20.—Grand Commander D. A. Reynolds of the Ancient Order of Loyal Americans, the new semi-secret industrial organization which is creating such a furore in Kansas and other states, said that he should leave his home in this city for Chicago, where he expects to muster in thirty-seven regiments of the order. "The United Labor organizations of that city," he said, "have decided to enlist under our banner, which, I think, will give the order a new and wonderful impetus." Commander Reynolds says that the organization now has a strong footing in forty-four states and territories, and that 1,500 counties are completely organized. He expects to enlist 1,000 recruits in this city before leaving for Chicago.

Gladstone's Eyes.

LONDON, Feb. 20.—Dr. Granger, of Chester, the physician and oculist, who has been in attendance upon Mr. Gladstone, was interviewed in regard to the condition of Mr. Gladstone's eyes, it having been said in some quarters that the prime minister was threatened with blindness resulting from cataracts. Dr. Granger said that Mr. Gladstone's eyes are as good as they were a year ago. His general condition was also good. He further said, when question upon the statement that he had been summoned to examine Mr. Gladstone's eyes on the arrival a week ago of the prime minister from Biarritz, France, that he was to make an examination, but had no intention of doing so until Easter.

Big Woolen Mills Resume.

WORCESTER, Mass., Feb. 20.—The Hamilton Woolen company, of Southbridge, employing 1,000 operatives when running in full force, has just started up its cotton and worsted departments. Before long the large establishment will resume its wonted hum of one year ago.

Common Oatmeal

Is little better than starch, which means indigestion, rough skin, and baldness.

IN

H-O Hornby's Oatmeal

The starches are by a peculiar application of steam converted into sugar. It is the one digestible oatmeal.

SURPRISE ALL AROUND

White's Nomination Was Quite Unexpected.

Did Not Himself Know That His Name Was Being Considered Until Called to the White House a Few Hours Before the Nomination Was Made—The News Received in Louisiana.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The nomination of Senator White, of Louisiana, to be an associate justice of the supreme court of the United States came in the nature of a surprise to the senate. All sorts of rumors were afloat during the morning relative to this appointment, in which the names of Senators Gray and Faulkner were mentioned, but not that of the Louisiana senator. Mr. White did not come to the senate during the day, and the fact that he was at the white house in the morning, where he doubtless received the news, constrained him to absent himself from the presence of his colleagues. The confirmation of Mr. White was, of course, accomplished at once, the courtesy of the senate preventing even a formal reference to the usual committee.

Senator White knew nothing of the fact that the president was considering his name until Sunday evening when the president sent for the Louisiana senators. Mr. White called at the white house accompanied by Mr. Caffery at 8 o'clock and remained in conference with the president for more than two hours. The president for the first time informed Mr. White of his intention and asked the senator if he would accept the place. Mr. White asked for time to consider, agreeing to give a positive answer in the morning. Mr. White accompanied by his colleague, again called at the executive mansion in the morning and as he crossed the threshhold was still undetermined. An hour's talk with Mr. Cleveland, however, decided Mr. White and at 10:30, having said that he would accept the nomination, Mr. White left the mansion. He did not go to the capitol but returned to his own rooms, Mr. Caffery proceeding to the senate. Within an hour from the time the nomination was sent in, Mr. White had been confirmed and the president notified.

Edward Douglass White was born in the parish of Lafourche, La., in November, 1845, and was educated at Mount St. Mary's, Md., at the Jesuit college in New Orleans and at Georgetown university, this city. He served in the confederate army, and, after the close of the war, in 1868, was licensed to practice law by the supreme court of Louisiana. In 1874 he was elected a state senator and was appointed four years later associate justice of the supreme court of Louisiana. He is a lawyer of marked ability, in the full vigor of life and will bring to the supreme court a valuable knowledge of the intricacies of practice under the civil code, or code Napoleon, as it prevails in the Louisiana courts, which will be of great service in disposing of cases arising in the courts of that state.

Sugar Planters Alarmed.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 20.—The people of this city were dumbfounded to receive the intelligence of the elevation of Senator Edward D. White to the supreme court bench of the United States. Of course, the selection was commended on every hand except by a few sugar planters who profess to see in it a serious blow to the sugar industry for which Senator White has been making a hard fight. The sugar men are now urging on Gov. Foster the immediate appointment of his successor and speculation is already rife as to who he will be.

The Vacant Senatorship.

BATON ROUGE, La., Feb. 20.—Gov. Foster highly commends the appointment of Judge White, but will give no intimation as to the appointment of his successor. He will go to New Orleans to-day to confer with his political friends.

Celebrated His 60 Years of Service.

BOSTON, Feb. 20.—To celebrate the completion of treasurer William Durant's sixty years of service to the publishers of the Evening Transcript, the employes of the Transcript company to the number of about 150, tendered Mr. Durant a complimentary dinner last evening. Besides Mr. Durant there were present as guests of the employes all the members of the Transcript corporation.

NICTHEROY LEAVES RIO BAY.

Two Harmless Shots Fired at Her From a Rebel Fort.

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RIO JANEIRO, Feb. 20.—The dynamite cruiser Nictheroy left this harbor at an early hour last night. As she passed out she exchanged signals with Forts Santa Cruz and San Joao at the entrance of the bay. Before she reached these forts she was compelled to pass Fort Villegaignon, which is held by the insurgents. The gunners at this fort fired two shots at the cruiser, but their aim was bad and they did not succeed in hitting her.

The Nictheroy had on board 300 regular troops. It is supposed that her destination is Santos. Strong hopes are entertained of an early and decisive action between the government forces and the insurgents.

The course of the Hon. Thomas L. Thompson, the American minister, is still the subject of adverse comment in some quarters. It is charged by some of the Americans and others here that he is taking to himself the credit for the protection of American merchantmen given by Rear Admiral Benham. It is still a subject for comment that Mr. Thompson lives at Petropolis, the summer resort, 25 miles north of Rio Janeiro, while the British minister and other ministers continue to reside in the city. His residence in Petropolis, however, is easily explainable on the theory that he does not want to run the risk of contracting yellow fever.

Jersey Republican State Committee.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 20.—The republican state committee held a meeting in the Trenton house yesterday afternoon and instructed Messrs. Cortlandt and R. Wayne Parker to enter judgment in the gerrymander case which was decided a few months since in favor of the republicans by the state supreme court. State Treasurer-elect Swain and State Comptroller-elect Hancock were requested to arrange an interview between their counsel and the lawyers of the committee. The consultation is to be over the steps to be taken to get the offices to which Messrs. Swain and Hancock have been elected.

Woman Suffragists Elect Officers.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The National Woman Suffrage association unanimously re-elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Susan B. Anthony; vice-president-at-large, Rev. Anna H. Shaw, of Pennsylvania; corresponding secretary, Rachel Foster Avery, of Pennsylvania; recording secretary, Alice Stone Blackwell, of Massachusetts, and treasurer, Harriet Taylor Upton, of Ohio. Ellen Battelle Dietrick, of Massachusetts, and Joseph ine Henry, of Kentucky, were elected auditors.

Deserted By Her Indian Husband.

YANKTON, S. D., Feb. 20.—Mrs. Chaska, nee Fellows, who was married at the Cheyenne river agency three years ago to a Santee Sioux Indian named Chaska, Samuel Campbell has found life unbearable with her dusky spouse and is now living apart from him in a small town in southern Nebraska. After two months of life on the reservation Chaska suddenly eloped with a young and buxom squaw. Mrs. Chaska then left the reservation with her half-breed children.

Wants Pay for Entertaining Officials.

BOSTON, Feb. 20.—A petition has been presented in the house on behalf of ex-Warden S. E. Chamberlain, of the state prison, and later of the Connecticut state prison, who asks that he be reimbursed for expenditures made for refreshments served from 1877 to 1890 at the Massachusetts state prison to governors, members of the executive council, inspectors of prisons, committees of the legislature and various state officers and for interest on the same so spent.

New York Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—The week opens with an irregular condition of business disclosed. Although a large number of buyers are reported arriving here, there has been no material increase in the number visiting the various commission houses, and spot transactions have proved decidedly moderate in extent on this account.

Will Tolerate No Lordly Changes.

LONDON, Feb. 20.—Herbert Asquith, the home secretary, has written a letter in which he declares that the government will insist upon the passage by the house of lords of the employers' liability bill in the exact form in which it was originally passed by the house of commons.

THE DAILY PRESS.

A. L. FORCE, - - Publisher and Proprietor.
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CIRCULATION EXCEEDS THAT OF ALL OTHER PLAINFIELD DAILIES COMBINED.

THE WEATHER:

For New Jersey: Increasing Cloudiness and Snow, Decidedly Colder, To-night and Wednesday; Winds Shifting to Northeasterly.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The grocers will close all day Thursday.

—Get fresh strawberries at Demarest's tomorrow.

—The Press will not be published Washington's Birthday.

—A martyr meeting will be held in the Congregational Church tomorrow evening.

—Severe thunder and lightning accompanied the clearing-up shower late last night.

—A meeting of the Bricklayers and Masons Union will be held tomorrow evening.

—The Plainfield coal dealers will close their yards and do no business on Washington's Birthday.

—A barrel of flour fell from a truck and discolored the mud on Somerset street yesterday afternoon.

—Workmen of Central Lodge, No. 48, are assured of an interesting and important meeting Thursday evening.

—A tame white rat, with pretty pink eyes, is a great pet of Robbie Meeker, son of the Street Commissioner.

—A full-dress rehearsal for the entertainment to be held Thursday evening was held in Grace M. E. Church last night.

—The arrangement committee of Iona Council met last night and distributed invitations for the masquerade ball to the members.

—The defective cornice in the new building at Watchung avenue and Fifth street is being replaced. The defect was due to frost in the mortar.

—Arnold, the Liberty street butcher, has everything to make a first-class dinner on Washington's Birthday. He sells Jersey turkeys at only 16 cents per pound.

—Rev. F. H. Wright, the Indian evangelist, is holding very successful revival meetings in Passaic. A number of Plainfield people will probably go to aid him this week.

—Constable W. B. Mattox this morning sold $80 worth of stock and fixtures in the saloon of Wm. Sullivan, on West Third street, to satisfy a judgment obtained by Frank Linke.

—Marshal Wilson arrested Peter P. Brown, of Stone street, last night on complaint of his wife. When put in a cell he tore his clothes and spent the night in shouting. An examination is to be made as to his sanity.

—A horse attached to the grocery wagon of William W. Wilson, of 264 West Third street, fell in front of the store of A. B. Thorn, Somerset street, shortly before 9 this morning. Much difficulty was experienced in raising the animal.

—Eleven Board of Trade bowlers will go to Westfield on the 7:03 train this evening to play with the Athletic Club there. They are: Messrs. VanEmburgh, Buckle, Maltby, Teal, Van Alstyne, Littell, Barnes, Petrie, Davis, Doane and Vail.

—The total attendance at the Salvation Army meetings last week was 2,424, divided as follows: Monday 38, Tuesday 125, Wednesday 150, Thursday 200, Friday 150, Saturday 550, Sunday 1,211. Thirty-eight took part in two marches on Tuesday.

—Some of the newsboys were a nuisance last night, hooting derisively in front of the store of the leader in the movement against them. The police very properly took them in hand, and those who do n't behave will be arrested. The newsboys must have their privileges, but they must not abuse them.

—A very good definition of a bargain is given in Edsall's advertisement in another column. He suggests that it may be a money-saver to those who read it. His display of new spring dress goods, embroideries, etc., is well worth an examination. Prices, he says, were never so low as now.

—At the C. Y. M. L. smoker to be held in the clubhouse, Thursday night, Clarence W. Rice will perform sleight-of-hand tricks and John Voehl will give humorous sayings. There will be singing by a local quintette composed of Edward C. Searing, Robert Schlereth, Elias Southard, Calvin Sutton and Fred Bowden.

—Cars 5 and 1 of the street railway almost collided in the fog on Somerset street, near Front, shortly before 11 last night. Car 1 was coming down, and Car 5 was loaded with Music Hall patrons. Both were stopped, and Car 5 was switched back to West Front street while Car 1 proceeded to the station.

—Waite's Comedy Company was such an attraction in Music Hall last night that the special policeman felt it his duty to enjoy it. The ruffians about the entrance rejoiced, but Policeman Frederickson came up and arrested Frank Marsh and a companion named Huertz. They will have a hearing in the City Court Saturday morning.

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by J. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. Harrison is in charge of Harned Academy again.

Chief Doane went to Newark on private business today.

Ran Dunn, of West Fourth street, is gradually improving.

Grocer George W. Rockfellow and wife left today for Atlantic City.

The young child of Everett Marsh, of West Third street, is quite ill.

Mrs. John Valiant is still confined to her home on Craig place by illness.

Robert Whittaker, lately with Hunting's Circus, is in town for a few days.

John A. Thickstun of Duer street is out again after an illness of a few days.

Miss Eick, of 301 East Third street, has returned from her visit to Bound Brook.

Robert Laughlin has passed the crisis of his illness, and is recovering under the care of Dr. Adams.

Miss Sophia Brower, now of Montclair, will spend Washington's Birthday with her mother on East Fifth street.

Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis will probably go to Atlantic City next week to spend the vacation of two weeks granted him by his congregation.

Robert Lucky, of 54 Westervelt avenue, slipped and fell this morning, spraining his leg quite severely. He went on to New York with crutches, however.

Owing to the serious illness of First Assistant Foreman Charles P. Leggett, the Alerts have decided to postpone their Washington Birthday anniversary supper.

Mrs. Annie T., wife of Wilson Fisk, died yesterday. The funeral will be from her late home on Woodland avenue tomorrow morning at 11, and the interment in Boston.

Mrs. Matthew Kenney, of West Front street, has received news of the dangerous illness of her mother, Mrs. Taylor Ziegler, of Valley, Hunterdon county, and will probably go to her home tonight.

Voorhees VanFleet, one of the old residents of the borough, was taken with spasms at his home, corner of Duer and Emily streets, early Saturday morning. Dr. Adams was summoned, and under his treatment Mr. Van Fleet is improving.

Dr. D. C. Adams reports that Charles P. Leggett is approaching his crisis, which is expected tonight. His condition is very critical. His brother from New York has been summoned. Mr. Leggett's father-in-law, Garret Van Winkle, is improving.

Mrs. M. P. Small, residing at the home of Mrs. John Lindsay, 424 West Front street, underwent a painful and successful surgical operation last Thursday. The operation was performed by Drs. Long and Murray. The patient is getting along nicely.

Fred Grant, son of F. W. Grant, is lying quite seriously ill at his home, 119 Grove street, as a result of injuries received in the coasting accident on the Broadway hill Saturday. His shoulder was dislocated and his chest badly bruised. Doctors Hutchens and Endicott are attending him.

Good Things to Eat. Buy and Listen to.

At the fair and festival to be held in Vincent Chapel Thursday and Friday, from 3 to 5 p. m., a fine assortment of useful and fancy articles will be offered for sale at reasonable prices, besides stationery, home-made candy, and other goods. The attention of the children is especially directed to the boys and girls table, most of the articles offered having been made by the children of the school. There will also be illustrated story of Cinderella, which will no doubt afford great delight to the little ones. Supper will be provided, a la carte, and P. Ludwig Conde will furnish the music.

Burning Brush Spoiled His Shave.

At 8:45 this morning a painter working on property belonging to Charles Hand on South avenue saw smoke rising in large volumes from behind the row of houses on which he was working. Someone called out to him that a shed was on fire, and that the buildings were in danger. The painter ran to Box 28 on South and Woodland avenues and sent in an alarm. The apparatus responded, but on arriving the firemen found that the smoke was caused by burning brush in a vacant lot on East Sixth street. The worst of it was that Chief Doane was interrupted in the midst of a comfortable shave.

News Direct from the Mission.

The McAll Auxiliary will hold a public meeting in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Church tomorrow afternoon at 3, which promises to be of unusual interest, as Rev. Charles E. Greig, M. A., of Paris, successor of the late Dr. McAll, and director of the McAll Mission, will deliver an address. All interested in the work are most cordially invited.

Maintain Plainfield's Reputation.

The Plainfield merchants have more than usual cause to display bunting on Washington's Birthday this year. The Second New Jersey Cavalry Regiment will be the guests of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., on the 22d, and Plainfield should make a patriotic showing of flags and colors to receive the soldier boys in proper spirit.

For hoarseness, sore throat and cough, take Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, the specific for affections of the throat and chest.

—Rev. Arthur Crane's services in the First Baptist Church will be as follows: Wednesday for business men, 7:45; Thursday for young people, 7:45; Friday for children, 4; Bible readings, Wednesday and Thursday at 3:30.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Rare Blooms that Come in the Spring.

Although the snows of winter still cover Plainfield flower gardens, the owners of these are already eagerly scanning the various catalogues distributed by the horticultural nurseries in this part of the country.

One of the most interesting of such catalogues seen by The Press is that of the Oasis Nursery Company, of Westbury Station, Long Island.

The interest in perusing its pages lies chiefly in the descriptions of "tuberous begonias", a variety of floral beauty seldom seen in this city, heretofore; but doubtless it will be cultivated this season by many Plainfielders who are ever eager to introduce a novelty in their flower plots, particularly when it is strikingly beautiful.

It is impossible to imagine a more beautiful sight than beds full of tuberous begonias in full bloom. Their colors range from pure white through all the shades of yellow, pink, orange, vermillion and red to the darkest crimson, in the brightest and most vivid as well as the more delicate shades and combinations. The singles average six inches in diameter, while the doubles are somewhat smaller, but fuller and more beautiful. Something still more novel is the hybrid variety, which are, strange to say of begonias, deliciously peformed, their scent resembling that of a delicate tea rose.

The lovers of horticulture owe to Adolph Ladenburg, of the big New York banking house of Ladenburg, Thalmann & Co., the credit of raising the perfection of the begonia family to its present high standard. He has devoted much time to the proper cultivation of the begonia, and he has had a faithful lieutenant in Thomas Griffen, manager for the Oasis Nursery Company.

Funeral of an Old Plainfielder.

The funeral took place Saturday, at his late residence in Mount Vernon, N. Y., of Edmund P. Sanger who for years was a well-known resident of Plainfield. His death was very sudden, in Brooklyn, on Wednesday, of heart failure. Mr. Sanger was born in Charlestown, Mass., in 1839. For years he was associated with Aaron Claflin & Co., and subsequently engaged in the men's furnishing business in Church street, New York. He was a man of refined manners and highly educated. He was a fluent French scholar. He leaves a widow and three children: Mrs. George W. Little, Charles F. Sanger, and Edmund P. Sanger. Mr. Sanger married Miss Susan Mundy. He lived in Peace street and later in Clinton avenue, Evona.

Popular Attractions in Music Hall.

Waite's Comedy Company presented "Mazie, the Romp" in Music Hall last evening to a large and delighted audience. The company is a clever one, and the music and specialties are great.

"Legally Dead" will be produced tonight. At 2 p. m. tomorrow the first of a series of matinees will be given. The utmost care is given to these matinee performances, being precisely the same as the regular night productions, and the admission has been placed at but one dime to any seat in the house.

To Receive the Cavalry.

The following committees have been appointed for the reception of the 2d New Jersey Cavalry on Thursday in the rooms of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R.:

On Collation—Mrs. Sarah M. Angleman, president; Mrs. M. C. Dobbins, chairman; Mrs. McVoy, Mrs. Brokaw, Mrs. Hannah Westphal, Mrs. Jennie Smith, Mrs. Edward Morse.

On Entertainment—The Misses Dowd, Nash, Graves and Westphal.

Parted and Reunited.

Early this morning a coal train from Mauch Chunk became separated near Garwood. When the engineer found his train had parted, he slowed up and the rear end coming down upon the front section derailed several cars and delayed traffic for some hours. No one was hurt, and this morning trains are running as usual.

BY THE WAY.

—A section of the front wall of Hotel Grenada is bulging, and Chief Doane has ordered it removed.

—The North Plainfield School Trustees invite all residents of the district to inspect the new school Thursday afternoon from 1 to 4.

—Past Sachems R. E. Seaman and Norman C. Magne were practicing yesterday for the long and weary walk to the Red Men's entertainment in Trenton tomorrow night.

—Through the agency of J. T. Vail the Hugh Vail property, a house and plot of land 50x160 on the corner of Second and Washington streets, has been sold to Mrs. Elizabeth Sherwin, mother of Horace Sherwin. The price paid is about $3,000.

—Stone Square Lodge, No. 38, F. and A. M., worked the third degree on two candidates last evening. Next Monday evening Grand Master Butts, of Camden, will be present, together with several Masons from New York.

—The West End bowling team, of Somerville, through its captain, J. Harvey Terwilliger, Jr., has arranged a game with Captain Charles E. Vail, of the Board of Trade team. It will be played Thursday afternoon at 2 on the Board of Trade alleys.

LIKE A THIEF IN THE NIGHT,

Consumption comes. A slight cold, with your system in the scrofulous condition that's caused by impure blood, is enough to fasten it upon you. Consumption is Lung-Scrofula. You can prevent it, and you can cure it, if you haven't waited too long, with Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. For Scrofula, Weak Lungs, Bronchitis, Asthma, and all severe, lingering Coughs PIERCE *guarantees* a CURE.

MRS. LINCOLN.

Before taking the "Discovery" I would have four or five bad coughing spells every day and would cough up mouthfuls of solid white froth, and before I took one bottle it stopped it. I could not walk across the room with the pain in my back and sides; but soon the pain was all gone, and I could sleep well at night. My general health is much better since taken the "Golden Medical Discovery" although I have been obliged to work hard on a farm.

MRS. JOHN LINCOLN.
Glen Annan, Huron Co., Ont.

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SCRUB and WASH as you will, it is not easy to keep the hands smooth and white in winter time. In fact, the more you scrub and wash, the rougher seems the skin, and you find that the best of soap fails to whiten it. Now if, after washing, you will moisten your hands with LEMON JUICE AND GLYCERINE, the effect will be to soften and whiten the skin, even in the worst weather. Used by hundreds of the "best people" in Plainfield. Originated and sold only by H. P. REYNOLDS, Pharmacist, Park and North avenues.

At Demarest's.

Fresh mushrooms, egg plant, cauliflower, tomatoes, cucumbers, lettuce, spinach, celery, green beans, new potatoes, new beats, radishes rhubarb and oyster plant. Read his ad for after-dinner cheeses.

Uncle Peter Did n't Appear.

Peter Wooden did n't appear before Magistrate Thomas R. Crosley last night against young William Blake whom he had had arrested for stealing $25 from his house, and the boy was discharged.

The irritation of the skin, so helpful in counteracting the tortures of rheumatism is promptly produced by Salvation Oil.

Another Coasting Accident.

While coasting on the Broadway hill last Saturday afternoon, Seigfried Arens of Eighth street came into collision with a tree, while steering a bob, and fractured an arm. It was set by Dr. Fritts.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY.—"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. Tkt. Sold by H. P. Reynolds, druggist, Plainfield. 12 6 3m

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WILL MOVE YOU.
Large Truck. Competent Men.
39 North avenue. Telephone 121. 2 13 tf

WANTED.

An experienced dressmaker wants a few more engagements by the day. S. T. Taylor system used. Address or call, M. W. B., 1314 Watchung avenue, or 326 East 2d st., Plainfield, N. J. 2 20 5

LOOK !

If you want to enjoy a good Washington Birthday dinner go to

CHARLES ARNOLD'S MARKET,
203 Liberty Street

And buy your turkeys. Just received one hundred choice Jersey turkeys at

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DEATHS.

FISKE—In this city Monday Feb. 19, 1894, Annie T., wife of Wilson Fiske.
Funeral services from her late residence, 251 Woodland avenue, Wednesday, Feb 21, at 11 a. m. Interment in Boston

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

WANTED—Two furnished rooms, 1st floor and located on Park avenue preferred. State place, price and particulars to Emack, care Press. 2 20 tf

TO LET—Large house and barn, Front street and Clinton avenue, Evona, opposite station. Wm. McD Cortell. 2 20 6

A GIRL wants a situation to do general housework. Apply 774 East 2d st.

A YOUNG lady would like to learn stenography; state lowest terms per lesson and what method taught. A. W., care Press.

BOY (16 years old) wants situation in a bakery. Address Baker, care Press.

HORSE wanted; the owner of a nine-year-old sorrel, kind and safe, would like to exchange for a young, lively horse that can be trained to saddle. Address X. Y. Z., care Press. 2 16 4

TO LET—Desirable second floor flat corner Watchung avenue and East 4th street; modern improvements; $15 per month. Inquire 215 East 5th st. 2 19 2

A RESPONSIBLE party desires to rent for one year a medium sized modern house in North Plainfield, west of Grove street, with option of purchase and applying rent on purchase money; terms must be easy and rent low. Address E. S. S., care Press. 2 19 6

WANTED—Rooms in private family for gentleman. E. K., care Press. 2 19 tf

TO LET—Partly furnished house on Craig place; all modern improvements. Inquire 218 West Front street. 2 19 3

FOR SALE—Cheap, heavy work horse. 265 West Front Street. 2 17 3

FOR SALE or exchange, bay pony, good driver; also fine saddle horse. 112 Lafayette place. 2 17 3

MONEY wanted to invest on gilt-edge Plainfield mortgages. Chas. A. Reed att'y, National Bank Building. 10 29 tf

PLEASANT rooms with board. 212 Watchung avenue. 2 15 1m

TO LET—Portion of furnished house to party who will board 3. Address Y., care Press. 2 12 tf

TO LET—April 1, seven-room house; furnished; centrally located; improvements. Furnished, care Press. 2 12 tf

WANTED—A Remington typewriter, and cabinet for same. G. B. Wean, 112 Plainfield avenue. 2 14 tf

TO LET—3 rooms on first floor, 4 rooms on second floor. Apply 404 West 3d st., cor. Central avenue. 2 14 6

TO LOAN, on 1st mortgage $600 $1,200, $1,700, $3,000. Mulford, broker. 2 7 tf

TO LET—10 room house; modern improvements; 127 East 5th st. Apply Wm. H. Brower, 432 Watchung avenue. 1 31 tf

AN elegant brick and brown stone house for sale or exchange for Plainfield property, on Halsey street, Brooklyn. Edward Love, corner North and Watchung avenues. 12 30 tf

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Highest Award. Gold medal and diploma at Wold's Fair.

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THE GROCER, Park ave. & 4th st. 1 27 tf

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Reasons for Their Success and for Being Very Busy Now

FIRST—It is the rule of the house to treat every one alike, and those that do not know the price of goods pay no more than those that are posted, as we have only one price for everybody.
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Our definition of a bargain, viz.: Genuine, good, seasonable goods sold at a less price than their actual value, and that is what we are doing every day in order to reduce our stock prior to removal into our new quarters in the Babcock Building.

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EDSALL'S

Great Clearance Sale of Boots & Shoes
—OVER—
8 THOUSAND PAIRS

Marked down in price. This is your opportunity if you want to get good reliable Footwear at manufacturer's prices.

DOANE & EDSALL.

IT HAPPENS EVERY DAY.

If you enquire here for what you want the chances are ten to one that it will be handed out to you at a price far below what you thought 'twould cost. It is simply our way of selling goods.

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Black Dress Goods—A good black dress you always want, and a good chance to buy one is offered you this week. Profits we drop and sell 50c. goods for 39c. 75c. goods for 55c. $1.00 goods for 75c.

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Let none such fail to see
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Ladies often like to go down among the large wholesale houses and buy of first hands. They will find at our salesrooms (the largest in the world) a rare collection of Art in Lamps. A catalogue to send you if you cannot come.

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At Netherwood

There is no better time to build a house than now. Men want work; you can build cheaply and at the same time help others. 2 9 tf

HATTER HALLOCK,
109 West Front Street,
Will be pleased to show you the latest styles in Hats, whether you wish to purchase or not.

EMULSION COD LIVER OIL
WITH HYPOPHOSPHITES.
Trial size only 35c. Full pint bottle 65c. Be sure you get
LEGGETT'S. Front Street and Park Ave.

International Fur Store,
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REPAIRED, ALTERED AND STORED.

THE 13 ORIGINALS.

ALL OLD LICENSES RENEWED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL.

Mr. Frost says If Whisky's a Good Thing, It Ought to Have Unrestricted Sale Without Tax—The Street Committee Stiffens Its Backbone on the Railway Extension Question—Council Economizes by Refusing to Macadamize Any More Streets.

All existing liquor licenses in Plainfield were renewed by the Common Council last night for another year. All new applications were refused.

The Council had a full house, both in membership and in lobby. It always has, license nights; and it never draws a crowd at any other time.

That's the sort of interest taken by taxpayers in local municipal matters.

Time was, when the crowd at license meetings was mainly composed of women, clergymen and laymen protesting against granting licenses.

Not one such was on the floor last night, for it was a foregone conclusion that the councilmanic eleven were going to win the game for license.

The grand-stand and bleacherites were so full that the sign Standing Room Only would have been put out if they'd had one. Spectators who could n't get in to the lobby, stood in the ante-room outside.

Some business was transacted in the regular order, but signs of impatience on the part of the liquor interest became evident, and on motion of Councilman Fisk the regular order was suspended to hear the report of the License Committee.

All but one of the license applications were reported as conforming to the ordinance, and the following licenses were granted:

Frank Linke, wholesale, 227 West Front street.

Fred-Caspar, hotel, 142-144 East Front street.

Daniel J. Crowley, hotel, 115 East Front street.

Jacob Blimm, hotel, 37-39 Somerset street.

Wallace V. Miller, hotel, 111-119 North avenue.

John E. Beerbower, hotel, Park avenue and Second street.

John J. Goff, hotel, 456 West Third street.

John J. Sullivan, saloon, 518 West Third street.

John Rafferty, saloon, 213 Park avenue.

James Connecly, saloon, 114-116 Park avenue.

Charles Smith, saloon, 116 West Front street.

E. F. Thorn, saloon, 125 Park avenue.

Alexander D. Finley, saloon, 123 East Second street.

On all but one of these (that of John J. Sullivan), the vote was as follows:

Aye—Councilmen Bird, Dumont, Erickson, Fisk, Frazee, Ginna, Millington, See, Stockton, Westphal—10.

No—Councilman Frost—1.

Messrs. Ginna and Stockton joined Mr. Frost in voting against John J. Sullivan's application—making the vote on that 8 to 3.

Mr. Frost voted to grant each petition for a hotel, but was opposed to the liquor clause. He said that he estimated many thousands of dollars going into the liquor dealers' coffers from poor people, and he did n't see why the city should enter into any combination with these men. He did n't see why whisky should be licensed at all; he felt that if it was a good thing at all everyone should have it, free of tax.

This last expressed view of Mr. Frost was hailed with signs of unmistakable approval from the large liquor contingent in the lobby.

Mr. Frost spoke further, and asked those who were voting so freely for bar rooms in the business centre how they would like a saloon, say at Park avenue and Seventh street.

No one replied.

The following license applications were refused:

James Hansen, 545 West Third street.

Michael F. Watson, 211-213 Grant avenue.

Wm. H. Lee, 682 West Third street.

The vote on the refusals was almost unanimous. Mr. Frazee alone voted to grant Hansen's and Mr. Westphal joined him in voting for Watson. Everyone voted solidly against Lee.

The refusal of these three applications was clinched later in the evening by Mr. Fisk's moving to reconsider them, and by the Council's vote of 10 to 1 against reconsideration, Mr. Frazee alone voting to reconsider. This was done as a precaution against the possibility of the applications coming up again.

When a vote had been taken on all of the original 13, Mr. Dumont moved that no more licenses be granted, without going through the formality of a vote on the remaining applications. Mr. Frazee held this to be unjust, as any one application had as much right to separate consideration as another. Mr. Ginna endorsed this view, and Mr. Dumont withdrew his motion. The voting then proceeded with results stated.

The application of Michael F. Watson was first reported as defective, because one of the signers was not a citizen when he signed. As he had become a citizen since, Mr. Fisk held his signature to be legal. Mr. Frazee sought to have the petition referred to Mr. Watson, but no one voted with him, and a motion to refuse it was then adopted.

The conclusion of the license business was followed by a great exodus of spectators, who poured from the Council Chamber, and into the saloons, some to congratulate the successful applicants, some to speculate on the causes of refusal to grant new licenses, and some to collect the fees they exacted for the use of their signatures on the applications.

For one has to buy signers in Plainfield now.

Much of the business transacted before the suspension of the regular order, was the reception of petitions on the license question.

The Ministers Association in a memorial protested against the licensing of any new applicant or new saloon, and against renewal to anyone convicted of illegal selling or disorder; and commended the propriety of not granting any license whatever.

A long list of West End citizens urged that their section be kept free from saloons, for the good of the community and the value of property; they wanted their homes defended, and their children protected from temptation.

Monroe Avenue Methodists especially protested against licensing Michael F. Watson, holding that a barroom there was unnecessary, and prejudicial to the interests of the community and Sunday-school.

Hope Chapel presented an earnest plea, stating that a large share of the poverty it was called on to alleviate, and crime to combat, was traceable to the use of strong drink. The section west of Plainfield avenue, made up so largely of homes, should be kept free from license.

All of these petitions received respectful attention, and were filed.

STREET RAILWAY EXTENSION.

Strict Terms Dictated in the Street Committee's Ultimatum Concerning the Dunellen Route.

An important report was made by Mr. Fisk of the Street Committee.

He said that several communications had passed between the committee and the Street Railway Company concerning the project to extend the tracks to Dunellen.

The last letter of the committee to the company had dictated the following terms, in addition to the conditions already exacted:

The West Front street extension from Grant avenue to Dunellen must be a single track, with turnouts not over 150 feet long, nor less than 500 feet apart.

The company must thoroughly macadamize the street from curb to curb, to a depth of four inches, and must pave with vitrified brick or similar pavement the roadway between the track and 18 inches on each side.

The company must stand the expense of grading to conform to the city maps.

The company must agree to pave with asphalt or any other pavement that Council might select, the roadway between the tracks and 18 inches on each side, on demand.

The rail used must be the side-bearing rail, and in this and other respects the original ordinance must be complied with.

The trolley wire must be well guarded to prevent contact with other wires.

The cars must be for passengers only, and must be run in trains. This is to satisfy the merchants who object to having trade diverted by the use of cars to carry goods.

After three years, in return for the valuable franchise, the company must pay into the city treasury at least three per cent. of the earnings.

The committee conceded the use of wooden poles, but they must be kept painted and in good order.

The Dunellen committee had reported that for the Dunellen end of the route the requisite amount of consents had not yet been secured, many of the original signers having withdrawn, but the Dunellen committee joined with the Plainfield committee in the conditions imposed.

It is expected that the reply of the company to the committee's letter will be made tonight, when a conference will be held in the Mayor's office.

MUNICIPAL MISCELLANY.

Another Fire Horse—No More Street Macadamizing — Doctors Dictate Sewers.

Considerable routine business was transacted besides the granting of hack and peddler licenses, the adoption of the minutes and the payment of bills.

A petition for an electric light in Division street between Sixth and Seventh, was referred to the Committee on Lights.

The Street Committee was given power to lay flagged walks in the neighborhood of Front and Richmond streets.

Thorpe & Ivins, the Watchung avenue coal and lumber dealers, petitioned for the privilege of making repairs to their office and tinning the roof of their lumber sheds. The Committee on Fire and Buildings was given power to grant. To the same committee was referred the petition of Thorpe & Ivins to stretch a big signboard across the sidewalk.

Resolutions from the Plainfield Medical Association urging the imperative and immediate necessity of a sanitary sewerage system, for the well-being of the inhabitants, were received and filed.

In accordance with the notification of the Public Library Directors that $3,000 would be needed this year for operating expenses, it was decided to incorporate that amount in the tax ordinance when prepared.

The Tax Assessor's books showing a duplication of assessment on Prospect avenue lots, were corrected.

An ordinance was passed on second reading and ordered engrossed and advertised preparatory to final adoption, establishing the line of West Front street from Grant avenue to a point 1,280 feet west, as already laid out, the petitioners therefor donating land and waiving all claims. The legal line of the street is 25 feet away from the existing line, and it is proposed to make the existing line legal without any change or trouble.

The bond of Constable Amos Moffett was ordered recorded.

Vincent W. Nash was made Delinquent Tax Collector for another year, at the reduced income of 3 per cent. on '93 taxes, and 5 per cent. on taxes of '92 and previous years. Collector John Johnson offered to do the delinquent collecting on the same terms, but the Councilmen all felt that Mr. Nash had proved himself especially fitted for the work, and as a proof of their satisfaction in him they all voted that he be retained.

Because James E. Bailey declined to continue renting his horses and drivers to the city for fire duty, it became necessary to fill the vacancies, and the Fire Committee was authorized to spend $150 for a new horse, and to make whatever trading should be necessary for mating; also to retain the driver the city expected to do away with and hire another driver besides. This does away with all hiring of horses, and the city will own all of those in use for fire duty.

Because the petitioners therefor had not paid in their subscriptions to have the work done, an ordinance was passed on second reading and ordered engrossed and advertised preparatory to final passage, repealing the ordinances to macadamize East Fourth street, Woodland avenue and West Third street.

Mr. Fisk stated that this removed from the books all unfulfilled macadamizing ordinances, except that to macadamize North avenue from Richmond to Berckman street, which was to be done by private subscription when the new freight-house was built.

He said that the growth of the city dictated that it was time to stop new macadamizing at the expense of the general fund, and he moved that because of the business depression and the need of decreasing public expenditure no new macadamizing be done this year except by assessing the full amount of cost on the property benefited. This was unanimously carried.

All voted in favor of a motion by Mr. Fisk that from Feb. 19 on, The Evening News be added to the list of official newspapers of the city.

Real Estate, Rents and Taxes.

To THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—My previous communication on the subject of rents, referred, as you say, to the more expensive dwellings, viz: the Wadsworth house on Central avenue.

Let us take a class of lower price houses, which formed so large a part of Mr. Male's property and possibly the larger proportion of our homes in Plainfield.

I allude to his houses in First, Second, and Third places and Ninth street from Watchung to Central avenues.

The cheaper of these are in lots say from 40 to 60 ft. by 200 ft., with a good garden and every convenience, costing the owners, and now held at, $7,500. These houses, to return the landlord a fair interest with our present rate of taxes, should bring from $600 to $650 per annum. But the class I allude to are offered freely and find slow tenants at $500. Let us see the result:

Rents, say		$500
Less taxes on $5,500, say $2.25	$80	
Annual repairs, say 1½ per cent., average	105	
Insurance, say	15	
	200	
Net		$300

or, say 4 per cent

A comparison with more expensive dwellings in this same vicinity, costing, say from $9,000 to $12,000, would be still more unfavorable, and these costing above those figures would not return over 2½ per cent.

Bear in mind, too, that these results predicate the leasing of properties promptly every year. But, supposing he misses a tenant for only one year, his taxes, assessments and insurance do not cease, and reduces his income very largely on the average.

No, Mr. Editor, our rents are not high. They do not show a fair return to the investor for his capital, and I consider them very low for the advantages derived. In my next, I shall endeavor to show where some of the evils lie.

One word as to your Philadelphia contributor and his comparisons, for I, too, am from the Keystone, and a resident in Philadelphia.

It is safe to say his $25 to $30 houses were not located either in

Market, Arch, Race or Vine,
Chestnut, Walnut, Spruce or Pine—

as the old couplet ran. But his little, two-story brick, built up solid on two sides, and ventilation only from one quarter, 18x20 ft. front by 50 or 60 ft. deep, with a yard barely large enough to dry the wash, was situated down in Moyamensing or up in the Northern Liberties; and with a tax rate of only $1.75 to $1.80 against $2.24 how is it possible to make a comparison?

M.

[The desirability of the Male style of houses is not as great in the eye of the prospective tenant as that of the much cheaper and more modern frame dwellings, whose total cost, with land, runs from $2,800 to $4,000, and which rent for $30 to $40 a month. We should like the information of our correspondent concerning this latter class of dwellings, of which tenants complain the supply in Plainfield does not equal the demand, thereby affording the landlords an opportunity of exacting higher rents for them than they could otherwise get.—ED.]

The Library Will Celebrate.

The Public Library will be open during the usual hours Feb. 22, Washington's Birthday. The energetic librarian, Miss Adams, has arranged that on this day visitors will have a special opportunity of studying the life and times of Washington. In honor of the occasion, the handsome parlor of the library will be decorated with flags, and an admirable bust of Washington by Hiram Parker, and then thrown open to the public. On the tables will be found reference books treating of the events, names and customs of the Revolutionary period.

How's This!

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

West & Truax, wholesale druggists, Toledo, O.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. a bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free. 7 30 3y

The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands can testify. Proper local treatment is positively necessary to success, but many, if not most, of the remedies in general use afford but temporary relief. A cure certainly cannot be expected from snuffs, powders, douches and washes. Ely's Cream Balm, which is so highly commended, is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power, with perfect safety and pleasantness to the patient. The druggists all sell it. 2 23 y

2,000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from O. W. Mason, Parma, Ills., says: "I consider your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have been in the drug business fourteen years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gave such universal satisfaction." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents. 12 22 y

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell; 25c., 50c. and $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 203 North ave., Plainfield, N. J. opp. railroad station.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good. Price 50c. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 203 North Ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

Shiloh's Cure, the great cough and croup cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains 25 doses, only 25c. Children love it. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 203 North ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

DOINGS IN CONGRESS

Democrats Caucus on the Bland Bill.

New York Members Severely Censured and the Seigniorage Bill Given the Right of Way—The Senate to Investigate a Matter Reflecting on Mr. Quincy—Hawaiian Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The senate committee on printing was instructed by the senate yesterday, under a resolution offered by Mr. Hale (rep., Me.), to investigate all the facts and circumstances connected with the contract of the National Lithographing company of Washington, D. C., for the publication of the Patent Office Gazette. The investigation arises out of a long and circumstantial newspaper statement, charging Mr. Josiah Quincy, of Massachusetts, late assistant secretray of state, with having used his official and personal influence to have the contract taken from a company which had had it for many years, and had executed it satisfactorily, and given it to a company which had had no previous existence, and no facilities for executing the contract, and in which he had a large personal interest. After some further morning business Mr. Daniel (dem., Va.) addressed the senate in defense of President Cleveland's action in regard to Hawaii, stigmatizing Minister Stevens' conduct as "the presumptuous, vicious freak of an eccentric minister." About 2:30 he suspended his remarks in order to allow a message to be received from the president of the United States. This message announced the nomination of Senator White of Louisiana as associate justice of the supreme court of the United States. Half an hour later, (and without concluding his speech) Mr. Daniel again yielded the floor in order that the senate might go into executive session for confirmation of the nomination. This was done in quick order.

The doors were opened again at 4:30, when the communication from the president sending all despatches and reports received from Hawaii since those last sent, was read. It included President Dole's letter to Mr. Willis, already published, and Mr. Willis' reply, with several other communications. Mr. Willis, in his letter of transmittal to Secretary Gresham, says this letter "will, on my part, end the correspondence upon the subject."

In his answer to Mr. Dole Minister Willis refers to an interview in a local paper and says his action was meant and understood at the time as in the interest of peace, humanity and good order, and after this explanation he trusts will no longer be considered as an evidence of hostility.

Mr. Willis concludes as follows: "Thus without unnecessary comment, I have considered and endeavored to explain those portions of your correspondence which bore upon the question of the 'purpose to use force,' and the responsibilities arising therefrom.

"While duly respecting the doctrine of non-interference by the representative of another government with your domestic affairs, I shall rejoice to know that anything I have done or said now or heretofore, has tended to a better understanding of recent events in your history and of motives and of intentions as to which there may be, as you state 'mutual misapprehension.'"

The motion to print was laid over, at the request of Mr. Hoar (rep., Mass.).

A conference was agreed to on the Oklahoma railroad bill and Senators Berry (dem., Ark.), Blackburn (dem., Ky.) and Pettigrew (rep., S. D.) were appointed conferees on the part of the senate, which then (at 4:45 p. m.) adjourned.

House of Representatives.

Another day was spent by the house in a fruitless endeavor to secure a quorum that would vote in favor of taking up Mr. Bland's bill to coin the seigniorage of the treasury bullion. In the course of the afternoon a call for a caucus was circulated and signed, and at 4 o'clock, upon the motion of Mr. Bland, the house adjourned in order to give the democratic members an opportunity to consult upon the situation and to determine, if possible, upon a policy to be pursued by the majority of the house. In the morning hour a senate bill was passed granting to the Des Moines Rapid Power company the right to construct and maintain a canal and wing dam along and in the Mississippi river, in Hancock county, Ill.

Democratic Caucus.

The caucus was noticeable for two reasons. In the first place the utmost harmony existed among the 130 gentlemen present, on every material proposition having reference to the Bland seigniorage bill, and secondly, for the severe criticism indulged in by the members upon the action of the New York democrats, who have refrained from voting to make a quorum for the past week, and who were absent at the caucus. A resolution by Mr. Bland, that it is the sense of this caucus that it is the duty of every democratic member of this house now absent, unless on account of sickness of himself or family to immediately return to discharge the duties of his office; and that it is the duty of every democratic member of this house to attend the daily session thereof; and that it is the duty of every democratic member to record his vote for or against the pending silver bill to the end that a quorum be obtained and said bill speedily disposed of and the house proceed to other business, was adopted. A resolution by Mr. Bland, making the the pending bill the special order of business to the exclusion of all else until disposed of, was also adopted, and a radical resolution by Mr. Boatner providing for fines for failure to vote and make a quorum was voted down.

No Warrant for Mr. Millis.

BOSTON, Feb. 20.—Mr. Arthur S. Leland, receiver for the Millis company, which assigned recently, says that there is no truth whatever in the statement that a warrant had been issued for Mr. Henry I. Millis, the president of that company, nor does any one want him that he knows of.

Keppler, the Cartoonist, Dead.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Joseph Keppler, the cartoonist and editor of Puck, died suddenly yesterday afternoon at his home in this city from spinal trouble.

14 Recruits Sworn in.

Over 800 attended the special meeting of the Salvation Army last night.

Fourteen recruits were sworn in by Major Evans, assisted by Ensign Wood and Captain Marsh of the department headquarters.

They were: T. C. Price, S. W. Mimms, H Crouse, Arthur Jackson, J. Ageney, Wm. VanHorn, G. H. VanNest, Joseph McDonald, Anna Fisher, Fannie Millwood, Katie Herlick, Ida Johnson, Bertha Naylor, and Mrs. G. H. VanNest.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure For sale by L. W. Randolph. 21 West Front street. Price $1.00

Wheat Prospects in Kansas.

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 20.—The grain men all say that the recent heavy snow will make a wheat crop of 100,000,000 bushels in Kansas, despite the low price of wheat and the dry weather last fall. The area seeded was over 4,500,000 acres, according to the latest report of the state board of agriculture. This is a greater area than produced the phenomenal crop of 1892. The area that year was 4,300,000 acres. The official crop estimate was 72,500,000 bushels, but many of the best grain shippers in Kansas do not hesitate to declare that the state produced 100,000,000 bushels that year. Wheat from that crop is yet coming to market.

Mexican Steamship Line.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 20.—A line of fast freight steamships between Baltimore and Tampico, Mexico, will soon be in operation. A party of Baltimoreans who are interested in the proposed line are now in Mexico arranging the details. The products of the Maryland and West Virginia coal mines and coke ovens find a ready sale in Mexico, and it is to develop this trade that the steamship line will be established. The Johnston line, which is now running steamers between this port and Liverpool, will establish the line to Mexico. The coal and coke for Mexico.

Strike of Trenton Potters.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 20.—So far as can be learned less than fifty of the striking potters have reported for work under the threat that their places would be filled by other men. These represent so many different branches of the trades that none of the shut-down potteries are able to resume operations. A certain number of men is required in each department of a pottery before ware can be made and the prospect of getting the necessary number of hands is not considered bright.

Prominent Physicians Arrested.

HUNTINGDON, Pa., Feb. 20.—Drs. S. M. Brown, a well-known physician of Franklin county, and J. B. French, of Springfield township, this county have been arrested charged with criminal malpractice on a young daughter of S. L. Rohner, of Springfield township. The arrests were made on the strength of a statement made by the girl, whose condition gives no hope of her recovery.

Wages and Dividends Akin.

BOSTON, Feb. 20.—The Boston News Bureau says: We understand that there will be no reduction in wages on the Boston & Albany or New York, New Haven & Harford roads unless at the same time dividends are reduced. Presidents Bliss and Clark are both emphatic in the statement that they will reduce wages when they reduce dividends, although this does not commit them to either reduction.

Supplying Europe With Oysters.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—A special to the Tribune from Milford, Conn., says: The Merwin Oyster company of this city has just received an order for 1,000 gallons of oysters from European dealers, and have chartered the New York transport boat Manhattan to deliver the goods. Other firms in this state have also received big European orders.

Death of an Aged Printer.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 20.—William T. Stansbury, who was probably the oldest printer in active service in the United States, is dead. He entered the service of the Sun in 1837, and remained in its employ without interruption until his death. He was at his case as usual Friday night. He was 78 years old.

Plans for Massachusetts' Unemployed

BOSTON, Feb 20.—Gov. Greenhalge will meet a committee of the unemployed of this city this afternoon to receive a petition and a plan for the relief of the unemployed, in which the construction of public works bears an important part.

Increased the Hours of Labor.

THOMPSONVILLE, Conn., Feb. 20.—The Hartford Carpet company has started up to run 40 hours a week. The mills have been running ten days a month since November.

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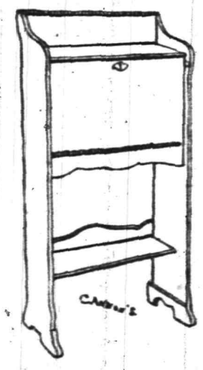

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Darning cotton	1c card
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Nutmeg graters	1c each
Carpet tacks	1c package
4 yds. roll tape, all sizes	2c each
Darning wool	2c card
Bent hooks and eyes	2c card
Ball darning cotton	2c ball
Wardrobe hooks	2c each
Machine cotton	2c spool
Ball tinsel	2c ball
Knitting cotton, large balls	2c each
Safety pins, all sizes	3c dozen
Curtain pins	3c dozen
Hand brushes	3c each
Sink brushes	3c each
Dish mops	3c each
Coat hangers	3c each
Cabinet of hair pins	3c each
Tracing wheels	3c each
Toweling	3c yard
Screw drivers	3c each
Hair crimpers	3c dozen
Gimlets	3c each
Meat forks	3c each
Biscuit cutters	3c each
100 yard spool silk	4c spool
Linen thread	4c spool
Machine oil cans	4c each
Lamp burners	4c each
Black pins	4c box
Bon-Ami	5c cake
100 brass head nails	for 5c
144 shoe buttons	for 5c
Metal dress stays	5c dozen
Chimney cleaners	5c each
No 4 Bixby blacking	5c box
School ink	5c bottle
25 yds. picture wire	for 5c
Blue seal vaseline	5c bottle
Fine tooth brushes	5c each
Rubber dressing combs	5c each
Rubber fine combs	5c each
Hair curlers	5c each
Nickel match safes	5c each
Darning lasts	5c each
Coin purses	5c each
Machine oil	5c bottle
Pocket mirrors	5c each
Bread toasters	5c each
Sink shovels	5c each
Attachable corset steels	5c pair
Knitting cotton	5c ball
Large dust pans	6c each
Ammonia, the best	8c bottle
Soap shakers	8c each
Stockinet dress shields	8c pair
Pure rubber dress shields	10c pair
1,000 sheet toilet paper	10c package
India tape, assorted	8c dozen
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CHAPTER XV.

MANGAN AT WORK IN DENVER.

Where was Mangan?

Even his professional associates had come to the conclusion that he it was whose body had lain in the morgue. The newspapers had notices of the death. The Bugle's managing editor said that Mangan must have had a few hundred dollars about him and that he had probably been clubbed, robbed and thrown into the river. But the coroner's jury declared that Mangan had committed suicide, and that settled it as far as the public was concerned.

All the while Mangan was very much alive.

The day after the penitentiary incident he drew some money from a trust company where he had a small account and a few hours later was on the fast express to Denver. He had never been in that hustling city, knew absolutely no one in it and had not made up his mind what particular course to pursue.

It was six days after he met Raymond in the penitentiary and five days before the announcement that the body in the morgue was his own corpse, when he reached his journey's end. He had taken a couple of days in going around town. It would do him no harm to get a view of the place and gain a slight acquaintance with the topography. He might remain there for weeks, and the knowledge would be of service to him.

Had he parted with Isabel under circumstances more encouraging, he would have written. But, as he had intimated to Mother St. Gertrude, he had no intention of writing to either the nun or Isabel until he knew the probability of success or defeat. He had been given no hint that Isabel herself knew of the heritage that was hers, and he deemed it unwise to hold out hope until he had pushed his investigation further. He had thought of writing a note, giving his address, so that Isabel, if she felt so inclined, might write a letter of explanation that would relieve him of the mental strain her last reception had placed him under. But he resolved not to do so. He would continue to prove his loyalty and fight for the millions that were rightfully hers in her possession. He was too proud to exact any promise while engaged in this mission, and the enigmatical utterances of the girl and the mother superior, though puzzling, gave no indication that their solution would be unfavorable to his conduct and character. He would wait the outcome patiently.

But his plans to ferret out the crime he was certain Raymond was guilty of remained undefined. One thing he had decided on. He would seek a situation on a newspaper. He could learn more of a city and its people in a newspaper office than anywhere else. The place would afford better advantages for observation than any other, and there would be at least a few men on the staff sufficiently well posted to go back to the days of Leland and help Mangan in his mission.

"I don't know that I can fix you," said the city editor of the Denver Times. "You're from the east, you say? Do you know anything about consumption?"

"I have some medical knowledge."

"Well, we have decided to give a prize of $1,000 to the physician who can suggest the best remedy for consumption. We have tried all the other schemes, coupons and the like, you eastern newspaper men have started. We want to boom the circulation. We'll get physicians interested, and there are enough floating consumptives in Colorado to give a big circulation in themselves to any paper," smiling as he said it.

"We have sent to Koch and other eminent European scientists for their opinions of the public service this contest may render," the city editor continued. "When we get these views, we will push the scheme by interviews with local physicians. We want a man who can talk intelligently to these men.

"We'll try you. Call in tomorrow, and I'll have a list of names and addresses. We must have these interviews ready. Of course if the first do not show your aptitude for the work we will have to let you go."

"That's proper," remarked Mangan. "I'll call in about 12."

"That will suit."

Next day Mangan received the list from the city editor. He went over to a desk, looked over the names and was surprised to see among them this:

"George Leland, M. D., St. James hotel."

He returned to the city editor, and pointing to the name on the list asked:

"Do you know anything about the Lelands?"

"The Lelands?"

"Yes."

"There's only one—the doctor himself. His father was killed many years ago, when the present doctor was a little fellow. His father was an eccentric man, and it is believed left some property in the east. But it never was located. Dr. Leland doesn't need it anyhow. What made you ask?"

"I thought he belonged to a family in whom I am interested."

"You've made a mistake, I guess. He's away up on lung complaints, and his will be one of the first interviews I want. You'll find him a sociable fellow."

Mangan was feverish with excitement. But he looked self contained. There was no visible sign to betray his emotions. He left the office to collect his thoughts in the cool air beyond the city editor's notice.

"Is this Isabel's brother?" he asked himself as he walked in the direction of the St. James hotel. "What is the mystery surrounding this? I'll talk to him on the assignment until I have studied him. Then I'll see what he knows of his relatives. And yet maybe it is only another coincidence."

He sent up his card to Dr. Leland and was ushered into the physician's presence.

"I am glad to meet you," said Dr. Leland. "We were expecting you. Have you seen Mr. Mortimer?"

Here was a surprise. If Dr. Leland knew Mortimer and the latter was in Denver, something was wrong. There were three in the scheme instead of one. Else how could this address be accounted for? If his mission was known, and the language of the doctor left that inference, it was Mangan's policy to be bold. The physician saw his words had not a pleasant effect, Mangan surveying him with unfriendly eye, and he said:

"You come in answer to Mr. Mortimer's letter?"

"I did not. I know nothing of him—nothing of him at present, I mean. I am a reporter of the Denver Times and called to interview you on a subject connected with your profession."

"Then you have not come in answer to this note? You are not the Mangan he knows—Mangan of Brooklyn."

"I am the Mangan he knows if he is the Mortimer who knows that rascal Raymond."

"The same."

"Then I am sorry to meet you as a friend of either."

"Mr. Mortimer talks not that way of you. He said you were the one man to unravel the incidents that the death of my father have shrouded in mystery. I have depended on you to restore me to my sister. Mr. Mortimer may give you some clew."

"Why does he do this?"

"He came to understand Raymond's character and the nature of his own work for him by recent news received. In looking over the home papers he saw he had been sent out here to be out of the way. He is acquainted with Raymond's schemes to gain control of property my father owned. He believes Raymond knows where my sister is, and since he wrote the letter you say you did not receive he has read in The Bugle a story of the work of the commission that will select the lands my father left and have the city purchase them and pay Raymond. But the story did not expose the scheme fully, and Mr. Mortimer said you could not have written it."

"I did."

"Then you did not know."

"I did, all that you have told and more, but the ends of justice would be best subserved by delaying its publication."

"Have you any clew to my sister?"

"She is alive and well, worthy of the wealth she is heiress to."

"Where is she?"

"You can learn no more until I see how matters stand. It is the old story: 'When rogues fall out, honest people get their due.'"

"I would not say that," said Dr. Leland. "It might travel and pain his sister. If you knew her well, you would understand how sensitive she is, and as he has not long to live his acquiescence to Raymond's schemes should not be made known to her."

"I would do anything for Inez Mortimer."

"Yes, she was telling me about you. That's why I spoke. She said she would like to see you when she learned that you were coming here on a newspaper mission. I must pay a visit a little later—a professional visit—and arrange for an interview with Mortimer if he is strong enough. She would like to hear of a Miss Le Clair. She delayed writing until she was settled. Shall I bring her any news?"

"I am glad to meet you," said Dr. Leland.

"That she is well. That is good news to you too."

"To me?"

"Yes."

"I may as well tell you, since I am satisfied I am dealing with friends, not foes. She is your sister."

"My sister?"

"Yes."

"Explain!"

"I simply know this: She was placed in a convent when your father came west"——

"Bringing me with him."

"That I only know from you. There was no one to claim her heritage and yours, so Raymond proposes to take possession. It is to get proof of his villainy that I am here. Have you anything to show that your father made those investments and that she is your sister?"

"I have not. The lawyer who had charge of his affairs in the east is dead, Mortimer tells me, and Raymond has the papers."

"Raymond has the papers?"

"Yes. He and Mortimer succeeded the lawyer in whose office they were. I should say that Raymond succeeded him, for Mortimer allowed Raymond to assume the control, although the business was willed to both jointly. Mortimer said you would understand him better."

"But did your father leave no papers to show his business dealings?"

"The papers relating to his eastern investments and a sealed will were with the lawyer whom Raymond succeeded. Raymond must have known of our location. The sealed papers told that. My father when stricken down could only say, 'Telegraph east.' He had faith in the lawyer, it appeared from this, and wanted him to hear the news. He lost consciousness before he could make a statement. He was very uncommunicative and had so much faith in his strength and purpose that, since Mr. Mortimer told me, I have often wondered why he ever made a will."

"What has become of the papers?"

"Raymond has destroyed them, Mr. Mortimer believes. In fact, when Raymond first took the certificate for the property he now holds, he told Mr. Mortimer that the heirs had died and the family had become extinct. The guardian and executor named by the public administrator here to manage affairs for me has frequently assured me that it was impossible ever to discover my relatives. I became reconciled to that view long ago. I can hardly believe now that I am about to meet my sister. Why is she called Le Clair?"

"It was a whim of hers—the name by which her guardian was known in the world, and she assumed it. I am sure your sister will be restored. I am afraid, unless Mortimer can be depended on, your property will not."

"Property? Never mind the property! I want my sister, and whomsoever wishes may have the land. But if Raymond has been responsible for our long separation, as I think he has, I'll spend every cent I have to punish him for his perfidy."

"And yet the greatest punishment you can inflict—the deprivation of millions—you will not avail yourself of. Why not get Mortimer to testify?"

"He will never leave his bed alive. He was sent out here to die."

"Take his statement, then, attested before a notary."

"No."

"You are a strange character. You are setting aside millions and what would be more to me in a case like yours—vengance."

"True, but his sister will live. I mean to conceal from her the part her brother has played. He was weak and not culpable. I have promised—you are a man to be frank with—to protect her. The promise was given to him after my confession of love for her as an answer to his appeal to hold no resentment against her for any wrong he might have done to me or mine. Do you realize my position?"

"I do. There is an old saying that 'the devil takes care of his own.' He is saving Raymond."

"Well, let's leave that for the moment. Talk about yourself. I want to know more of you. I have had it dinned constantly in my ears of late that you are a manly fellow. That was Mr. Mortimer's view, and I'm glad to meet you. Miss Mortimer in speaking of her friend—my sister—has referred to you in terms of no less praise. I understand your affection for a sister I have never seen. I am delighted that one so honorable is so dear to her."

Mangan was unable to check the flow of speech. Here in Denver, where he expected to find no friends, his affairs were no secret. He had read that Mortimer was seeking health in Colorado, but Mortimer he had always considered a friend of Raymond, and he would be about the last he would visit. Did Dr. Leland really know Mangan? the latter asked himself. If he did not, was it not likely that his zeal to win Isabel her heritage might be looked upon as selfish? Mangan was not willing to leave grounds for such an impression, and when the suggestion of its probability flashed to his mind he said:

"I am grateful, doctor, for your kind words. But your sister has changed her opinion of me. I am here to bring about her happiness. You are glad at the prospects; she will be doubly so. I will now drop my quest—after we see Mortimer, I mean—and you will settle the rest as suits you. But I must never see her again."

"Why? What is the matter?"

"I do not know. Some day Isabel may explain why she has discouraged me. And yet I have never doubted her love. There is something wrong. But it's all ended now."

"What can I say? I know nothing."

"There is nothing you can say or do. I will now return to The Times office and resign, so that they may assign another man to the work. You see Mortimer, and I will call upon you later."

The newspaper man never forgets his duty to his paper. He may be surrounded by danger, the man most exposed or injured, but he never regards his own comfort. It is the credit that will attach to his paper through his labors and the discredit that may issue through his neglect that come first to his mind. Hence Mangan retraced his steps to The Times office to apprise the city editor of his determination to leave Denver and resign the work he had undertaken.

"Where next?" he queried of himself. "God only knows. I'll finish the story of that park commission, send it to The Bugle and give Raymond one parting shot. But since Isabel's situation is changed and her future showing up so brightly there is no reason why I should ever stay near her convent home. Dr. Leland gives up the fight for the property. He has enough. I am not wanted, and I'll seek in other scenes the waters of Lethe that will drown the memories of the past."

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Leave Plainfield 5 14, 5 57, 6 32, 6 55, 6 58, 7 28, 8 09 7 38, 7 50, 7 55, 8 03, 8 15, 8 37, 8 51, 9 05, 9 28, 10 04, 10 37 11 24, A. M., 12 06, 1 14, 2 07, 2 50, 3 13, 4 01, 4 03, 4 54, 4 56, 5 06, 5 20, 6 04, 6 10 37 11 24, A. M., 12 06, 1 14, 2 07, 2 50, 3 13, 4 01, 4 03, 4 54, 4 56, 5 06, 5 20, 6 04, 6 10, 7 06, 8 05, 9 20, 10 17, 11 20 P. M. Sunday—2 14, 5 27, 6 05, 6 32, 11 24, 11 20 A. M., 12 52, 1 42, 3 35, 5 38, 6 56, 7 05, 9 20, 9 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 20, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 9 10, 10, 11 05, A. M., 1 10, 1 35, 2 20, 3 30, 4 05, 4 40, 5 15, 5 45, except Saturday, 6 30 6 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 9 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 7, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 P.M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.
Leave Plainfield 5 28, 6 30, 6 59, 7 26, 7 40, 8, 8 40 9 23, 10 04, 10 37, 11 24, A. M., 12 06, 1 14, 2 07, 2 50, 3 13, 4 01, 4 50, 5 54, 6 54, 7 08, 8 48, 10 17, 11 30 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 24, A. M., 12 52, 1 42, 3 30, 5 38, 6 56, 7 05, 9 20, 9 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark, 6 15, 7 15, 7 45, 8 15, 8 30, 9 00, 10 05, 11 35 A.M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 20 Saturday only, 2 50, 3 35, 4 05, 4 35, 5 05, 5 35, 6 50, 8 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 40, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 50, 11 35, A. M., 1 30, 3 05, 4 10, 5 45, 7 30, 9 35, 10 30 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.
Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m. 12 43 2 09, 3 25, 5 45, 6 36, 8 05, 9 14, 9 54, 6 04, 8 50, 9 38, 7 12, 7 36 9 17, 10 36, 11 06, P. M. 12 37 night Sunday—6 45, 8 26, 9 54, A.M., 2 06, 6 26, 8 14, 9 17 p. m. 12 37 night.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 26, 7 36, 7 45, 8 20, 9 05, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 46, 2 06, 2 36, 4 23, 4 28, 5 30, 6 20, 6 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 5 26, 11 00 A. M., 12 08, 1 16, 5 05, 6 30, 8 08, 9 26, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON
Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A.M., 12 43, 2 09, 6 05, 6 34, 7 56, 8 17 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 26 A. M. 2 06, 6 26, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 53, A.M., 12 32, 4 04, 7 26 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.
Leave Plainfield 9 54, a m 5 05, 5 14 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.
6 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 51 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 43 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 09 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Bangor Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk, Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 58 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

8 17 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 26 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin Williamsport, &c., 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, High Bridge Branch, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 4.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 14p. m

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c
Leave Plainfield 8 37, 9, 11 24, a. m., 1.14, 4 01, p. m. 6 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 8 53, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 6 58, 8, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, 4 50, 5.54, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 37, 8, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.
Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 45, 6 44 8 48, 10 45, a. m., 2 09, 3 43, 5 34, 8 50 8 17, 9 37 p. m., 1 17, night. Sundays—5 45, 8 48, a. m., 3 30, 8 14, 9 17 p. m., 1 17, night.

For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 38, 10 45, a. m., 12 43, 2 09, 5 34, 8 50, 8 17, p. m., 1 17 night, Sunday, 5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 08, 8 17 p. m., 1 17 night.

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From 26th and Chestnut—8 55, 9 12, 11 14, a m. 3 30, 6 12, 8 16, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—3 56, 11 14 a m., 3 30, 6 12, 8 16, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 4 55, 9 07, 10 25, a.m. 12 12, 3 10, 4 12, 5 54, 9 15 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 10 27 a. m. 12 12, 4 32 5 49, 9 15 p. m.

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JAMES T. MACMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 20, 1894.

AN ORDINANCE

to repeal certain ordinances relating to the permanent improvement of certain streets.

The inhabitants of the city of Plainfield, by their common council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the ordinances entitled as follows, that is to say:

(1.) "An Ordinance providing for the repairing and permanent improvement of certain portions of the roadbed of East Front street and certain other streets in the City of Plainfield", approved Oct. 9, 1889,

(2.) "An Ordinance for the repairing and permanent improvement of Woodlawn Avenue", approved Dec. 8, 1891,

(3.) "An Ordinance for the repair and permanent improvement of a portion of West Third Street", approved Dec. 6, 1892, be and the same are hereby repealed.

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J. T. MACMURRAY,
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Plainfield, N. J., February 20, 1894.

AN ORDINANCE

An ordinance to regulate and establish the centre-curb and sidelines, and the grade of West Front street, from Grant avenue to a point 1283 feet westerly therefrom.

The inhabitants of the City of Plainfield by their Common Council do enact as follows:

Section 1. That pursuant to the petition of Ida F. Rocap, Margaret M. Rocap, Mary C. Moore, Mary C. K. Randolph, the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey, Sophia J. Lawson, Charles E. Rocap, dated February 5, 1894, on file with the City Clerk, said persons being all the owners of property on either side of that portion of West Front street, hereinafter mentioned, the centre, curb and side lines and grade of that portion of West Front street between Grant avenue and a point one thousand two hundred and eighty-three feet westerly therefrom, be and the same are hereby established as follows:

The centre line shall begin at an iron monument in the centre line of West Front street as the same is now laid out, established and opened, at its intersection with the centre line of Grant avenue, and running from said point in a magnetic course of S. 49 degrees, 34 minutes W., a distance of 155.31 feet to a point of curve, thence, curving to the right with a radius of 2500 feet, a distance of 456.15 feet to a point of tangent, thence S. 59 degrees 26 minutes W., a distance of 670.47 feet to a point in line of properties owned by Ida Rocap and others, and Christian F. Sprech, and in the centre line of West Front street as now established; said point being distant 253 feet at right angles from the northwesterly line of the right of way of the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey.

The side lines of said street shall be distant 30 feet on each side from the above described centre line, and parallel therewith.

The curb lines of said street shall be distant twenty, (20) feet on each side from the above described centre line, and parallel therewith.

That the grade of that part of West Front street, above described be established as follows:

Beginning at the westerly curb line of Grant avenue at the established grade of 16.-05 feet above the city base on the northerly curb and 16.55 feet on the southerly curb, thence going west from Grant avenue as follows:

Grade per 100 feet, Rise	Fall	Distance	Elevation
1.35		400	21.45 North / 21.95 South
2.275 North		200	26.00
2.025 South		150	27.66
1.11		430	29.68
0.47		40	29.68
Level	Level	0.33	to easterly line of property owned by Christian Sprech.

Section 2. That all ordinances and parts of ordinances as far as they conflict with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same are hereby repealed.

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A WONDERFUL STORY BY AN IRVINGTON WOMAN.

Fearful Failure of Fifteen Physicians—Serious Surgical Operation Suggested.

For four years I have suffered from a complication of diseases which physicians said were dyspepsia, liver and kidney complaint, nervous prostration and womb disease. No words of mine can describe the terrible pains and distress I have experienced—the dizziness, trembling fears of evil, chills, fever, melancholy, restlessness and numerous other dreadful sensations which I am unable to describe. Have been treated by fifteen physicians, some of whom were sure they could cure me within two or three months, and all of whom have had from two months to three, four or more, as they said was needed. One I tried for a whole year until last May I found myself disappointed, discouraged and about ready to give up altogether, as, after treating me for a year my physician told me I would be obliged to undergo a surgical operation before I could commence to get better. Just at this time I was advised by friends to consult Dr. Starkweather of No. 105 Halsey street, Newark, as they knew of some very remarkable cures which he had performed.

I followed their advice and visited the doctor on May 5. How glad I am that I took this step no one can realize who has not been similiarly situated. The doctor gave me a complete history of my case, describing with surprising accuracy the conditions and symptoms which I had endured for years, but what gave me the greatest surprise and pleasure was when he assured me that there was no need of any surgical operation. Proper means, he said, would overcome my troubles without any surgery. I commenced at once to follow Dr. Starkweather's directions and treatment. Having gradually and steadily improved since that time, as he stated I would, until now I am the wonder of all my friends, while rejoicing in renewed health, strength and spirits. Am constrained by a sense of duty and gratitude to accord the praise due Dr. S. for his gentle, soothing and skillful treatment of my case, and advise all sufferers from whatever cause to consult this eminent physician.

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THEY DEMAND WORK

Boston's Unemployed Call at the State House.

Their Leader, Morrison Swift, Makes an Anarchistic Threat from the Gallery, and is Cowed By Gov. Greenhalge's Wrath—The Police Called Upon and the Mob Soon Dispersed.

BOSTON, Feb. 21.—About 2,000 people gathered on the common yesterday afternoon to listen to addresses by Morrison L. Swift, Herbert N. Casson and other "socialist-anarchists," as they call themselves.

After hearing speeches, the crowd marched to the state house, where Swift and Casson were made a delegation to visit Governor Greenhalge. They demanded, as they themselves put it, that employment should be given to the crowd which they led. The governor intimated to Swift and Casson that he would do all in his power to help the unemployed, and that he had no doubt that the legislature would do something for the men. He consented to come out and address the crowd. He said to the people that, personally, he would do all he could and that he would recommend action by the legislature. Still, he said, the legislature had no power to give work to the unemployed except it had money to pay them, and except the works on which they should be employed were necessary for the general good. He insisted that the first duty of every citizen was obedience to the laws. If the laws were not right it was the fault of the people of Massachusetts, not that of the governor or the legislature. He said they were simply there to express the will of the people who sent them, as they understood it.

After this Swift and Casson, followed by a crowd of unemployed, went up to lay their petition, which was couched in the terms of demand, before the senate and house of representatives.

On their return from the chamber, Swift ascended to one of the little side galleries and delivered a speech that sounded strangely out of place in the historic old hall. "We will clean out the state house," he cried, "if we don't get what we want."

The rabble, for such it was, accepted the declaration with enthusiasm.

Private Secretary Thomas was standing near and at the enunciation mentioned repaired hastily to the governor and reported the state of affairs. Gov. Greenhalge grabbed his hat and headed for the scene of action. Meanwhile, however, Swift had finished and had ascended the stairs and stood outside the chamber door awaiting Representative Mellen, whom he desired to introduce the petition. The governor met him.

"Did you advise that you would clean out the state house?" asked the governor. Swift cowered, "I did," he half muttered, "but I stated that we would do it with the ballot."

This was absolutely untrue.

"You wish to qualify it in that way?" continued his excellency.

"Yes," replied the agitator.

"Well," said the governor, clinching his hands, "I do not like that language, sir, and it won't be tolerated. I warn you that I hold you personally responsible."

Swift's bravado was all gone. He quietly slipped out of sight and mingled with the crowd that surged about. Previous to this episode Gov. Greenhalge had summoned Representative Mellen to his presence. "Mr. Mellen," he said, "I want you to be on the side of law and order."

Meantime, Chief Wade of the district police had telephoned to police headquarters and fifty blue-coats marched up Beacon street, and taking the side entrance to the state house made a clean swath through the mob, straight to Doric hall, where they halted, to await the orders of Chief Wade. These orders were not slow in coming. They were to clear the state house and grounds of intruders, who at that time had become a hissing, howling mob. This was but the work of a moment, for the mere sight of the blue uniforms and brass buttons was apparently enough to quell all anarchistic tendencies. Before the bluecoats the mob melted away, out of the hall, down the broad steps and on to Beacon street.

There were some shouts of "Kill the police," but the shouters took good care to keep in the background. The crowd gradually made its way back to the common and the state house once more resumed its accustomed quiet.

Election Result at Syracuse.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Feb. 21.—At the charter election held in this city yesterday Jacob Amos was re-elected mayor for a second term of two years. His opponents were Duncan W. Peck, democrat, and Jay B. Kline, regular republican. Mayor Amos was supported by the republican-independents, who named him after they had revolted against the action of the republican city committee, which was charged with planning unfair caucuses. The total vote cast was as follows: Amos, 7,802; Peck, 7,527; Kline, 4,833.

Paul Jones Blacks Shoes.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 21.—Paul Jones reached this city last evening from New York and served cigars and soda at a local drug store for two hours for which he received $25. He was later the guest of Providence lodge of Elks, and made considerable money selling his autograph. He blacked several pairs of Elks' shoes at $5 a pair.

Poor Jail for Safe Keeping.

MORRISTOWN, N. J., Feb. 21.—George and Harry Morgan were sentenced here Monday to two and a half years in state prison. They were placed in jail here for safe keeping. While keeper Munson was locking up the other prisoners last night the Morgans drew their revolvers on him and escaped.

Senator White's Successor.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Representative Boatner, of Louisiana, is very confident that Mr. F. B. Stubbs, of Monroe, will be selected by the governor to succeed Senator White. Mr. Stubbs is a lawyer of prominence in northern Louisiana and an intimate friend of the governor.

Republican Gain in Jefferson County.

UTICA, N. Y., Feb. 21.—Town meetings were held in Jefferson county yesterday outside of Watertown city. Sixteen republican and six democratic supervisors were elected, a republican gain of one.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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Bland Having a Hard Time With His Bill.

He Expects Success To-day, But This is Doubtful—Sergeant-at-arms Busy. The Senate Devotes the Day to Discussion of Hawaii and Consideration of Matters in Executive Session.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Mr. Daniel, of Virginia, concluded in the senate yesterday the speech on the subject of Hawaii, which he began on Monday. He did not applaud every step taken by the Cleveland administration, but he honored it for its brave and rugged honesty, and for its having cherished, over all things, the honor of the country, and kept it from being tarnished. He declared himself now in favor of the recognition of the new government by congress, and to it and its American supporters he waved over the waters his greetings and God speed. Senator White, of California, who was to follow Mr. Daniel with a speech on the same subject, deferred it until to-day, and the remainder of the open session was occupied in the discussion of the bill to provide additional accommodations for the government printing office. No conclusion was reached, and the senate, after an hour and three-quarters spent in executive session, at 5:45 adjourned.

House of Representatives.

Although there were 269 members of the house present yesterday, as shown by the roll calls, Mr. Bland could get but 170, nine less than a quorum, to vote upon his motion to take up the bill to coin the seigniorage of the bullion in the treasury. Four attempts were made to overcome the obstacle of no voting quorum, but without avail, and at 4:10 the house adjourned until to-day, when it is believed by the democratic managers that a voting quorum will be present. That Mr. Bland's motion will be passed, however, is doubtful in the minds of some of them. Sergeant-at-arms Snow made a report of his proceedings under the order of arrest made Monday, showing seven republican members under arrest. It was developed upon examination that but two of them were subject to process, the others having been either present Monday or previously excused by the house and all were excused.

PARTISAN ACTIVITY

And Disrespect to the President Causes a Removal.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Secretary Carlisle has removed from office J. C. Miller, keeper of the West Point lighthouse, Highland Falls, N. Y. This is the first removal made during the present administration in the lighthouse service, and the cause assigned is partisan activity to the neglect of duty. The charge against him included dressing in a conspicuous uniform and being the leader in a political parade, violating the laws of the state of New York by electioneering within the limits prohibited by law, and his disrespect to the president of the United States.

Students May Go on Strike.

BOSTON, Feb. 21.—As a result of the recent "stacking" affair at Tuft's college, Medford, three of the most active members of the sophomore class have been suspended by the faculty. The news of the suspension created much excitement among the students. It is said that 23 of the class have entered into a solemn compact to share equally whatever is inflicted upon any individual member. Those who have been expelled express their strong conviction that their fate will be voluntarily shared by their companions.

Stole Horses By the Wholesale.

DANIELSONVILLE, Conn., Feb. 21.—Officers from Providence, Worcester and Albany have succeeded in arresting Chas. Densrow, charged with stealing from five to fifteen horses in various places at different times. They have been hunting Densrow for a year. He has had from three to six horses in a stable here all along, and had done a lot of trading. A search of the premises revealed a large number of sleighs and carriages and other things stowed away in all manner of places.

Decision for the Duchess.

LONDON, Feb. 21.—Justice Stirling has decided that the house No. 3 Carlton House terrace, this city, is the property of the Duchess of Marlborough, formerly Mrs. Hamersley of New York. The duchess purchased the property with her own money and subsequently assigned it to the duke. After the latter's death it was claimed that the property in question belonged to the duke's estate, but the court holds otherwise.

No Change at Plymouth.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Feb. 21.—There is little or no change in the situation at the Gaylord mine. A cave-in occurred at the Old Baltimore No. 2 mine in the Baltimore vein last evening. The cave-in took place directly under a huge culm pile that has been on fire for some time past. The only fear now entertained by the company is that the burning culm may set fire to the coal on the inside workings.

Started With Non-Union Hands.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 21.—The Keystone Rolling Mill company has started its plant on a strictly non-union basis. The finishing mill is on in full and eight puddling furnaces are in operation. None of the old puddlers returned to work. Policemen are patrolling the vicinity of the works, but their services are not required.

HE MAY LOSE AN ARM

Da Gama's Wound Said to Be Quite Serious.

He Will Probably Survive the Operation Amputation, However—Even the Young Rebel Officers Now Anxious for Settlement—The Admiral Expects the War to End Soon.

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RIO JANEIRO, Feb. 21.—The United States cruiser Detroit, which has been cruising south, has returned to Rio Janeiro. The government is in peaceable possession of all southern points except Desterro, where Admiral de Mello has appointed a president and two ministers. The Detroit was unable to find Admiral de Mello. At each port she visited the officers were informed that he had just left.

Admiral da Gama, who is in command of the insurgent forces here, has told the representative of the United Press that he has countermanded the order that he had placed for supplies in the United States, for the war will be at an end before the order could be filled and delivered.

The Church leaders, who have contracted with the insurgents, should they triumph, for the restoration of the church privileges that were abolished upon the establishment of the republic, and who have supplied the insurgent leaders with large sums in gold, have notified Admiral da Gama that the supply of money furnished by them will cease unless decisive progress is made soon.

Admiral da Gama, who was wounded in the neck and left arm during the recent attack on Armacao, expects that it will be necessary for his arm to be amputated. His general health is good, and he will probably survive the operation. He promises to push the fighting, but he plainly is unable to do so. He seeks an honorable road to escape from the consequences of the insurrection, but it is probable that he will not be able to find one. Even some of the younger officers among the insurgents, who have hitherto refused to listen to anything but warlike proposals, are now anxious for the struggle to be brought to an end.

The insurgent warships Aquidaban and Liberdade were under steam last night, their commanders thinking that the dynamite cruiser Nictheroy, which left apparently for the south, would return. The insurgents deny that there has been any revolt among the sailors on Engenho island. They say that the firing that gave rise to the report grew out of an attack upon the island by government troops. This story, however, is not generally believed. It is thought that there was a revolt among the insurgents on the island.

Fairchild Report.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Assistant Secretary Hamlin has made public that portion of the Fairchild commissions' report that pertains to the charges filed as to alleged under-valuations of Japanese silks imported by J. R. Simon & Co., in 1891, and through the New York custom house. The committee report that while they do not find from the testimony that the goods of Simon & Co. were in any instance invoiced at less than actual cost, or that there was any intent on their part to defraud the government by means of under-valuation, they do find that their Japanese silks were in very many instances purchased, invoiced and entered at somewhat lower prices than the others.

Order for Field's Release.

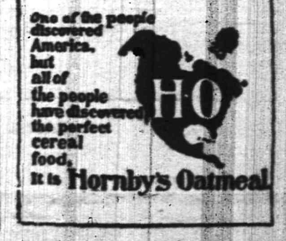
NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Supreme Court Justice W. L. Smith, of Elmira, sitting in Brooklyn, has signed an order for the liberation of Edward M. Field, who has been locked up in the Ludlow street jail since he was declared sane and brought down from the Buffalo asylum in December last. The application for the order of liberation was not opposed. The order was granted on the ground that a judgment against the body of a debtor is invalid three months from its date.

Only a Personal Visit.

LONDON, Feb. 21.—The correspondent at Berlin of the Daily News says that not a single one of the Berlin papers had anything to say editorially in regard to the emperor's visit yesterday to Prince Bismarck at Friedrichsruhe. The papers contain only brief details of the reception of his majesty, etcetera. This was taken to indicate that the visit was regarded by the emperor as simply a personal one.

A Long Strike to Be Settled.

BRADFORD, Conn., Feb. 21.—It is rumored here that the great granite cutters' strike, which has been on here for more than year, is about to be settled. A form of agreement which, it is expected, will meet the approval of the quarry owners, has been submitted to John Beatty, the Red Granite company and others, and an answer is expected very soon.



IN A STATE OF TERROR

Paris Greatly Excited at the Anarchist Outrage.

One Victim of Yesterday's Explosion Will Die—The Police Experiment on One of the Unexploded Bombs and Wreck a Room—Every Detective in the City Searching for the Culprits.

PARIS, Feb. 21.—This city is to-day in a fever of excitement and alarm over the dynamite outrages of yesterday and the entire detective force is at work endeavoring to find the culprits. A number of persons are suspected and it is probable many anarchists will be under arrest within the next few hours.

The bomb found in the hotel No. 47 Rue du Foubourg St. Martin, after the explosion in the hotel at 69 Rue St. Jacques, was discovered through a letter received by Police Commissary Dresch. The letter was signed "Etienne Rabardy" and announced that the writer was about to commit suicide at the hotel referred to. The police commissary went to the place expecting that he would find the body of a dead man. When he opened the door of the room to which he was directed he found instead a bomb. The whole thing, it is thought, was a plot to kill M. Dresch, but the trap failed to work, the bomb not exploding. M. Dresch is the officer who arrested Ravachol.

M. Belonine, the police commissary in the Sorbonne district, also received a letter signed "Etienne Rabardy," similar to the one received by M. Dresch, but he did not go to the hotel until after the explosion occurred.

M. Girard, the chief of the municipal laboratory, made a proposal that the bomb found by M. Dresch be exploded by electricity in the place where it was found in order that he might study the effects of the explosion. M. Raynal referred the proposal to the cabinet and a council was held at the Elysee palace, the result being that M. Girard was authorized to carry out the experiment by placing a dynamite cartridge on each side of the bomb and exploding them by means of an electric battery. All the residents of the house were driven out, and when everything was ready for the explosion, every window of the surrounding houses were packed with spectators. The police having driven the people out of the street in the immediate vicinity, Police Prefect Lepine gave the order to turn on the current, and there was a sudden detonation like the explosion of a cannon. The room was found completely wrecked and filled with the odor of picric acid. Projectiles, bob tails and bits of zinc were scattered all over. M. Girard says that the bomb was evidently splendidly made.

The explosion, earlier in the day, at the hotel at 69 Rue St. Jacques, was terrific. The building is in ruins and Madame Calabresi, the proprietress, is mortally wounded, receiving a terrible wound in the stomach. The two lodgers, also injured, will recover. There are several theories to account for the explosion. One is that the bomb had a time fuse attached to it, though so far as can be learned, no smoke was seen ascending from anywhere in the vicinity of the bomb. Another is that the bomb contained some acid solution that soaked through cotton or other material until it reached the explosive in the bottom of the infernal machine. The third theory is that the opening of a door destroyed the equilibrium of the bomb, which, toppling over, fell to the floor, exploding by concussion.

The excitement caused by this outrage was added to when it was learned that an attempt had been made to blow up, or at least injure, the handsome buildings of the ministry of foreign affairs on the Quai d'Orsay. A metal tube was found lying at the entrance of the foreign office, which, it was suspected, was loaded with dynamite. The tube was turned over to the police and an examination proved it to be a deadly engine of destruction.

The hotels are already sufferers from the scare caused by the anarchists, and it is probable that the latest demonstrations of the willingness of the anarchists to spread the "propaganda by the act" will cause a further falling off in their receipts.

Bill Nye Overworked.

BUFFALO, Feb. 21.—Bill Nye reached the city at 6 o'clock last evening. Speaking of his illness at Niagara Falls, Mr. Nye said: "It was not heart disease, but only an attack that came from overwork. I am trying to do too much. My writing is only a small part of my work. It is the traveling about and strain of lecturing combined with late nights, that is pulling me down. My season closes the middle of April, and I believe I shall give up lecturing then for good. My health is of too much importance to take the risk."

American Press Polar Expedition.

LONDON, Feb. 21.—A despatch to the Daily News from Christiana says that an American press expedition to the polar regions will start next May. Three Norwegians will go with the party, and the Norwegian ship Rogenstald, Earl Kay has been chartered to convey the expedition.

Prendergast's Case.

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—Saturday morning next, at 10 o'clock, Judge Brentano will announce his decision on the motion for a new trial in the Prendergast case. It is against the prisoner Prendergast will receive the sentence of the court and the date of his execution will be fixed.

Abbott and Dime to Fight.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Feb. 21.—Stanley Abbott, the English lightweight champion, will fight Jimmy Dime, of New York, at the rooms of the New Bedford Athletic club, on the evening of March 8, for the lightweight championship and a purse of $5,000.

White is Still Senator.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Senator White will not take the oath of office as associate justice of the United States supreme court until his resignation as U. S. senator has been accepted by the governor of Louisiana.

To Visit the Mid-winter Fair.

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., Feb. 21.—Governor and Mrs. K. Fuller will start for San Francisco Friday to attend the mid-winter fair. They will be gone about a month and will be present at the celebration at Vesuvius Friday, March 2d.

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THE WEATHER:

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Be lavish with your bunting tomorrow. Display your colors and your hospitality. It's the birthday of Washington, and the Vets will be in town. Show 'em what kind of a town it is.

Be patriotic enough tomorrow to take a day off and sign the petition for a sanitary sewerage system. The true Plainfield patriot is he who personally pushes Plainfield's prosperity.

Here's an easy chance to push hard.

It's perfectly proper for the City Fathers to get all they can out of the Street Railway Company, but if the screws are put on too tight that Dunellen extension will never materialize.

And we need that Dunellen extension.

On to Netherwood!

Plainfield's electric railway is good—so far as it goes.

But it's too lobsided.

There's all that Netherwood district, with its availability of homes, inviting rapid transit.

Mr. Citizen with a right to sign for the opening of a route, get a move on you!

Gentlemen of the Street Railway Company, why don't you do some hustling?

Now's the time to get there.

On to Netherwood!

One would think that when a respected woman acquires cash honorably she might be permitted to expend it as she pleases, without having her personal affairs laid bare to the inquisitive eye of prying gossip. But gift-enterprise sheets have no respect for the sacredness of private life, and Plainfield is therefore given a sample of characteristic journalistic impudence by that Plainfield journal which, after telling of Mrs. Mary Harding's receipt of $400 pension money, proceeds to relate in detail her outlay of it for debts and necessities. Some persons don't know enough not to tell all they know.

That the management of a big and fashionable hotel may sometimes be disastrous is shown by the facts brought out through the institution of an ejectment suit brought by the agents of William Waldorf Astor against General Earle, lessee of the Hotel New Netherlands, of which Peter Wright of this city is manager. Gen. Earle is $66,000 behind in his rent, and the hotel was opened only last June. During the summer, with 200 servants to be paid, to say nothing of a myriad of other expenses, it is said the average number of guests entertained each day was sixteen. Of course the hotel has been unfortunate in being opened just in season to catch the full effect of the hard times, which have impelled even those able and usually willing to pay its rates to be willing to put up with less expensive accommodations. It is said that the suit will be compromised and arrangements made for General Earle to go on with the business, but with his experience, unless there has been a very decided improvement lately, it would seem that he could hardly feel hopeful of success.

He Lubricates the Wheels of Trade.

"R. F. R. Huntsman, Prudent Advertising, Prudential Building, Office No. 626", are words plainly printed on a letter received by The Press. There are no flourishes, but the inscription tells the story of a business project that has been entered into by one of Plainfield's well-known young men, and one that his friends know is bound to succeed.

Mr. Huntsman has been an advertising man since he began to sign contracts for advertising space in The Manufacturing Jeweler, a trade paper in Providence, R. I., when he was 16 years old. Some business men who have accepted his advice in matters pertaining to successful advertising, say that he has a long head in such affairs, and a prudent one.

"Prudent advertising" is unquestionably a business of itself. Few men having routine business affairs constantly pressing on their attention can devote time to formulate a detailed plan for advertising, and carry it through unaided. Many try to do so, and not only waste their energy but dollars as well. Both are equally valuable, and if both can be saved by one accustomed to many of the intricacies of the advertising business, such a man becomes valuable.

Mr. Huntsman has had an experience of seven years or more, with New Jersey newspapers, and knows the good from the bad, and the bad from the indifferent. He represents in New York city the Newark Evening News, whose circulation is 33,000 daily, larger than any other in New Jersey, and larger than many of the New York evening papers. In addition to his New Jersey newspaper advertising, he is also prepared at his Newark office to furnish information and rates for any kind of advertising.

People who know him will be glad to hear of his prosperity, and will wish him continued success.

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by J. W. Bandolph, 21 West Front street Price $1.

MORE LIGHT ON SEWERS.

Councilman Frost Explains the Capacity of the System Proposed for Plainfield.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—In the proposed "separate" system of sewerage, the pipes which collect the sewage and convey it to the main outlet vary in diameter from 8 inches to 24 inches, the laterals being exclusively of the smaller size.

Objections have been raised that the pipes proposed are too small to carry away the volume of sewage delivered by so large a city as Plainfield.

The problem, however, is not a difficult one to solve.

Estimating the population of Plainfield to be 30,000 within the next fifteen years; allowing 60 gallons of water to be used in 24 hours by each man, women and child in the city, would make a volume of 1,800,000 gallons. Add to this flushing water and leakage of subsoil water into the pipes, of 500,000 gallons, and we have a total of 2,300,000 gallons to provide for daily.

This volume, as will be seen, accummulates only in the lowest portion of the system where the largest pipe is laid; in the higher portions the volume is very much smaller, until at the summit, where the smallest pipe is laid, the volume is that received only from a small portion of the population.

Now, a pipe 8 inches in diameter running *half full and laid on a grade of 1 in 250*, will discharge 576,720 gallons each 24 hours, and a pipe 18 inches in diameter on a grade of 1 in 833, the smallest permissible, will discharge 2,354,184 gallons per 24 hours. A 24 inch pipe will carry away a larger volume of sewage than Plainfield will have to dispose of at any time within the coming 40 years.

For ten years to come, there will not be sewage enough delivered east of Grant avenue in any 24 hours to fill a 12-inch pipe constantly, and the danger is not from insufficient size of pipes, but from lack of connections with the sewers so as to create depth of sewage enough in the pipes to keep the solids from stranding.

In fact, but for the systematic flushing by the automatic arrangements provided, the system would be a failure, and if it were not for the obstructions that inevitably occur in 6 inch pipes, this smaller size would be used in the lateral system.

GEORGE H. FROST,
Chairman Sewerage Committee.

Laughing at Plainfield's Excessive Modesty.

So cautious is the bill-poster of Plainfield compelled to be in his desire not to offend the prudish taste of bill-board critics that even such inoffensive paper as that of "Blue Jeans" had to have some of its pictures eliminated. For instance, since the display of the human form in any but a decorous attire and attitude is objected to, he declined to exhibit the lithographs showing the minister of the play turning his famous somersault. Newspapers all through the State and country are being told by the "Blue Jeans" press agent of the state of affairs in Plainfield, and all the world is therefore laughing at the supersensitiveness against pictorial displays. One leading journal says:

Plainfield is getting so prudish that piano legs will shortly have to be draped in "decorous attire".

Inspiration for His Plainfield Workers.

Rev. Charles E. Greig of Paris addressed a large audience in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Church this afternoon, on the work of the McAll Mission.

Mr. Greig is the successor of Rev. Dr. Robert McAll in the direction of the affairs of the McAll Mission. He is said to be no less providentially chosen for its support, than was Dr. McAll for its founding.

He soon returns to his work after a tour of the American field lasting only six weeks. This is probably the only chance that the people of this generation will have of meeting Mr. Greig in this country, and it is peculiarly fitting that in Plainfield, where the McAll Mission has received such hearty support, the leader of the work should receive such an enthusiastic greeting as that which welcomed him today.

To Figure What It Will Cost.

A joint meeting of the Township Committees of Westfield, Cranford and Linden was held in Cranford Monday night to discuss the matter of sewerage for the three towns. Messrs. Gardiner and Wells represented Westfield, Messrs. Hope, McCandless and Clark were from Linden, and Abry, Crane, Severance and Day represented Cranford. Two hours were devoted to an informal discussion of the subject. A committee of three, consisting of Mr. Hope of Linden, Gardiner of Westfield, and Abry of Cranford, was appointed to confer with an engineer and report at a meeting to be held Feb. 26 in Cranford, as to a definite route for the sewer and the cost it would be to each town.

Most men break down when afflicted with rheumatism. If they would try Salvation Oil they would find relief at once.

Got Fun from a Hat.

For some time past Wm. Campbell, an attache of Hoagland's express office, has been trying to sell a silk hat. Some of his friends thought they would play a joke on the hat. So yesterday they prevailed on Chief Grant and Sergeant Kiely to accompany them to Mr. Campbell's place of business, and threaten to arrest him for peddling without a license. The joke worked to perfection, and it was some time before the accused knew that the threatened arrest was a "put-up" job. All those in the lark enjoyed it immensely.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

JOB MALE'S UMBRELLA.

It Shed the Rains of 35 Years, and Is Now Used as a Whisky Ad.

The noteworthy incident that the late Job Male carried one umbrella 35 years was given by The Press to the world at large, long time ago, and now cultured Boston is manipulating the innocent little news item for a much perverted purpose. This is how a Boston paper uses Plainfield's Grand Old Man, the life-long advocate of total abstinence, to boom the liquor traffic:

THE MAYOR

Of Plainfield, N. J., who is 80 years old, has an umbrella that he has carried for 35 years. It has been recovered four times, though never lost or mislaid once. This is certainly the most remarkable umbrella ever known, but it is also a remarkable fact the G. O. Taylor Old Bourbon and G. O. Taylor Pure Rye Whiskeys are the finest and best beverages of the kind in the world. Druggists and Grocers sell them. See that our firm name is on the label and over the cork. Chester H. Graves & Sons, Sole Proprietors, Boston.

Plainfield Strives for the Pythian Home.

The annual encampment of the New Jersey Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, was opened last evening in Trenton, and will continue until Thursday night.

Both Unity and Perseverance lodges of this city are represented at this important gathering.

The Regimental Board of Officers, Uniformed Rank, met last evening to arrange for the annual field day in this State, and for the National Encampment to be held in Washington next August. The latter meets every two years.

Tonight the new work of the order will be exemplified by two teams.

One of the important subjects that will be discussed Thursday evening is that relating to the founding of the Pythian Home in this State. Plainfield will try to capture this.

Those going from this city are:

Unity Lodge—B. R. Force, representative; Charles DeGraw, Bateman Thatcher, John Kriney, Daniel Gulick.

Perseverance Lodge—E. Flannery, representative; Thomas Osment, Jacob Blimm, Jr., S. J. Robinson, A. R. Pope.

Several other members will probably attend, and some will receive the Grand Lodge degree.

It is a notable gathering of Knights from all parts of the State.

Shadows by the Moon-Man.

An entertainment in the Park Avenue Baptist Church last night furnished amusement to a large number of the children of the Sunday-school. It was given by "The Man in the Moon", assisted by a number of teachers. Shadows shown upon a sheet were used to illustrate snatches of nursery rhymes and to picture familiar scenes of modern life.

An opening solo on the piano was played by organist, Miss Alice Coard. A solo on the piano by little Miss Reda Pond was much enjoyed.

Lindley Hillman gave a selection from the opera of William Tell and a march on the violin. Master Hillman has been taking lessons on the violin for but six months, being instructed by P. L. Conde. His progress, as shown by his work last night, has been remarkable. In spite of the fact that he had no instruction on the piano, he rendered a difficult selection on that instrument by which he shows his musical talent.

The Lyceum at Euchre.

The schedule for the euchre tournament of the Diocesan Union has been arranged for seven games ahead among the eight teams. An equal number of games will be arranged later.

The Tournament Committee of the C. Y. M. L., consisting of M. Winn, J. Flynn and M. Coyne, will select two players and two substitutes this week. The games in which the C. Y. M. L. will participate are:

March 1—With St. Paul's C. Y. M. L. A. in Jersey City.
March 8—With St. Columbias of Newark in Plainfield.
March 15—With St. Josephs of Jersey City in Plainfield.
April 5—With Y. M. C. L. A. of Harrison in Plainfield.
April 12—With St. Peters in Jersey City.
April 19—With St. Aloysius of Newark in Plainfield.
May 3—With T. A. B's in Newark.

Bachelors Against Benedicks.

A series of three games has been arranged between the married and single men of the C. Y. M. L. The prize will probably be a blackboard. The first game will be bowled Friday night by the following teams:

MARRIED.	SINGLE.
Forestel,	Waters,
Carty,	O'Connor,
Kiely,	Lang,
Higgins,	Delehanty,
Kenney,	Flynn,
McInerney,	Galbraith,
Weirenga,	Whalen,
McDonough,	Mack,
Casey,	Butscher,
Donnelly,	Lynch.
O'Connor.	

Married in the Mountains.

(Basking Ridge Correspondent Newark Evening News.)

L. Kalaway and Miss Mary Hart, a young couple from North Plainfield, were united in the bonds of matrimony Sunday evening at 6. The ceremony was performed at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Young, of Railroad avenue, Basking Ridge. Mrs. Young is an aunt of the bride. Rev. Dr. J. C. Rankin, pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Basking Ridge, was the officiating clergyman. The couple left on an extended wedding tour.

GOOD SPIRITS

follow good health while low spirits, melancholia, impaired memory, morose, or irritable temper, fear of impending calamity and a thousand and one derangements of body and mind, result from pernicious, solitary practices, often indulged in by the young, through ignorance of their ruinous consequences. Nervous debility, and loss of manly power, not infrequently result from such unnatural habits.

To reach, reclaim and restore such unfortunates to health and happiness, is the aim of an association of medical gentlemen, who have prepared a treatise, written in plain but chaste language and treating of the nature, symptoms and curability, by home treatment, of such diseases.

A copy of this useful book will, on receipt of this notice, with 10 cents in stamps, for postage, be mailed securely sealed in a plain envelope. Address, WORLD'S DISPENSARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, Buffalo, N. Y. 11 6 y

SCRUB and WASH as you will, it is not easy to keep the hands smooth and white in winter time. In fact, the more you scrub and wash, the rougher seems the skin, and you find that the best of soap fails to whiten it. Now if, after washing, you will moisten your hands with LEMON JUICE AND GLYCERINE, the effect will be to soften and whiten the skin, even in the worst weather. Used by hundreds of the "best people" in Plainfield. Originated and sold only by H. P. REYNOLDS, Pharmacist, Park and North avenues.

WEST END NOTES.

John Reed, of West Third street, employed by the Plainfield Ice and Cold Storage Company, was quite badly injured while at work with a saw on Lake Hopatcong yesterday and was brought home in the afternoon.

A lecture on the World's Fair will be given by Rev. Dr. W. R. Richards in Hope Chapel tomorrow night.

J. B. Higgins, of Spooner avenue, is confined to his bed and has cause to be thankful that he is not seriously injured. He fell from his rear stoop yesterday, striking on his back.

WEST ENDER.

NOTICE.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 19, 1894.

This is to certify that I have this day been paid by the Citizens' Mutual Life Insurance Company of New Jersey twenty-one dollars ($21), quarter benefit of policy on the life of my brother, Samuel Anderson, No. 94 Manning avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

The policy was only issued January 1 and I have only paid the company $1.05; and if I had taken this policy in any other company I would not have received a dollar, as the other companies pay nothing unless the policy has been in force three months. This company has no colored rate, and I would advise all who desire to have insurance to take a policy with this company, who give immediate benefits.

PETER ANDERSON.
Witness—Richard Warneck.

HOAGLAND'S EXPRESS

WILL MOVE YOU.

Large Truck. Competent Men.
39 North avenue. Telephone 121. 2 13 tf

WANTED.

An experienced dressmaker wants a few more engagements by the day; S. T. Taylor system used. Address or call, M. W. B., 1314 Watchung avenue, or 326 East 2d st., Plainfield, N. J. 2 20 5

PURE CIDER VINEGAR

3 years old will be supplied in small or large quantities to stores or private families by dropping a postal to
2 7 tf C. J. ACKERMAN.

Washington's Birthday.

GRAND

ENTERTAINMENT

IN

GRACE M. E. CHURCH,

North Plainfield,

Under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society.

Tomorrow Night.

Admission 25c. for adults; 15c. for children

YOUNG girl wants situation at general housework. 116 East 4th st. 2 23 2

WANTED at once, 2 or 3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address, with terms, H., Box 1, City Hotel.

WANTED—To buy, a collection of U. S. and foreign postage stamps. Address, stating number and price, Philatelist, care Press.

WANTED—Two furnished rooms, 1st floor and located on Park avenue preferred. State place, price and particulars to Emack, care Press. 2 20 tf

WANTED—Good road horse in exchange for building lot or house and lot. Chas. Hand, 317 Watchung ave.

TO LET—Large house and barn, Front street and Clinton avenue, Evona, opposite station. Wm. McD Coriell. 2 20 6

FOR SALE—A large house in Washington Park, containing 12 rooms, all improvements, city water, steam heat, barn on place; half or more of value may remain on mortgage for term of years; would exchange for small house nearer station; well located, with all improvements. Address House, care Press. 2 19 tf-eod

A RARE opportunity; house, 8 rooms, 3 minutes walk from Central depot, 4 minutes from post office; price $1,800; will guarantee 10 per cent. to the buyer. Inquire of F. M. Bacon, 67 North avenue.

WILL lady and daughter who advertised for six rooms address S., care Press?

FOR RENT—Central Hall, permanently, for a lodge or other association; or occasionally for festivals, anniversaries, exhibitions, concerts, etc. VanBuren & Timpson. 2 19 3-m w s

HOUSES to rent centrally located: 1 house 11 rooms, good condition, $20; 1 house 8 rooms, rent $12; 2 houses 7 rooms, rent $9; 1 house 8 rooms, rent $11. Apply 140 Park ave. 2 10 6-eod

A RESPONSIBLE party desires to rent for one year a medium sized modern house in North Plainfield, west of Grove street, with option of purchase and applying rent on purchase money; terms must be easy and rent low. Address E. S. S, care Press. 2 19 6

TO LET—Partly furnished house on Craig place; all modern improvements. Inquire 218 West Front street. 2 19 3

MONEY wanted to invest on gilt-edge Plainfield mortgages. Chas. A. Reed att'y, National Bank Building. 10 29 tf

PLEASANT rooms with board. 212 Watchung avenue. 2 15 1m

TO LET—Portion of furnished house to party who will board 3. Address V., care Press. 2 12 tf

WANTED—A Remington typewriter, and cabinet for same. G. B. Wean, 112 Plainfield avenue. 2 14 tf

TO LOAN, on 1st mortgage $600, $1,200, $1,700, $3,000, Mulford, broker. 2 7 tf

TO LET—10 room house; modern improvements; 127 East 5th st. Apply Wm. H. Brower, 432 Watchung avenue. 1 31 tf

AN elegant brick and brown stone house for sale or exchange for Plainfield property, on Halsey street, Brooklyn. Edward Love, corner North and Watchung avenues. 12 30 tf

FOR SALE—"The Medical and Surgical History of the Late War"; 4 rare vols. Address Books, care Press. 1 30 tf

You Want the BEST.

HUCKINS SOUPS

They Have No Equal.

Highest Award. Gold medal and diploma at Wold's Fair.

Geo. W. Rockfellow.

THE GROCER, Park ave. & 4th st. 1 27 tf

SECRET OF OUR SUCCESS IN BUSINESS

AMOS H. VAN HORN

LIMITED

Reasons for Their Success and for Being Very Busy Now

FIRST—It is the rule of the house to treat every one alike, and those that do not know the price of goods pay no more than those that are posted, as we have only one price for everybody.

SECOND—Our establishment is the largest in the state, consequently we carry the largest stock.

THIRD—Our prices are the lowest in the city, and a child can buy goods from us as well as the most expert.

FOURTH—Our terms are the easiest, and we never push or crowd our customers when sickness or death visits the family or when they are out of work.

FIFTH—We deliver goods to all parts of the State without charge.

SIXTH—When a purchase does not turn out as represented, we either make it right in other goods or refund the money.

SEVENTH—We are letting purchasers select goods now and holding them until spring without a deposit.

EIGHTH—We are now selling a range called PORTLAND, which has no equal. Warranted or money refunded.

NO. 88 BANK STREET

Is the number of our new Storage Building, which excels anything in the city for cleanliness and low rates.

TELEPHONE 580.

Amos H. Van Horn, L't'd.,

73 MARKET STREET,

Furniture store nearest Plane st., Newark, N. J. 10 10 y

WHAT IS

A BARGAIN?

ANSWER—

A Gold Dollar for 50c.

But they are very scarce just now. The nearest approach to them is the Clearance Sale Bargains now going off rapidly at Edsall's.

Our definition of a bargain, viz.: Genuine, good, seasonable goods sold at a less price than their actual value, and that is what we are doing every day in order to reduce our stock prior to removal into our new quarters in the Babcock Building.

We are aware that the word "Bargain" is a very much abused word, and is largely discounted by a majority of readers of ads. Yet it is hard to find a word so expressive to the advertiser as this word.

Truly, there is such a thing as a genuine bargain, notwithstanding some will sell half cotton goods for all wool, and "seconds," for perfect goods and inferior brands for best quality, and call them bargains. We don't want to set up the cry of "more holier than thou," but we will say that when we advertise an article as cheap, or a bargain, we will prove it every time by a personal inspection of the goods. We repeat emphatically that you can find now plenty of real bargains at our clearance sale. New spring goods in great variety.

EDSALL'S

Great Clearance Sale of Boots & Shoes

—OVER—

8 THOUSAND PAIRS

Marked down in price. This is your opportunity if you want to get good reliable Footwear at manufacturer's prices.

DOANE & EDSALL.

The Day We Celebrate.

Tomorrow is the anniversary of the birthday of the man who never told a lie. It is not on record that the Father of our Country was ever in the dry goods business: had he been the record might not have been made. The fact is that we never tell the whole truth about our goods; we let them speak for themselves and how our prices do talk.

JUST SEE 'EM.

Ginghams—At 4½c; we are not tired of advertising them, or selling them as long as you wish to buy them at that price.

Black Dress Goods—A good black dress you always want, and a good chance to buy one is offered you this week. Profits we drop and sell 50c. goods for 39c. 75c. goods for 55c. $1.00 goods for 75c.

Hosiery—We are booming on hosiery stock, we've offered so many good things in hosiery for ladies and children. You know we import all our hosiery and sell it twenty per cent. less than others.

Millinery Department—Pay us 49c. and you take your choice of any hats on our counters, every one goes at that price.

Childrens Stockings—You buy for the children those stockings we sell for 20c. dont you? They are the right sort.

House Furnishings—Another lot of those graniteiron tea and coffee pots at 31c. We sell you a 14 qt. dish pan for 18c. and a good new broom for 13c.

Mattings—Little early to talk mattings, but we have them in and are selling them; we sell you a good one for $4. per roll, 10c. per yard.

The Magic City—A portfolio of original views of the great World's Fair and its treasures of art; 'tis something worth having. No. 1 on sale, price 5c.

WHITE, of Plainfield.

F. MARGENTINO,

Retail and wholesale dealer in all kinds of CHOICE FRUITS, CONFECTIONERY, ETC. IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC CIGARS, Cider, Sodawater, Ginger ale, etc.

No. 10 Park Ave., Plainfield, N. J.
Close on Friday night and open on Saturday night. 4 21 y

J. T. VAIL,

Real Estate and Insurance,

177 NORTH AVENUE.

Blue Stone Flagging, &c. 9 2 tf

CHEESE. CHEESE.

Fromage de Brie, Fromage de Camembert, Club House, Pine Apple, Paragon, Edam, Swiss, Roquefort, Neufchatel, Philadelphia Cream, Orange Co., English Dairy, Pamseau, Sage.

DEMAREST.

MOST WOMEN

Love Dainty Things.

Let none such fail to see

PECK'S

LACES AND EMBROIDERIES.

Sebring's,

BIG SALE OF TROUSERS.

ALL WOOL $1.95.

REDUCED FROM $3.00.

Park Avenue, Packer's Block.

12-6-y

GAVETT'S.

Fine China Glass and Dinner Ware.

THE BELGIAN LAMP.

10- 6-y

Economical Women

Understand the wisdom of cleaning and coloring. Even in good times, if the price of one dress can be made to cover two, it's certainly worth trying for.

In times not quite so good, when it is hard to spare the price for even one gown, dyeing solves the problem. It's a heap better and cheaper to pay two dollars for coloring the old blue dress than it is to pay ten dollars for a new black one.

The principle—and the practice too—is the same in men's clothes—try it.

Hillier & Co. 175 NORTH AVE.

"Seeing is Believing."

Simple, Beautiful, Good—these words mean much, but to see "The Rochester" will impress the truth more forcibly. Its marvelous light is purer and brighter than gas light, softer than electric light, and more cheerful than either. The choicest bric-a-brac in the palace of a Vanderbilt reveals nothing finer. We have 2,700 artistic varieties, in brass, bronze, silver and black iron.

Ladies often like to go down among the large wholesale houses and buy of first hands. They will find at our salesrooms (the largest in the world) a rare collection of Art in lamps. A catalogue to send you if you cannot come.

THE ROCHESTER LAMP CO.,
42 Park Place, } New York City.
37 Barclay St., }

"The Rochester."

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Vocal and Instrumental Instruction.

Walter A. Hudson (of New York), Voice Culture, Etc.
W. H. Miner, Piano, Boy voice Training and Theory.
STUDIO—29 & 30 STILLMAN BUILDING, NO. 212 W. FRONT ST., PLAINFIELD, N. J. 10 3 tf

WHEN? NOW. WHERE? PARK AVE. WHO? WILLETT'S.

SPECIAL

Ladies' $2.50 Hand Welt Button reduced to Two Dollars ($2.00.)
Do you wear 2½, 4 or 7? It doesn't make any difference, we have your size.

107 PARK AVENUE,

LOTS ON THE INSTALLMENT PLAN.

J. F. MACDONALD

Has a few left over from his two auction sales

At Netherwood

There is no better time to build a house than now. Men want work; you can build cheaply and at the same time help others. 2 9 tf

HATTER & HALLOCK,

109 West Front Street,

Will be pleased to show you the latest styles in Hats, whether you wish to purchase or not.

EMULSION COD LIVER OIL

WITH HYPOPHOSPHITES.

Trial size only 35c. Full pint bottle 65c. Be sure you get

LEGGETT'S, Front Street and Park Ave.

International Fur Store,

114 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J.

FURS

REPAIRED, ALTERED AND STORED.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The High School had no Washington Birthday exercises.

—The dry goods stores will keep open till 12 noon tomorrow.

Charles Lyman, Jr., eldest boy of the family, aged 5, is very ill.

—The drug stores will be closed tomorrow afternoon from 1 to 6.

—Red Men's Hall has been engaged for a concert by the Liederkranz April 2.

—Buy one of those big-value boxes of stationery at Harper's, 411 Park avenue.

—James Dady this morning in the City Court paid a $2 fine for stealing coal from the railroad.

—The W. C. T. U. plans two more soup kitchens—one at the West End, and one in the Borough.

—L. B. Woolston bowled the high score of 232 on the Board of Trade alleys yesterday afternoon.

—In the Crescent Avenue Church Friday evening, P. L. Conde and Clarence Eick will give a musical.

—Daisy Dunn, daughter of F. W. Dunn of Sandford avenue, fell on the ice yesterday, dislocating her elbow.

—The second game of the second series between the C. Y. M. L. Jrs. and the Coachmen will be rolled Friday night.

—The rush for The Magic City at White's is great. Everyone wants it and if you have n't got yours do n't delay.

—Clarence Mundy caught a horse owned by Grocer P. M. Demarest, which started to run away yesterday afternoon.

—On account of the illness of the late Charles P. Leggett no degree was worked at the meeting of Jerusalem Lodge last night.

—The game between the C. Y. M. L. bowling team and the Field Club in Elizabeth has been postponed until a week from Friday night.

—You can put in tomorrow night very very enjoyably in Grace M. E. Church, at the Washington entertainment of the Ladies Aid Society.

—The slight defect in the front wall of Hotel Grenada has been remedied. A number of the bricks had loosened by the rain rotting the mortar.

—Those who will lead in the grand march at the masquerade ball of Iona Council had a full-dress rehearsal at the home of Mrs. H. Weigman last night.

—The League game between the Elizabeth Athletic Club and the Parks to be rolled tonight, has been postponed till Tuesday, Feb. 27, on the Park alleys.

—By error yesterday Edsall's ad used the expression "perfect goods for seconds" instead of "seconds for perfect goods". The correct reading is as published today.

—The game between the Board of Trade and West Ends of Somerville, which was down for tomorrow afternoon, is postponed on account of the death of Charles P. Leggett.

—J. W. VanSickle of North avenue has six alligators on exhibition in the office of his meat market. The largest is two feet long. They were brought from the South by Frank Hand.

—F. H. Cheeswright's third organ recital attracted a large and appreciative audience to Holy Cross Church last evening. The recitals will be continued every Tuesday evening during Lent.

—Justice Mosher today gave a judgment of $95.67 and costs for the plaintiff in the case of Linke against Sullivan. The suit on contract of Long and Company against Miller was settled out of court.

—Policeman Thomas McCue found a check for $300 on Seventh street yesterday afternoon. It was drawn by Bryant Harpending, of 441 West Seventh street, on the City National Bank, and was restored.

—In its notice of the approaching fair and festival in Vincent Chapel, The Press yesterday stated that the fair will be open from 3 to 5 p. m. It should have been from 3 to 10 p.m. Every hour of that time will be full of enjoyment.

—Workmen being still employed in the new addition to the North Plainfield School, no exercises in memory of Washington were held this afternoon. The building will be open for public inspection tomorrow afternoon from 1 to 4.

—The twentieth annual sociable of Division No. 4, A. O. H., will be held in Saengerbund Hall, Monday evening, March 26. The committee consists of John F. Sheehan, Joseph Galbraith, Thos. Brown, Edward Ryan and Michael Regan. The music will be by O'Reilly.

—An entertainment will be given for the benefit of the Pastime Athletic Association in their rooms, 408 East Fifth street, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. The programme will consist of gymnastics on the horizontal bar, Indian-club exercises, harmonica solos, dancing and singing.

—In the appeal case of Pike and VanRiper, which came up at Trenton yesterday, Jackson & Angleman, for Pike, obtained in the Supreme Court, on certiorari from the Court of Common Pleas of Union County, a rule from the Court of Common Pleas to amend their return to the writ. Geo. DeMeza appeared for Miss VanRiper.

—The annual meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Elizabeth District will be held in the Fulton Street Methodist Episcopal Church, Elizabeth, Monday, Feb. 26, with sessions at 10:30 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. An earnest invitation is extended to all Methodist women. Lunch will be served. The train leaving Plainfield at 9:32 reaches Elizabeth at 10. Take the street-car to Elizabethport.

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure only 1c a dose; 25c, 50c, $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North ave., opp. station.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation; 25c, 50c, $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North ave., opp. station.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn. says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life: I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble; 75c. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North avenue, opp railroad station.

Head and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. Ely's Liquid Cream Balm was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure For sale by L. W. Randolph, 93 West Front street. Price $1.00.

OBITUARY.

Charles P. Leggett.

The death of Charles P. Leggett occurred at 10:40 this morning, at his late home, 822 Madison avenue.

Less than a week ago this cheery spirit whom all Plainfielders had grown to love, was one of our most active and vigorous young men. Thursday afternoon he went sleighing, and Thursday night he bowled in the game of the Alert Hose Company against the Board of Trade. During Thursday night he was seized with a congestive chill; and Dr. D. C. Adams, who was summoned next morning, found that pneumonia had developed.

In spite of all that human skill could do, the condition of the patient rapidly grew worse. The crisis in the disease was reached last night. Dr. Adams, faithful friend and untiring physician, was in attendance at the bedside all night, and up to the very hour when death, defying all that man could do, set its seal upon the head of the smitten family.

Mr. Leggett was a most devoted husband and father, a young man whose principles were faithful to Christ's teachings. The entire community has a grevious loss in his untimely calling away, and the only consolation is the consciousness of his trust and faith in a higher life. Mr. Leggett was an Episcopalian, but lately had been an attendant and worker in Trinity Reformed Church.

In the fraternities of man Mr. Leggett was a valued brother. He was King in Jerusalem Chapter, No. 24, Royal Arch Masons; Worshipful Master in Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. and A. M.; First Assistant of Alert Hose Company; a member of Trinity Commandery, No. 17, Knights Templar; of Mecca Temple, Mystic Shrine; of Senate Lodge, No. 3543, Knights of Honor; of Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum; of the A. O. U. W.; and of the Board of Trade; of Goodwill Council, Jr. O. U. A. M. of New Brunswick; and was President of the Crescent Wheelmen. He had been in the Royal Arcanum only two months. He was also a member of Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F.

He leaves a widow and two children, a little boy and a little girl. 3 brothers survive him, and a sister, Mrs. Fred H. Martin.

His membership in the United Workmen was in Columbia Lodge, No. 58. He left Central Lodge last month.

Mr. Leggett was 33 years old. Episcopal services will be held at the house Saturday at 2:30.

Dr. Rodman will officiate, assisted by Rev. Cornelius Schenck. Masonic services will be held at the grave.

Merry Time at the Frenches' Home.

A few friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. Frank French called at their cosy home, 67 Somerset street, last evening, and laughed enough to grow fat, over the games and antics performed by host and hostess and friends. Among the many games played was a potato race in which Miss Lizzie DeCamp and George L. VanEmburgh were given prizes for making best "time". The exhibition of "mind-reading" a la Calef, by Mr. and Mrs. French, was very mystifying and entertaining, and the Freemasonry by two young ladies was great. After refreshments were served, "Robin Hood" and other popular airs were played on the piano by Miss Lillian A. Force, who was compelled to respond to encores. Mr. French weighed the entire party, and footed up the total weight of all (10 in number) as 1,339½ pounds. It was near midnight before the good-nights were said, and even then all regretted to part after so enjoyable an evening.

All High, But Westfield Higher.

High scores were made in the contest between the Board of Trade bowlers and the Athletic Club in Westfield last night, especially by the home team. The Plainfielders were beaten by eighty-four pins, being behind from the start. The scores:

WESTFIELD.		B. OF T.	
Baker	156	Teel	174
Decker	188	Littell	159
Marsh	187	Stephenson	139
Chamberlin	166	VanAistyne	139
Ferris	180	Barnes	160
Mangam	137	Maltby	167
Dennis	135	Andrews	118
Shove	143	Petrie	142
Love	154	Buckle	165
VanWinkle	169	Vail	158
	1615		1531

BY FRAMES:

B. of T.	143	284	452	590	736	878	1038	1197	1364	1531	
Westfield	180	360	533	696	842	1006	1171	1327	1466	1615	

Coachmen Get There.

A number of the bowlers were absent last night and the proposed prize game between the C. Y. M. L. Jrs. and the Coachmen did not take place. Two teams were arranged, however, and a pleasant evening spent with the following result:

LYCEUMS.		COACHMEN.	
Whalen	145	Waters	168
M. Riggins	120	Weirenga	144
Moran	110	O'Donnely	126
Guinee	139	McDonough	104
W. Riggins	158	Dwyer	126
Owens	97	Delahanty	132
H. Riggins	139	O'Connor	146
Strapp	105	Tunison	95
Thomas	138	Hansen	126
Smith	122	Gill	122
	1273		1307

The Mrgantic's Officer Vindicated.

The loss of Ithamar Howe's suit for $50,000 damages against Isaac O. Woodruff is a complete vindication of the ex-President of the Megantic Club. Howe claimed that while he was acting as steward of the Megantic Club Woodruff was intimate with Mrs. Howe, and that ultimately she had left her husband and lived at 8 Decatur street, Boston. Woodruff claimed that his relations with her were innocent. The testimony of Counselor W. K. McClure and other witnesses of similar high standing effectually repudiated Howe's claims.

—VanEmburgh's store will be closed all day tomorrow.

The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands can testify. Proper local treatment is positively necessary to success, but many, if not most, of the remedies in general use afford but temporary relief. A cure certainly cannot be expected from snuffs, powders, douches and washes. Ely's Cream Balm, which is so highly commended, is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power, with perfect safety and pleasantness to the patient. The druggists all sell it. 2 23 y

PARTICULAR MENTION

Robert Loughlin is still improving.

Ex-Mayor L. V. F. Randolph of East Front street is home again from a western trip.

Thomas Clacy, who fell from A. M. Griffen's truck recently, is much improved.

Robert McNabb of Randolph road is recovering from the effects of his fall from a haymow.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hyde and Miss Hyde of East Front street returned from the South yesterday.

Frank Hubbard, who has been so ill in Boston, is improving so that he hopes to be home in a few days.

Frank Hand, son of Captain Wm. Hand, returned from Sandford, Fla., by the famous Clyde Line yesterday.

Miss Salma Bergner, of New York, is spending a few days with Miss Annie Angerbauer of East Third street.

Daniel Conway, of East Third street, is out again after being confined to the house by a sprained ankle for two weeks.

Rev. and Mrs. Herbert Randolph are expected home this afternoon to occupy their apartments at Mrs. Harned's, 19 Craig place.

Mrs. Robert Lowry, of Madison avenue, entertained a large number of her acquaintances this afternoon with readings and recitations, followed by an informal reception.

Mrs. S. A. Ginna has loaned her valuable painting, Gilbert Stewart's original portrait of Washington, for use in the memorial decorations in the Public Library tomorrow.

About one hundred people from Newark, Rahway, Springfield and the country between Plainfield and Elizabeth, attended the dance in the Watchung Clubhouse in Fanwood, last night, arranged by W. S. Harrison, Clarence Lambert and H. L. Randolph. Thirty dances were listed, and the music of Sam Frazee continued till 3 this morning. Supper was served in the basement.

A birthday surprise party was given to Abner Bartlett, Jr., last night, at which the singing, dancing and supper all were good. The guests, besides men from Mr. Bartlett's office, included Miss Angie Feytel, Miss Stella Feytel, Miss Lena Weber, Miss Helen Sumbatoff of New York, Miss Billings, Miss Bigelow, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smalley, Mr. and Mrs. Will F. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Harned, and Peter VanDeventer.

Dr. Ketcham's Call.

Rev. Dr. K. P. Ketcham is seriously considering a call the decision on which he hopes to reach early next week.

With great unanimity and urgency he has been called to a Presbyterian church in Freeport, L. I. The church is not now large, but it is the only Presbyterian church in the town, and the town is growing with great rapidity. It is 22 miles from New York on the Great South Bay. It has two pleasant parks finely laid out, on which new houses are springing up in all directions. Up to and through the park on the south side of the railroad, a canal is now being dug at great expense by a steam dredge, from the bay toward the town, 75 feet wide, and 6 feet deep at low water. When this is completed, it will make perhaps the best fishing and yachting station on the Island, being only six miles from the ocean and directly opposite the fine New Inlet, with its open course-way to the ocean and the famous bluefish grounds.

Plainfield Will Cases.

This morning at Elizabeth the Stites will case came up before Judge McCormick. Craig A. Marsh secured the appointment of guardians for the three minor children and moved that the case be referred to the Surrogate to take testimony. The time set was March 19, 20, 21. The other lawyers in the case are: Jackson & Angleman, W. A. Coddington, W. R. Codington, W. L. Hetfield, and J. D. Cleaver of Newark. W. L. Hetfield is assisting Mr. Marsh.

In the Catherine Craig will case a similar motion in regard to the taking of testimony prevailed, and the hearing set for March 26. R. V. Lindabury is against Mr. Marsh in this case.

Rahwegians Won.

The Dunellen Bowling team went to Rahway last evening and rolled an interesting game with the "Just Woke-Ups". The Woke-Ups won by 80 pins.

Each side has won a game, and there are four more to play.

After the game the home team gave an elaborate spread and every body had an enjoyable time. The following is the score:

DUNELLEN.		JUST WOKE UP.	
Giles	128	Browne	150
Neal	155	Buerwith	157
Young	143	Bennett	130
Shepherd	126	Schmiller	192
Voehl	141	Houseman	143
Case	146	Wilson	136
Krewson	163	Acken	128
Taylor	117	Gaskill	163
	1113		1199

Valentine Domino Sociable.

Seventy-five were present last night at the valentine domino sociable at Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Maynard's. The tables were decorated with a pyramid made of valentines, and valentines adorned the walls.

At small tables all played dominoes. The event was a great success, and a good sum was realized for the Emmanuel Baptist Church fund. The committee consisted of Mrs. E. B. Maynard, Mrs. M Mitchell, Mrs. H. Mitchell, Mrs. L. Randolph, Mrs. VanPelt, and Mrs. B. Cuff, who thank all who contributed towards the success.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY.—"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75c. Sold by H. P. Reynolds, druggist, Plainfield. 12 6 3m

—The Street Committee of the Council met and discussed various propositions last night.

2,000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from C. W. Mazon, Farina, Ills., says: "I consider your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have been in the drug business fourteen years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal satisfaction." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents. 12 22 y

SUPREME COURT TO DECIDE.

Quo Warranto Proceedings to Determine the Senate Muddle.

(Special to The Press.)

TRENTON, Feb. 21.—A writ of quo warranto against Senators Rogers and Adrain has just been filed in the Supreme Court, returnable a week from next Monday.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

At His Namesake School.

The Washington School celebration today was as follows:

Singing—America.....School
Dialogue—The Washington Club,
President—Miriam Sherwin.
Members of Club—Adda Huselton, Ida Tallamy, Ella Baker, Joseph Farlee, Gerald Cashman, Albert Yaeger, Henry Wyman.
Recitation—Our Flag.....May Serrell
Recitation—February Twenty-Second,
Emma Larew
Singing—Our Native Land.....School
Recitation—A Talk With Grandpa,
Stella Hill
Recitation—If—.....Edna Burr
Singing—Ring Out the Gladsome Bells,
School
Dialogue—Washington.....Ten Boys
Singing—Our Washington.....Primary Class
Recitation—February.....Fred Linn
Recitation—A Joke on Grandpa,
Flossie Gorton
Salute to Flag, and chorus.

The Day in Bryant School.

The following Washington's Birthday programme was observed in Bryant School today:

Music—America.....School
Reading—Twenty-second of February,
Edna Moore
Washington's Name.....First Year Pupils
The True Story of the Hatchet—
Mary Duckworth
(Illustrated by Wm. Whiting and David Smalley.)
Our Hero.....Herbert DuBois
Revolutionary Tea.....Fourth Year Class
The First Flag.....Emma Corne
Like Washington.....Third Year Pupils
The Young Hero.....Boys of Fourth Year
Charade.....First Year Class
Vocal Solo—Serenade.....Miss May Mulford
Reading—Song of Hail Columbia,
Harry Messersmith
Patriotic Quotations.....Sixth Year Class
Song—Hail Columbia.....School
Anecdotes from the Life of Washington,
Seventh Year Class
Piano Solo.....Miss Florence Rugg
Selections from Washington's Rules....School
Singing—Washington's Birthday.....School
Reading—How the Star-Spangled Banner was Written....Clara Crane
Tribute to Washington.....Kendall Mason
Unveiling Portrait of Washington—
Florence Smalley and Ethel VanZandt
Salute to the Flag.....School
Song—Star-Spangled Banner.....School

Pleading for Liberty.

The Washington Birthday exercises in Franklin School today were as follows:

Flag Salute.....School
Three Cheers for Red, White and Blue.
Building Washington's Monument—
Alberta Livezey, Mabel Pound, Monroe Long, Pierson Morgans, Harry Hann, Lester Radford, Mary Dunham, Anna Randall, Roland Chandor, Jessie Maclay.
Song—Washington.....School
Address.....Dr. Lewis
Song—Our Starry Banner.....School
A Question by George Washington himself,
Master Ulrich
The Colloquy of Nations, or China, Russia, Germany, Scotland, Spain, France, Ireland, and America pleading for Liberty,
Misses Dunn, Rowland, Truell

Irving's Tribute.

Irving School held the following exercises for Washington's Birthday, today:

Singing—Praises to Our Hero.....School
Recitation—Our Washington.....James Gray
Recitation—February,.....Ray Roseberry
Singing.....Pupils of Second Primary Grade
Sketch of Washington—Written by James Hallard and read by Marion Woodcock
Song—God's Commands.....School
Dialogud—What we know about our Hero,
Percy Hand, Emma Craig, John Honan, Annie Peterson, George Whitley, Bessie Walls, Lewis Drake, Jessie Stewart.
Singing—Mount Vernon Bells.....School
Recitation—A Promise.....Wm. Montgomery
Recitation—What I Would Like,
Albert Cowling
Singing.....Pupils First Grade B Class
a. The Moon. b. The Stars. c. The Baker.
Dialogue—The Intelligent School
Teacher—Daisy Bronard.
Pupils—Irven DeHart, May Batchelor, Emma Foster, John Kenney.
Singing—In Winter Time.....School
Hoop Drill.....Pupils of Seventh Grade
Singing—Nature Gives No Sorrow.....School
Remarks.
Patriotic Songs.

DROP "THE NOTCH"!

Lincoln Gap, Let It Be!

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Kindly set me forth a little space, while I make a suggestion to the worthy Mayor and Common Council of the Borough. Visiting a friend in New Bruswick some time ago, he excited my interest in no small measure in a map which he had—a map of Plainfield and vicinity, only without any Plainfield. It was dated 1807 and "drawn by S. Lewis from surveys by order of General Washington". While Plainfield was not eligible to a local habitation and a name, Bound Brook, Scotch Plains, Samptown, "Quibbletown", "Matuchen" "Spank Town or Rahway", were.

But what I specially desire to call attention to is this, the name "Lincoln Gap" at what is now the northern terminus of Somerset street, and the only designated spot anywhere between Bound Brook and Scotch Plains. In these days when old things become new with such facility in our city nomenclature, would it not be altogether appropriate for our City Fathers over the brook to revive the now more than ever honored name, and in the region of the old "Gap" have a "Lincoln" park, or square, or avenue, or station? A Washington map with a Lincoln designation conveys at least a hint to us—in this direction—does it not, City Fathers?

Feb 20, 1894. K P. KETCHAM.

How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

West & Truax, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. a bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free. 7 30 3y

Popular Plays in Music Hall.

The Waite Comedy Company now filling a week engagement in Music Hall drew another big house last night, and all the town is enthusiastic over the performances. The plays presented are of excellent merit, and the casts strong. The musical and dancing specialties are a delight, and the band is as good as Plainfield has ever heard. Another new play will be presented tonight, at 10, 20 and 30 cents a seat, and crowded houses are anticipated tomorrow, both matinee and evening. The matinee admission is one dime.

Although many remedies are pushed into the market by spicy advertisements, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup takes the lead.

Progressive Card Party.

Four tables were occupied by a progressive card party in the Mansion House, Bound Brook, last night. For the first prize feminine, Mrs. Webb; Mrs. Force and Miss Force tied, and Miss Force won on the play-off. For second prize, Mrs. Drummond and Miss Maurice tied, and Mrs. Drummond won. Mrs. Manning won third. For the first prize masculine, Mr. Drummond, Mr. Webb and Will F Williams tied, Mr. Drummond won on the play-off. Mr. Ramsey won second and Mr. Manning third. The prizes were very pretty. Refreshments were served, and dancing followed till midnight. It was a delightful event.

—Excitement over a false alarm of fire aroused the guests in Peter Wright's Hotel New Netherlands last night.

A VETERAN'S VERDICT.

The War is Over. A Well-known Soldier, Correspondent and Journalist Makes a Disclosure.

Indiana contributed her thousands of brave soldiers to the war, and no state bears a better record in that respect than it does. In literature it is rapidly acquiring an enviable place. In war and literature Solomon Yewell, well known as a writer as "Sol," has won an honorable position. During the late war he was a member of Co. M, 3d. N. Y. Cavalry and of the 13th Indiana Infantry Volunteers. Regarding an important circumstance he writes as follows:

"Several of us old veterans here are using Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine, Heart Cure and Nerve and Liver Pills, all of them giving splendid satisfaction. In fact, we have never used remedies that compare with them. Of the Pills we must say they are the best combination of the qualities required in a preparation of their nature we have ever known. We have none but words of praise for them. They are the outgrowth of a new principle in medicine, and tone up the system wonderfully. We say to all, try these remedies."—Solomon Yewell, Marion, Ind., Dec. 5, 1892.

These remedies are sold by all druggists on a positive guarantee, or sent direct by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind., on receipt of price. $1 per bottle, six bottles $5, express prepaid. They positively contain neither opiates nor dangerous drugs.

Sold by A D Mallinson, 205 North Avenue, opp. station.

NOTICE. February, 3, 1894.

Estate of Bernhardt B. Gray, deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the county of Union, this day made, on the application of the undersigned, executrix of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from this date, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

EMMA M. GRAY, Executrix.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT.—Notice is hereby given that the account of the subscriber, administrator of Katharine Bauermann, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the seventh day of February next.

FREDERICK J. BAUERMANN.

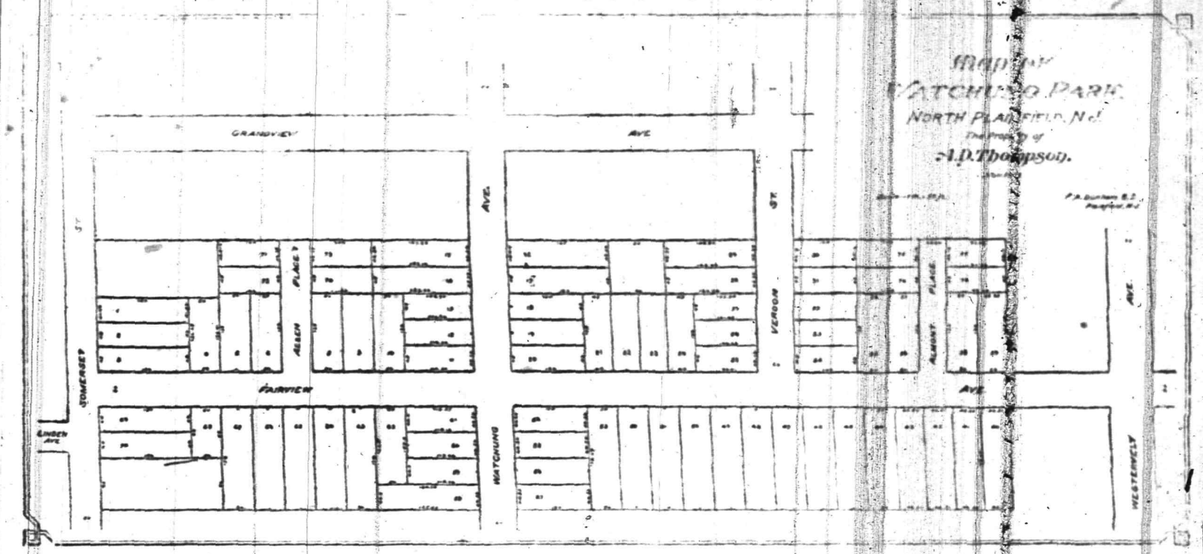
Dated November 30, 1893. 12 1 10-ouw

Watchung Park Property.

Handsomely Situated Building Lots

Now Offered for Sale.

THIS PROPERTY is in the heart of the recently opened residence section of the city, being within a few minutes walk of the Central railroad station.
THE NEW WATCHUNG PARK, with its new streets and avenues, will be among the handsomest residence sections in this pretty suburban place.
ONLY HIGH GRADE RESIDENCES will be erected. The neighborhood will be restricted, making it as desirable as any in Plainfield.
ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS will be in force by early spring. The work of macadamizing the streets is now being pushed rapidly.
ELECTRIC CARS pass the property. Electric lights, gas and city water will be introduced as soon in the spring as they are needed.
SCORES OF BEAUTIFUL HOMES now fronting on Sandford and Westervelt avenues have been located on the Crescent's ball field.
JUST AS PROPERTY VALUES jumped in Sandford and Westervelt avenues, so they will also increase rapidly in Watchung Park. Those who buy now will reap the benefit of an early investment.
THE LOTS are about 50x150 feet in size, and the printed map of the property will give the public necessary information as to their location.



For further information regarding prices and terms, copies of the above map, etc., address or call upon

A. D. THOMPSON,
147 North avenue, opposite railroad station, Plainfield, N. J.

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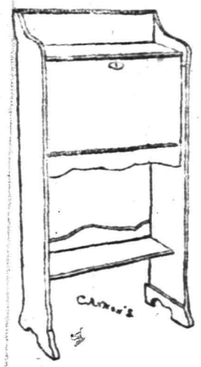

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Thursday and Friday, (Washington's Birthday,) Feb. 22 and 23.
Afternoon and Evening.
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All the "cuss-words" you can think of won't improve your laundry work if you take it to a second-grade place. "Language" won't keep the linen white, when the washer uses alkaline soap and harmful bleaches.

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By urgent request of her former patrons,
MRS. DR. EDWARDS,
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Sign upstairs. Office hours 9 to 9.
Ladies 50c. to $1. Gentlemen $1.
The lady wishes to state that she stopped here by urgent request on her way west, and it is positively your last opportunity to see her. Call at once and consult the most gifted medium on earth. 2 21 1w

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A FIGHT FOR MILLIONS.

By JOHN J. McGINNISS.

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CHAPTER XVI.

MORTIMER'S LAST WORDS TO MANGAN.

Dr. Leland went up stairs to the apartments of the Mortimers, where Inez welcomed him as warmly as if he had been absent years instead of hours.

In the short time they had known each other these two had become great friends. There was a sympathy between them that had spoken more in actions than in words, and Inez, as she searched her heart to account for the strange fascination he exercised upon her, was convinced that for the first time in her life she loved.

In all her intercourse with Raymond she had never been swayed with the emotions that had lately stirred her. She had respected Raymond because he had been her brother's friend, and her brother himself had frequently spoken to her of Raymond's attentions and their significance. It was gratitude to a benefactor that she showed, not love such as was now surging within her, and in the innocence and simplicity of her nature she was being dragged into deception—a deception to herself more than to Raymond. Now love in its fullness cleared the vision of her affections and brought before her a truer appreciation of the eccentricity of feeling that refuses to play upon the subtler senses till the song of the emotions has an affinity for its audience.

When we last saw her, she was reading the home paper that reported her brother's resignation. Philip explained it to her. He did not thoroughly recount the details with which we are familiar, and the suppression of his own inner questionable relations with Raymond gave to the story a stronger semblance of injustice to her brother, whom Inez deemed the soul of honor. It was this devotion to her brother, the attrition of years of study for his happiness, to preserve which Dr. Leland would sacrifice millions and forego vengeance on Raymond. He did not want it undermined, and his physician's judgment told him that its destruction might mean her own.

Give woman an ideal in which her affections are centered, and her own reason is overthrown with it, if the iconoclast succeeds in toppling her little god, whatever it may be. There are women who turn to fads, pastimes of an idle hour. These fair daughters of Eve, susceptible to the regnant frailties of humanity, pass from one allurement to another, untouched by the deeper passions. But the woman with a heart and soul spurring the exercise of mind cannot be fickle, and the man or cause she warms to can be dealt no blow she does not feel as keenly as the direct object of assault. It is this concentration of sentiment, created and crystallized in undivided interest, that keeps the memory of first love safe from everything but the grave, and that warms the mother more to the first born, round whom cluster the delights and the anxieties that ushered in the crowning glory of her womanhood—maternity.

Inez loved Dr. Leland. There was a tenderness in his words and actions toward her that evidenced reciprocity of feeling. There was much in common between them in their tastes, outside of the peculiarities of his professional researches, that brought them together in conversation and exalted each in the other's view. There was a mutual love for certain pursuits, and just as men or women, separate or jointly, beget from enthusiasm in one work—work agreeable and commanding united allegiance—a regard for one another, so did these young people draw closer and grow more dear to each other. Beyond that, they had a special cause for mutual esteem—building from an insight to each other's character an ideal that had a vivid personality typified in the pictures each saw while looking at the other.

"I have brought you news of your friend, Miss Le Clair," said Dr. Leland to Inez as he entered.

"Have you!" she exclaimed delightedly. "Oh, I'm so glad. How is she? Was it Mr. Mangan who brought it? Oh, I wish I could see him! Tell me how she is."

"You will not let me."

"I'll be so quiet. Go on."

"She is well. But he didn't see her when he left. Do you know they have quarreled?"

"Oh, no; they couldn't. She thought so much of him."

"You cannot account for it?"

"No; but why did he tell you this? Is he so worried?"

"I'll answer later. Do you know who Isabel Le Clair is?"

"I fancy she is some relation to the mother superior of the Convent of Mercy, but I never inquired."

"She is my sister."

"What! Your sister?"

"Yes. It is a long story. We were parted when young, and circumstances kept one ignorant of the other's existence. Mr. Mangan will bring us together."

"And he and Isabel part?"

"I hope not. We shall see, but I judge it will be hard to induce him to return. I can see that he is not willing to make advances since her position is to cease to be dependent."

"I can tell him something. I know how much she cares for him. And just think we shall all go home together!"

Dr. Leland said nothing. He had, in many little ways, tried to suggest to her the impossibility of her brother's return. Mortimer had contracted insidious pneumonia on the journey—sneaking pneumonia, some physicians term it, from the fact that its germs imperceptibly develop and give no outward sign of their annihilating influence until they have intrenched themselves in the system and combined to down the victim almost at the first onslaught.

Inez attributed his silence to the retrospect suggested in the strange revelation he had received from Mangan. In reality he did not want to concur in her expectations and hesitated to make known the truth—that her brother would soon be summoned to appear before the tribunal of the Most High.

"How is your brother today?" he asked, turning from the subject of the homeward journey.

"He seems to me to be better, but the nurse shakes her head when I say so."

"I'm afraid, if the nurse doesn't agree with you, that you are wrong. I hope not, though. I'll go in and see him."

In a few minutes Dr. Leland and Philip Mortimer were alone. The physician saw that the sick man's vitality was rapidly ebbing and that his hours were numbered. The breathing was more laborious, and each word of the greeting to the doctor was punctuated by asthmatical interruptions.

"Philip," said the physician, who had become friendly with his patient, "did you see the clergyman I sent here today? He came as the pastor of this parish, and Inez has not suspected, he tells me. But what I have told you cannot now be concealed from her. You will soon leave us all. Have you been prepared?"

"I am ready; but, oh, what would I not give to be able to go back with you!"

The words came slowly. The doctor took Mortimer's right hand and held it.

"Everything will be all right, Philip."

"And you'll care for Inez?"

"I love her."

"Ask her to come in. It is best."

"I will. Mangan has arrived. He knows all. He has found my sister. She is known to you as Isabel Le Clair."

Dr. Leland volunteered all this to spare the energy of the dying man, who would be sure to ask questions on all these points

"That's good. I would like to see him."

"He will be here later. I'll call Inez."

Dr. Leland left the sickroom and sent the nurse to notify the clerk that Laurence Mangan, when he called, should be sent up to the Mortimer apartments. Then, turning to Inez, he said:

"I must ask you to be brave. A change for the worse has taken place. The long neglect of himself has sapped your brother's energy, and he cannot combat the disease. For his sake bear up. He wants to see you."

"It is the worst, then?"

"The best for him. His suffering will not be prolonged."

The curtains of night were drawing closer, and the rooms were growing darker. The doctor reached up to the electric chandelier in passing, and the light soon streamed down through the tinted globes—a mellowed, subdued and harmonious radiance.

Dr. Leland and Inez entered together. She went to Philip's bedside, fell down on her knees, put her arms around his neck and kissed him. He felt the warm tears on his cheek.

"Don't cry, Inez," he said. "It is all for the best."

"Oh, Philip, don't talk that way! God will spare you."

"No, Inez, Dr. Leland will tell you."

"Oh, doctor, is it true?" she implored.

"Too true," he answered as he also knelt down, appearing to feel the pulse of the dying man, but really to be nearer with consolation.

Mortimer moved the other hand until he had brought it to his sister's. He placed hers in the doctor's, and instinctively they looked at each other, then cast down their glances on the hands on which Mortimer's rested.

"Doctor, will you protect her if she will have it so! I know she loves you," said Mortimer. "Am I right, Inez?"

The head was still bowed, and no response came. While her brother asked the question, the doctor's hand pressed hers. For answer, she returned the pressure, and the quick, impressionable sense of the dying man noticed the consent and understood the meaning so delicately conveyed.

"Let not my death deter the realization of your happiness," said Mortimer.

Talking was becoming painful to him. The thirst that comes upon one dying from the complications Mortimer was afflicted with annoyed him. The nurse's wand, wetting his parched lips with champagne or helping him to small drafts.

A tap on the door startled them. In the stillness of this scene the sound came like the rapping of the messenger of death.

"It is Mangan," said Dr. Leland.

"Nurse, admit him."

Mangan was ushered in and was unprepared for the scene before him. Inez buried her face in the pillow and sobbed aloud. Mortimer's hand raised perceptibly. He was no longer able to lift it high. Mangan divined his intention and advanced to the bedside, took the hand and said:

"Phil, I'm sorry."

"Forgive me," begged the dying man.

"I've nothing to forgive," said Mangan. "Don't give way. You may pull through yet."

Mortimer shook his head. His voice was growing fainter. He motioned to Mangan to bend lower, and the newspaper man complied.

"In my library at home is a diary kept by my old friend with whom Raymond and I studied. On his deathbed

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he expressed the desire that it should be sent to me. I locked it away—never reading it—get the key from Inez. Maybe the book tells something about"——

The voice faltered. Inez was bewildered. She did not understand the purport of the words. She looked from her brother to Mangan, then turned to the doctor. A gurgling sound welled up from Mortimer's throat, the feet of the dying man grew colder, the heart's power depreciated. Gradually the frost of death crept up his limbs. He battled against the giant that came to strangle him, and Inez appealed to the doctor to give him relief. Never did his profession seem less powerful to him, never did the science of medicine appear less potent, less worthy of practice than now, when he had to express his regret at his inability to ease the pain that tossed the sufferer from side to side.

"Then God be merciful," exclaimed Inez. "Spare him this suffering."

The eyes of the dying man were directed to her, then wandered to the doctor. A momentary glance at Mangan, and the eyes rested again on Inez and again beseechingly on the physician. The icy progress of the great conqueror had advanced to the vitals. Faster it went, the nearer it approached the heart. There was a sudden shudder, the body writhed, the seat of life had been struck, unconsciousness came, and Philip Mortimer awakened in eternity.

CHAPTER XVII.

THE SECRET OF THE DIARY.

Laurence Mangan supervised the arrangements for the temporary entombment of the body of Philip Mortimer, which was placed in a receiving vault in Denver until such time as preparations would be completed for its transfer.

Some days later Dr. Leland, Mangan and Inez left Denver. Dr. Leland had been very attentive to Inez. He had been assiduous in her interest, assuming the manner and privileges of the guardian more than those of the physician, and his care and love soothed her anguished heart.

Mangan had a strange presentiment that the diary Mortimer had referred to contained some allusions that would give the motive of Raymond and afford a clew to lead to his humiliation and dethronement, even if it no further elucidated the mystery of the Lelands. There might in that diary be some record that could be used as a club over Raymond to compel him to do justice.

"What was meant by Phil about this diary? His words sounded so queer."

This question was asked by Inez during the course of conversation one evening as the train sped eastward.

"He thought it might be of some use to Mangan in his newspaper work, I suppose," said Dr. Leland.

"I can soon tell when I see it," remarked Mangan.

Inez gave the keys of the house which she and her brother had occupied to Dr. Leland. They reached the city after nightfall, and so eager were Dr. Leland and Mangan to see the diary that they excused themselves shortly after arriving at the hotel and started for the Mortimers' old home, Inez never suspecting the object of their nocturnal walk.

They were soon in the library, and from a drawer filled with odds and ends of various sorts, municipal reports principally, they delved the old diary out of the place where it had lain for years. It was frayed and worn looking with knocking about by continual rummaging for papers. Mortimer had evidently not prized the volume, had not even deemed the gift of his old preceptor worthy of examination, and had cast it aside as the repository of a crank's outpourings. But Mangan handled the book reverently, untied the ribbon that sealed its pages, most likely as its original owner had left it, and opened it, the pages parting where the last memoranda had been written.

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12 43 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Bangor Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton.

5 08 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk, Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

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I followed their advice and visited the doctor on May 5. How glad I am that I took this step no one can realize who has not been similiarly situated. The doctor gave me a complete history of my case, describing with surprising accuracy the conditions and symptoms which I had endured for years, but what gave me the greatest surprise and pleasure was when he assured me that there was no need of any surgical operation. Proper means, he said, would overcome my troubles without any surgery. I commenced at once to follow Dr. Starkweather's directions and treatment. Having gradually and steadily improved since that time, as he stated I would, until now I am the wonder of all my friends, while rejoicing in renewed health, strength and spirits. Am constrained by a sense of duty and gratitude to accord the praise due Dr. S. for his gentle, soothing and skillful treatment of my case, and advise all sufferers from whatever cause to consult this eminent physician.

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HOUSE IN AN UPROAR

Three Hours of Most Disorderly Scenes.

The Trouble Brought About By the Arrest of Members—Reminded By the Speaker that This is the House of Representatives and Not a Beer Garden—Senate Does Little.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The house celebrated Washington's birthday by three hours of the most disorderly proceedings of the session. There was no bitterness manifested, except in one or two instances, the members being generally in good temper, but the lack of decorum has not been equalled in years. It became so marked at one point that the speaker protem. (Mr. Dockery, Mo.), announced that this was the house of representatives and not a beer garden. At the beginning, Mr. Cummings, (dem., N. Y.), rising to a question of the highest privilege, denounced with much feeling his arrest on the floor of the house previous to meeting as unbridled tyranny; and protesting against a farcical session on Washington's birthday, moved to adjourn. The motion was defeated. Other members, Hulick (rep., O.), Sickles (dem., N. Y.) and Johnson (rep., Ind.), denounced their arrests as unjustifiable and unauthorized.

After a futile motion to adjourn the chair announced that the question then recurred upon a motion to excuse Mr. Hulick. While he was endeavoring to state this, Mr. Sickles (dem., N. Y.), taking a position in the centre of the hall, in stentorian tones, asked recognition for a hearing upon a question of privilege, but Mr. Dockery proceeded with his call for the vote.

Between the yeas and nays he heeded Mr. Sickles demand, stating that he could not interrupt a division of the house.

Mr. Burrows called the attention of the chair to the fact that Mr Sickles had addressed the chair before the question was put.

The chair—But the chair did not hear the gentleman.

Mr. Sickles—Everybody else in house did hear me.

The confusion on the floor became so great that it was impossible from the clerk's desk to distinguish the orderly from the disorderly proceedings. Mr. Sickles remained standing on his one leg, holding his crutches besides him and endeavoring to complete his statement of privilege. In the meanwhile, Mr. Bland withdrew his motion to excuse Mr. Hulick, and asked that the house go into committee of the whole on his bill.

Mr. Springer (dem., Ill.), sitting near Mr. Sickles, urged him to take his seat.

Mr. Wilson (rep., Wash.) turned on Mr. Springer asking him why he wanted to make Mr. Sickles sit down merely for the purpose of getting up again "You've got two good legs," he said, "and can hop up and down at pleasure, but the general can't."

Mr. Sickles finally succeeded in getting his question of privilege stated. He said he had been informed that he was under arrest and he wanted to know if it were true, by what authority it had been done, and what was the charge against him.

The chair—The sergeant-at-arms will make report of his proceedings under the order of arrest.

By dint of vigorous use of the gavel, and refusing to heed the various members clamoring for recognition, the chair succeeded in securing an opportunity for Sergeant-at-arms Snow to present his report.

As the reading of the report by the clerk proceeded, there was a rush of members to the front of the desk, and at the close of the reading, the disorder had grown into a great uproar. The speaker pro tem. directed that the gentlemen named as under arrest present themselves at the bar of the house, but Gen. Sickles was again on his feet demanding a separate trial.

The speaker pro tem. (Mr. Dockery) pounded the desk with the gavel, appealing for order and saying: "This is the house of representatives and not a beer garden"—a sentiment which the galleries received with applause.

To Mr. Sickles' insistent demand that he be accorded a separate trial, the chair stated that "the gentleman from New York shall have a separate trial. But he must observe the rules of the house."

Mr. Sickles—I obey orders always. I insist upon a separate trial because I can show that the warrant isn't worth a wisp of straw, and the proceedings in my case would dispose of all the others."

The chair again directed that the members named as under arrest should present themselves at the bar. It had been impossible to get them to the front in a body. Names were then called, and Mr. Adams (rep., Penn.) presented himself and in reply to the chair said he had been in the state of Pennsylvania exercising the highest privilege of citizenship—voting for a member of this honorable house. And I am proud to say," Mr. Adams added, "that we rolled up a majority of over 177,000 in his favor." (Cheers from republicans side.)

Mr. Sickles—My object in demanding a separate trial, and was to show that the warrant was void. The sergeant-at-arms is liable to an action in damages to every member brought under it.

Mr. Reed moved that Mr. Adams be discharged, for the reason that his arrest was not authorized by the house.

The chair proceeded to put Mr. Reed's motion, stating the gentleman from Maine moves that the gentleman from Pennsylvania be discharged.

Mr. Reed—Because the arrest was unauthorized.

The Speaker—But the gentleman from Maine cannot interject an argument into a motion.

Mr. Reed—Oh. But he has. (Laughter).

Before a vote was taken on Mr. Reed's motion, Mr. Bland moved that the house adjourn, which, after more wrangling, prevailed.

Senate.

There was no business transacted in the senate beyond the passage of a house bill to extend the time for building a street railroad on the military reservation of Fort Riley, Kas. A discussion was started by Mr. Hoar (rep., Mass.) over an article in the New York Times relating to the establishment, in the state of Florida, of the Honduras lottery. And then the day's session was wound up by the reading of Washington's farewell address. It was the third time in late years of the observance of that ceremony, of which Mr. Hoar is the author. On the first occasion Mr. Ingalls of Kansas was the reader; on the second, Mr. Manderson, of Nebraska, and this year, Mr. Martin, of Kansas. There were very few senators present, and at the close of the reading the senate adjourned until Monday.

Tiring of Bland's Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—There are indications to-day that Mr. Bland has carried his seigniorage bill about as far as it is possible to do under existing conditions. The change in Mr. Bland's motion for terminating general debate on the seigniorge bill, extending the time for discussion until 3 o'clock on to-morrow afternoon, occasioned considerable surprise. Heretofore the motion has been to conclude debate in ten minutes or a half hour. In explanation of this change Mr. Bland said to a United Press reporter: "I moved to close debate on to-morrow at 3 o'clock because a number of Western republicans say they will support the bill and will vote to make a quorum if further time for debate was given, and it was demonstrated that the democrats from New York and their followers were determined the bill should not be considered."

PRAYERS TO END THE WAR.

An Eight-days' Observance Ordered By the Bishop of Rio Janeiro.

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RIO JANEIRO, Feb. 23.—The bishop of Rio has issued a letter calling the various congregations in his diocese to observance of an eight-days' period of fasting and prayer that the war may be ended.

President Peixoto sent an aide with a troop of cavalry to the United States legation conveying through the United States minister his felicitations to the government on the occasion of Washington's birthday.

Another Expedition to Labrador.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 23.—An expedition comprising ten persons will start from New York for Labrador in June next for the purpose of studying the geographical and natural features of that country. It will be under the auspices of the geographical society, of Philadelphia, and each member of the party will contribute $400 to help defray the expenses. The following have signified their intention of joining the expedition: Prof. Lightfoot, of the Avalon Summer school, geologist; Prof. Gifford, Swarthmore college, ethnology and manemalia; Mr. Cook, University of Virginia, Mr. Williams, University of Pennsylvania, ornithology and botany, and Alfred Wallenstein, University of Pennsylvania, botany.

Loss to Elizabethport.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Feb. 23.—The Singer Sewing Machine company has decided to do all its cabinet work at South Bend, Indiana, and will this week close that branch of work at their Elizabethport factory where considerable fine work was done, and which was the best labor paying department of their establishment. One hundred and fifty men will be thrown out of employment, but a few of them may go to South Bend, where the company has a large wood-working shop.

Paterson Ribbon Weavers' Troubles.

PATERSON, N. J., Feb. 23.—The ribbon weavers of the William Strange company mills will make a demand on New York prices to-day and to-morrow the operatives in the Pelgram & Myers, Horand & Son and the Meisch mills, will ask for the same schedule of wages. Those in the employ of Frank & Dugan were given all the increase they asked for, 25 per cent. None of the strikes inaugurated here this week have been settled.

Broke Jail to Return to His Trade.

WAVERLY, N. Y., Feb. 23.—Frank L. Russell, a young man who was arrested here several months ago while burglarizing Baldwin's shoe store, and who subsequently broke jail, was arrested yesterday at Towanda and returned to jail at Owego. Baldwin's store was burglarized last Monday night again and four pairs of shoes were taken. These were found in Russell's possession when he was arrested.

Dr. William B. Lapham Dead.

AUGUSTA, Me., Feb. 23.—Dr. William B. Lapham, 65 years old, a prominent writer on historical subjects, is dead at the Soldiers' home, where he had been taken for treatment. He was for many years editor of the Maine Farmer, secretary of the Main Press association, and member of the Maine Historical society and was past commander of Seth Williams Post, G. A. R.

Financial Troubles the Cause.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—It is now believed that financial troubles were the cause of the sudden and unexpected departure of Rev. Peter Williams, the prominent clergyman of Hackney, for America. The congregation of the City temple, Dr. Parker's church, where Dr. Williams often held the pulpit, are greatly surprised at the news.

This Suicide Not Known in Shelton.

SHELTON, Conn., Feb. 23.—Strong efforts have been made here to establish the identity of Mrs. Jennie Miner, who committed suicide in New York Wednesday, registering from Shelton. There is no such person known in this place nor in West Ansonia, the only village near here where a family named Miner lives.

Young Bank Teller Under Arrest.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb 23.—Jonathan M. Hunsberger, aged 27 years, is under arrest here on the charge of embezzling $2,500 from the United National bank at Sonderton, Montgomery county, Pa., of which he was the teller until October last.

Stanton Will Call on Herbert To-day.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Rear-Admiral Oscar F. Stanton will visit the navy department this afternoon to give Secretary Herbert any information he may desire about the wreck of the Kearsarge.

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EFFORTS FOR BAIL FOR WIMAN.

He Promises a Statement Which May Give Another Color to His Case.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Gen. Benjamin F. Tracy said this morning that he had been busy all day yesterday looking over the indictments and examining the papers relating to the charges made by Mr. Dun against Wiman, and that to-day he would endeavor to have his client released on bail. Mr. Wiman promises to speak when his turn comes and it is said that he will then give another color to the story already told of his alleged forgeries. He says that he has committed no crime, but only did what he considered he had a right to do by reason of his business relations with the mercantile agency. Beyond this single assertion Mr. Wiman declines to discuss the allegations made by Mr. Dun, until he is perfectly prepared to make public his promised statement of facts concerning the charges preferred against him.

Canadian Press Views.

TORONTO, Feb. 23.—Referring to Erastus Wiman's arrest, the evening Star says: "People will be loathe to adjudge Mr. Wiman guilty of the charges for which he is now under arrest, but if the stories told about him are true he is another example of a man of ability whom ambition has ruined. He began life as a poor boy, but a measure of his success came to him at an early age and that seems to have worked his ruin. His increasing prosperity fired his ambition. He loosened the strings of his kite. His liberal earnings were not enough to carry out his ideas. He went into unfortunate speculations and to avert the crash he defrauded his employers, it is said, in the hope that all would in the end turn out well. Canadians and Americans will watch the proceedings of Wiman's trial with no small interest.

They Will Go to Court.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 23.—The conference of republican senators, called by Senator Ketchum to discuss the policy to be pursued in meeting the issue raised by Gov. Werts before the supreme court regarding the standing of the two bodies claiming to be the senate of New Jersey, did not adjourn until after midnight this morning. It was decided to go to court without, however, acknowledging its jurisdiction. This was agreed to after considerable discussion, many views being expressed. The following counsel were selected: Courtlandt Parker, Joseph Coult and Thomas N. McCarter, Newark; ex-Judge W. M. Lanning, of Trenton; Samuel H. Grey, of Camden; ex-Senator John W. Griggs, of Paterson, and Gilbert Collins, of Jersey City.

A Substantial Gift.

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 23.—At a banquet given to 300 priests after the consecration services yesterday afternoon Bishop Tierney was presented with a purse containing $10,850, the gift of priests and friends in the diocese.

The Bodies May Never Be Found.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Feb. 23.—The situation at the Gaylord mine is unchanged, and it is safe to say that the bodies of the unfortunate timbermen will not be found within the next three weeks, if they are ever found.

Evangelical Church Congress.

READING, Pa., Feb. 23.—The ant-Romanism conference for the Evangelical church is in session in this city, about 125 ministers being present. Bishop Sanford, of Harrisburg, presides.

Archbishop of Bucharest.

ROME, Feb. 23.—Right Rev. Otto Zardetti, D. D., Catholic bishop of St. Cloud, Minnesota, has been appointed archbishop of Bucharest.

Crystal Ridge Colliery on Fire.

HAZLETON, Pa., Feb. 23.—Crystal Ridge colliery, operated by Pardee & Co., is on fire.

Carlyle

Who called himself an "oatmeal epicure," "cultivated literature on a little oatmeal," what would the result have been had he known

H-O Hornby's Oatmeal

the perfect grain?

Analyses prove H-O to possess a larger proportion of brain and muscle producing elements than any vegetable, flesh, or other cereal food now used.

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ANY WOMAN CAN GET A RICH COLOR THAT WILL NOT FADE.

Three Special Diamond Dyes for Black—Home-Dyeing a Pleasure with Them—Save Expense and Delay of Sending Goods to the Dyer—A New Dress for Ten Cents.

The fast black Diamond dyes have saved thousands of dollars to thrifty housewives. There are three of them—for cotton, for wool and for silk and feathers—and they have all made to look like new many a coat, suit, dress, jacket or feather that would otherwise have gone into the rag bag.

Goods colored with these dyes will not crock or fade and are fully equal in beauty to the work of the best professional dyer.

The color will not wash out in soapsuds and sunlight will not fade it. A ten cent package colors from one-half to two pounds, according to the original color of the goods. Plain and explicit directions on the package make it easy for the most inexperienced to dye successfully with diamond dyes, thus saving the delay and expense of sending goods to the dyer.

All the standard and fashionable colors are easily made with diamond dyes and a new dress for ten cents is often the result of their use.

SMYTHE FURNISHES PROOF.

Our Minister to Hayti Did Not Interfere in Hippolyte's Affairs.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The mail just arrived at the state department from Hayti brings still more positive refutation of the report, published a few weeks ago, that Minister Smythe had addressed a letter of advice to President Hippolyte concerning the management of public affairs in the Haytien republic. In his letter to the department Mr. Smythe says that when the publications in the newspapers came to the knowledge of the German minister resident at Port-au-Prince, Dr. Goering, he at once, of his own motion and without invitation from the inculpated minister, wrote a most emphatic denial of the whole story. In his letter, which Mr. Smythe sends to the department dated February 12, Dr. Goering says that he had never met Mr. Fortune, the author of the story against Minister Smythe, "that he had never made any statements to him or to any other person of the character represented; that he had never even heard of such a letter as Mr. Smythe was alleged to have prepared; that he did not and has not now knowledge of anything that could even remotely have given rise to the published reports, and that his own belief that Mr. Fortune's story was a pure and simple invention was confirmed by the universal conviction in Hayti that there was absolutely no foundation of fact for the report." Other foreign representatives at Port-au-Prince had offered to make similar statements, but Mr. Smythe regards Dr. Goering's categorical refutation of the story, and his own statement that he had written no such letter as had been attributed to him, as an ample contradition of the reports circulated to his disfavor. His relations with the Haytien president and government, he says, have been unbrokenly cordial and agreeable.

Nerve of Flagman Jones.

SOUTH AMBOY, N. J., Feb. 23.—George Jones, a flagman on the Pennsylvania railroad freight running between New York and Philadelphia, was knocked from his caboose and run over at this place. The train had just left the tracks of the New York & Long Branch railroad and had stopped. Jones, not knowing that the train would drill cars at this point, went out on the rear of the caboose to change the signal lights, supposing that the train was waiting for orders. Just as he reached up to turn the lights from red to green, the engine shot a car back which bumped against the rear section with sufficient force to throw Jones down on the track, the caboose passing over his leg. Jones, with remarkable nerve, crawled out from under and up into the caboose with his leg hanging by a shred. Jones is married, having a wife and child living in Jersey City.

Ohio Politics.

HAMILTON, O., Feb. 23.—Ex-Gov. Campbell was asked regarding his present intentions as to the several district congressional campaigns about to open up in Ohio. Reed and McKinley will stump every district in which there is to be a congressional fight, and every effort will be made to elect republican congressmen. Ex-Gov. Campbell said he held himself in readiness to stump every congressional district in which an election was to be held. He awaited orders from the democratic committee. This district, the old historic thing, at this date, probably presents the most interesting situation, congressionally, of any district in the Buckeye state.

The War on the House of Lords.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The Daily News, Gladstonian, enumerates in a leader this morning 13 charges against the house of lords. All these concern the mutilation or rejection of reform proposals during the present parliamentary session. "The rapid growth of the popular agitation against the house of lords," it comments, "is evidenced by daily meetings. We are now face to face with one of the very gravest problems of our constitutional history. The odious institution of hereditary legislators cannot possibly continue to have a place in free government."

Sheehan Non-Committal.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—There has been published a statement purporting to come from Lieut.-Gov. Sheehan, representing him as saying he would not accept renomination as a candidate for election to his present office. At the Hoffman house, Mr. Sheehan said he had not authorized such a statement, and positively declined to say whether he would or would not be a candidate for renomination.

100 Men Made Idle.

ASHLAND, Pa., Feb. 23.—The plant of the Reading Coal and Iron company at the Keystone colliery was destroyed by fire last evening. The total loss is estimated at $60,000. About 100 men are thrown out of employment.

Gen. Early Very Sick.

LYNCHBURG, Va., Feb. 23.—There is a general change in the condition of Gen. Early. He is a very sick man and the chances are that he will not recover.

THE DAILY PRESS.

A. L. FORCE, - - Publisher and Proprietor.
WALTER IRVING CLARKE, - Managing Editor.

CIRCULATION EXCEEDS THAT OF ALL OTHER PLAINFIELD DAILIES COMBINED.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Sam Frazee played at a dance in Springfield last night.

—Central Lodge, No. 48, A. O. U. W., reinstated several members last night.

—The visiting association of cavalry was photographed by G. Thorn yesterday.

—Policeman Frederickson found that U. B. Crane's store door was open last night.

—An invitation dance is to be given in Welsh's Hall after Lent, by a few young women.

—A horse owned by Peter Newmiller dropped dead on upper Somerset street yesterday.

—Mrs. Dr. Edwards, clairvoyant, remains at the City Hotel till Thursday morning at 7.

—Several new riders from Washington Park attended the regular ride in the rink last night.

—Henry Kelly's hack horse made a run from Park avenue to the North Avenue station this morning.

—Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, will meet tonight at 7 to act on the death of Charles P. Leggett.

—Coal thieves are hard at work near the Greenbrook tanks. Railroad Detective Corsa makes a daily trip down the line.

—Milkman Parselle, who lives near the Jackson avenue school, discovered this morning that his supply of pork had been stolen.

—You should call in at Love's, corner of North and Watchung avenues, and see the '94 Ariel wheels. They are simply immense.

—Peter F. Brown of Stone street was taken to the State Insane Asylum in Trenton by Chief Marshal Pangborn yesterday.

—Sentence was suspended in the City Court today on Peter Schneiderwinn, who was arrested for disorderly conduct on Cottage place.

—A young man named Smith, from the West End, fell in a fit in the North Avenue station this morning and bruised his right cheek.

—Fine fresh strawberry crush, first of the season, tempted Leggett's patrons Wednesday. It takes the gilt, but Leggett's is a gilt-edge store.

—Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. and A. M., will hold an emergent communication tomorrow afternoon at 2, to attend the funeral of Charles P. Leggett.

—The Committee on Fire and Buildings yesterday purchased for Hose No. 1 a roan horse to match Jerry, from John Gerry, of New Brooklyn. The price paid was about $150.

—Chief Marshal Pangborn reports that Jephtha Wagener is improving in health in the State Insane Asylum. Yesterday he thought the City Judge should forgive him and have him released.

—Seven from The Press and 3 from the two other local papers is the number of responses one Want and Offer advertiser received from a cent-a-word ad Wednesday. That's the usual proportion.

—A touching and sympathetic letter of condolence was sent by the Ladies Christian Work Society of Trinity Church, in special session Wednesday evening, to Mrs. C. P. Leggett, president of the society, on the loss of her late husband.

—Does advertising pay, is a question soon answered. The sale, through Press advertisements of fine rugs, has been very large at Love's, North avenue. He has just received a large number of fine Smyrnas. It will pay you to call and see them.

—The cut price sale at VanEmburgh & Son's is still on, and a member of the firm is in New York today buying more goods to satisfy the demands of the people who read advertisements. If you have any doubts as to whether advertising pays, ask Fred VanEmburgh.

—The post-office aspirants swallowed their hopes temporarily over a false alarm Wednesday night. Rumor gained credence that James E. Martine had been appointed. It was founded on the Plainfield gossip in a New York paper, which stated that Martine might be the man.

—At an all-day tournament to be held in Marion Feb. 28, in connection with the first of the series of team contests of 1894 of the New Jersey Trap-Shooters League, Charles Smith, Neaf Apgar, Tom Keller, Tom Brantingham and Dan Terry will represent the Climax Gun Club team of Plainfield.

—The case of Samuel Smalley against C. B. Clifton, was settled by arbitration in the law office of Harry C. Runyon, Wednesday. It was a question of payment for handling sand on the property of Mr. Clifton. Robert McNabb and W. J. Tunison were appointed arbitrators, and they were to appoint a third, but a settlement was agreed on.

—An entertainment of acrobatic performances in the rooms of the Pastime Athletic Association yesterday afternoon was well attended. The exhibitors on the horizontal bar were Fred Shroeder, Albert Wagner, Arthur Crane, Walter Probasco and Alfred Koechli. Dancing, singing and locomotive-imitation, by Little Nute Johnson, was another feature, and there was Indian-club swinging by Alfred Koechli, and exhibition on flying rings by Arthur Crane.

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by J. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. T. S. Armstrong is ill at her home on Duer street.

Frank Heyniger has returned from a trip in the West.

Voorhees VanFleet, of Duer street, is not so well today.

Freddie Jones signed with Binghamton, Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Waring of Park avenue went South yesterday.

H. M. Hill and family left today for an extended stay in Youngstown, Pa.

Judge Randolph B. Martine visited his cousin James E. Martine yesterday.

John Goodwin's only brother, a resident of Paterson, died Wednesday.

Miss Kittie Flynn, of West Fourth street, is visiting relatives in New York.

Miss Kate Cullen has returned home from a visit with friends in High Bridge.

Miss Ada Harding was the guest of Miss Billings, of the borough, yesterday.

Miss Etta Connett of Cottage place is able to be about after a severe attack of the grip.

Mrs. W. L. Force has returned from Summit after a three-weeks visit with friends.

Miss Stokes, of Philadelphia, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. George W. Force, of West Second street.

A children's party was given at the home of Mr. Hill, of Netherwood, yesterday afternoon.

George W. Moreton, of Wilmington, Del., formerly of Plainfield, visited in this city Wednesday.

Miss Belle Carkhuff, of East Third street, was entertained by friends in Elizabeth, yesterday.

J. W. VanSickle, of East Third street, entertained his father, a resident of Irvington, yesterday.

The Uncle Sam Social Club gives a party at the home of Percival Davis, of Orchard place, to night.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stover, of New York, spent yesterday at the home of R. M. Stover, East Ninth street.

Miss Maggie Dunning returned to Brooklyn this morning after a visit with friends on Watchung avenue.

Mrs. Terhune and son Frank, of Brockton, Mass., are visiting at the home of L. T. Rogers, of West Fourth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lafford C. Waldron, of Martinsville, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clarkson of New street.

Miss Ethee Candee and Miss Cornwall, of Brooklyn, are visiting at the home of Miss Bessie Cornwall, of Washington street.

W. Bamberger, G. Dreier and C. W. Piker attended the dance of the Goodwill Social Club in Berkley Heights, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Haynes, of North avenue, entertained at dinner yesterday about fifteen relatives from Hunterdon county.

A party given by Miss Ida Coles, of East Front street, was attended by forty Wednesday evening. Alfred Coles furnished music.

Phillip Jones, of Westervelt avenue, will occupy the house of Rev. J. P. Taylor on East Sixth street, now rented by Capt. Morrison.

Through Van Buren & Timpson's agency, James H. Hillock has rented the house on Ninth street formerly occupied by Herbert W. Stover.

Garret Van Winkle is much improved and will probably recover. He has not yet been informed of the death of his son-in-law, Charles P. Leggett.

A. Wilkins and family, of Rahway, moved here yesterday and stored their furniture, awaiting the completion of their new home on Duer street.

Miss Hattie Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Campbell of Dunellen, was married Wednesday evening to Newton Apgar, of the same place.

Miss Fanny Cuthbertson, of 2831 Poplar street, Philadelphia, returned home yesterday after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. Charles Runyon of North avenue.

George Butscher, an old fireman of Engine Company No. 2, was taken to Muhlenberg Hospital yesterday, suffering from Bright's disease. His condition was reported favorably this morning.

P. Casey was county delegate, and J. Galbraith attended with him, the State Convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians yesterday at which resolutions were adopted emulating Washington as the grandest personality in the world's history.

In spite of the combined skill of four physicians, Mrs. Robert Kyle of Oak Tree succumbed to her disease Wednesday. The funeral will be from her late residence on Park avenue Sunday afternoon at 2. She leaves a husband and two daughters.

Representative Andrew J. Stelz, Norman C. Mague, Ell M. Odam and John H. Carney attended the Red Men's entertainment in Trenton Wednesday night. The True American yesterday tells of the enthusiastic reception of Past Sachem Carney in his German sayings.

A whist party at the home of H. H. Coward, East Front street, Wednesday night, was attended by guests from New York, Newark, Bloomfield and Wilmington, Del., and this city, members of a club of acquaintances who met at the the shore last season. First prizes were won by Miss Nellie Dodd, of Bloomfield, and Garrett Wood, and booby prizes by William Crawford, of New York, and Mrs. William H. Moore. The tally cards were ornamented with local views photographed by Mr. Coward.

Most men break down when afflicted with rheumatism. If they would try Salvation Oil they would find relief at once.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Garret Eick is able to be out again after his recent illness.

Motorman Maurice Higgins is still on duty, though suffering from a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dilts, of Westfield, spent yesterday with Chief T. O. Doane and family.

Asa Collier was elected Vice-President of the National Retail Jewelers Association of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia yesterday.

About twenty-five Plainfielders attended a dance given at the home of Styles Taylor, Westfield, for his daughter last night.

Watson J. Tunison has bought a lot on South avenue and Berckman street of Hand & McIntyre, and will put up a house at once.

Ira Randolph, of Chicago, brother of G. W. F. Randolph of West Front street, is visiting John H. French and family of West Seventh street.

Capt. P. E. Stuart, after a two-weeks visit to his home on Richmond street, has gone to Passagonia, Miss., to join his ship for a ten-months trip to the west coast of Africa.

A large number of friends assisted Mr and Mrs. Lewis T. Rogers in celebrating the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding at their home, corner of West Fourth street and Madison avenue, last night.

Andrew Onderdonk, of Chicago, visited this city yesterday and drove over Johnston's drive the construction of which he superintended. He is a wealthy civil engineer and is building a sewerage system in Chicago. He was well-known here some years ago, having married Miss Sarah Hillman of Somerset street.

Grand Lodge of Pythians.

The ten delegates from Plainfield Knights of Pythias to the grand lodge in Trenton returned from the two days session yesterday. Forty-eight delegates from all parts of the State were present, and the meetings were very interesting.

The consideration of the question of locating the proposed Pythian house, for which Plainfield asked, was postponed till the meeting in Trenton next June.

Admitted as Attorneys.

Hugh B. Reed, of Somerville, a brother of Counsellor Charles A. Reed; F. H. Voorhees, Borough Counsel of Bound Brook; S. S. Swackhammer, of White House; and George W. Abbott, Jr., of Somerville, were admitted as attorneys at law before the Supreme Court in Trenton today.

—Patrick Lynch, in Justice Nodyne's court today, paid the claim of the City Bank with costs.

—Perseverance Lodge, K. of P., at their meeting tonight, will work the Grand Orient degree on thirty candidates including ten members of Waite's Comedy Company.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell; 25c., 50c and $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

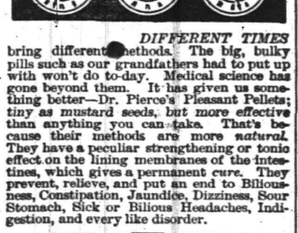
Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good Price 50c. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North Ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

Shiloh's Cure, the great cough and croup cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains 25 doses, only 25c. Children love it. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

—Etchens is the latest novelty for the children. Call and see what it does at Rand's, 140 West Front street.

A Fine School Building.

The new public school building in North Plainfield was inspected by many yesterday afternoon. Principal C. E. Boss and the members of the School Board were present and took pleasure in showing the visitors through the building. The lighting and ventilation are especially fine. All the rooms are light and airy.



DIFFERENT TIMES bring different methods. The big, bulky pills such as our grandfathers had to put up with won't do to-day. Medical science has gone beyond them. It has given us something better—Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets; *tiny as mustard seeds, but more effective than anything you can take.* That's because their methods are more *natural.* They have a peculiar strengthening or tonic effect on the lining membranes of the intestines, which gives a permanent *cure.* They prevent, relieve, and put an end to Biliousness, Constipation, Jaundice, Dizziness, Sour Stomach, Sick or Bilious Headaches, Indigestion, and every like disorder.

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Popular dime matinees—Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Change of Play Every Performance.

SCRUB and WASH as you will, it is not easy to keep the hands smooth and white in winter time. In fact, the more you scrub and wash, the rougher seems the skin, and you find that the best of soap fails to whiten it. Now if, after washing, you will moisten your hands with LEMON JUICE AND GLYCERINE, the effect will be to soften and whiten the skin, even in the worst weather. Used by hundreds of the "best people" in Plainfield. Originated and sold only by H. P. REYNOLDS, Pharmacist, Park and North avenues.

Broke Down, But Enjoyed It.

A very pleasant surprise was given to Miss Mamie Wilson at Liberty Corner last evening, by a party of young people from the borough, consisting of the following:

Miss Kittie Beekman, Miss Emma Smalley, Miss Mamie Wilson, Miss Cora Burdick, Miss Lottie Happy, Miss Mary Stites, Miss Louise Happy, and Messrs. George Wilson, Henry Seader, Frank Splane, Daniel Giddis, S. H. Proud, Edward Sofield, Wm. Pope, Peter Seader and Willie Kesselring.

The party started for home about 2 a. m., and had proceeded about two miles when, as the girls put it, that awful axle broke, and the entire load had to take a stand in the middle of the road while the driver hunted up a wagon from a nearby farmer, which happened to be an open one. But the party, contented with any means of transfer to their homes, seated themselves on the floor of the wagon and reached home about 5:15 a. m., all tired out, but perfectly satisfied with the ride and the enjoyment.

—A horse drawing an oil wagon from the borough became frightened at the electric cars at the corner of East Front street and Watchung avenue this morning. The wagon struck an iron post and was considerably damaged.

DEATHS.

LEGGETT—In this city Wednesday, Feb. 21, 1894, of pneumonia, Charles P. Leggett, aged 33 years, 9 months and 18 days.
Funeral private on account of serious illness in family.

KYLE—At her residence on Park avenue, near Marconnier station, Feb. 21, 1894, Nancy, wife of Robert Kyle.
Funeral from her late residence, Sunday, Feb. 25, at 2 p. m.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

An emergent communication of Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M., will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Lodge Room, for the purpose of paying the last tribute of respect to their late Brother and Worshipful Master, Charles P. Leggett. All Masons are invited to attend.

CHARLES YAEGER, Sec.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

FOR SALE—Plush parlor suit, 4 pieces, good condition, $15; also piano. 2 Washington avenue.

TO LET—3 rooms on first floor, 4 rooms on second floor. Apply 404 West 3d st., cor. Central avenue. 2 23 6

IF you have any improved or unimproved property for sale or to let, let us know of it; perhaps we can do something for you. Lyman & Petrie, 197 North avenue. 2 23 2

TO LET—From April 1, two furnished rooms with or without board in private family; location central. Address A., care Press. 2 23 2

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Apply 531 West Front street.

WANTED—Rose-comb white Leghorns. Address P. ultry, care Press.

HOUSES for sale; farms for sale; lots for sale; houses to let; flats to let; barns to let; apartments to let; stores to let; money to loan; we are also in the insurance business, representing first-class companies; before renewing your policies this spring call and get our rates; we can save you money these hard times. Lyman & Petrie, 197 North avenue. 2 23 2

WANTED—A girl for general housework or as chambermaid; white or colored. 215 West 8th st.

YOUNG girl wants situation at general housework. 116 West 4th st. 2 23 2

A GENUINE bargain; fine house, large lot, elegant location, Netherwood. Lyman & Petrie. 2 23 2

WANTED—Two furnished rooms, 1st floor and located on Park avenue preferred. State place, price and particulars to Emack, care Press. 2 20 tf

HOUSES for sale; $1,200 up. Lyman & Petrie, opposite depot. 2 23 2

TO LET—Large house and barn, Front street and Clinton avenue, Evona, opposite station. Wm. McD Corlell. 2 20 6

FOR SALE.—Newfoundland dog 14 months old, very intelligent, kind and affectionate; price $15; also Cocker spaniel; solid liver color; one year old; very fond of children; price $10. Address Kennel, care Press. 2 23 2

CALL on Lyman & Petrie for bargains in real estate; easy payments. 2 23 2

HOUSES to rent centrally located: 1 house 11 rooms, good condition, $20; 1 house 8 rooms, rent $12; 2 houses 7 rooms, rent $9; 1 house 8 rooms, rent $11. Apply 140 Park ave. 2 10 6-eod

WE have some fine houses in Washington Park for rent. Lyman & Petrie. 2 23 2

A RESPONSIBLE party desires to rent for one year a medium sized modern house in North Plainfield, west of Grove street, with option of purchase and applying rent on purchase money; terms must be easy and rent low. Address E. S. S., care Press. 2 19 6

IF you want to rent houses with all improvements call and see Lyman & Petrie's list before renting elsewhere; they will try and save you money. 2 23 2

MONEY wanted to invest on gilt-edge Plainfield mortgages. Chas. A. Reed att'y, National Bank Building 10 29 tf

NO car fares, no mud; live in town and get the advantage of all the improvements for the same rent you are now paying; houses centrally located from $12 to $20 per month; no trouble to show them to you. Call on Lyman & Petrie, 197 North avenue. 2 23 2

PLEASANT rooms with board. 212 Watchung avenue. 2 15 1m

TO LET—Portion of furnished house to party who will board 3. Address V., care Press. 2 12 tf

WANTED—A Remington typewriter, and cabinet for same. G. B. Wean, 112 Plainfield avenue. 2 14 tf

TO LOAN, on 1st mortgage $600, $1,200, $1,700, $3,000. Mulford, broker. 2 7 tf

TO LET—10 room house; modern improvements; 127 East 5th st. Apply Wm. H. Brower, 432 Watchung avenue. 1 31 tf

AN elegant brick and brown stone house for sale or exchange for Plainfield property, on Halsey street, Brooklyn. Edward Love, corner North and Watchung avenues. 12 30 tf

FOR SALE—"The Medical and Surgical History of the Late War"; 4 rare vols. Address Books, care Press. 1 20 tf

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THE GROCER, Park ave. & 4th st. 1 27 tf

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That's the kind of economy that amounts to something. You'll save one suit in three by it.

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Entire Suit, cleaned and pressed, $1.50
Suit Dyed, $2.75.
Trousers cleaned and pressed 50 cents

Hillier & Co. 175 North Ave.

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PRESIDENT SMITH.

PLAINFIELD HONORED AT THE CAVALRY REUNION.

Veterans Who Fought in 39 Battles and 15 States Have a Glorious Day in Jersey's Garden City.

The fourth annual reunion of the Second N. J. Cavalry Association was held in the rooms of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., yesterday. William C. Smith, of this city, was chosen president.

Maj. A. A. Yard presided. Forty-five of the two hundred members were present, a number coming 300 miles to attend.

The minutes of last year's meeting were read by A. S. Hill and approved. Reports from the Secretary and Treasurer and from the Finance Committee were received and adopted.

Resolutions on the death of Col. Joseph Karge were offered by W. H. Smith, of the committee appointed, and adopted.

Election of officers resulted as follows:

President—William C. Smith.
Vice-Presidents by companies—A, John Hall; B, Thomas Dennis; C, Adrian S. Applegate; D, Alexander Haines; E, F. A. Pullen; F, William H. Smith; G, Jackson Lynn; H, James Sparling; I, Frank Gitsinger; M, Abraham Apgar.
Chief Bugler—William Hessey.
Chaplain—William H. Arndt.
Sergeant-at-Arms—Noel McLeod.
Secretary and Treasurer—Alphonso S. Hill.

President Smith was escorted to the chair by Comrades L. R. Barnard and William H. Smith.

It was resolved that the next reunion be held in Trenton.

Major Gilbert was introduced and welcomed the cavalrymen on behalf of the city in an eloquent address. Commander S. W. Reese as a representative of Winfield Scott Post, welcomed the visitors. The Mayor was elected a contributory member of the Association.

Adjournment was made to the Post's dining hall, where the Woman's Relief Corps had prepared an excellent dinner. Business was resumed after the feast.

An attempt to change the date of meeting from Feb. 22 to Sept. 25 each year was unsuccessful.

A. S. Hill, F. A. Pullen and A. A. Yard were appointed a committee to make arrangements for the next reunion. Colonel Barnard, Major Yard, and Lieut. Applegate were chosen a committee to draft resolutions on the deaths of Lieut-Colonel F. Jones York in Point Pleasant last March, and of Capt. Charles Poluze, who died in Camden this month. The Captain's son, Edmund M. Poluze, was elected an honorary member.

Lieut. Applegate gave a sketch of the war history of the regiment, which fought in thirty-nine battles and fifteen States. He dwelt especially on the battle in Guntown, Miss., Oct. 2, 1864, when the Second New Jersey saved the day.

On motion the City of Plainfield, the Woman's Relief Corps, and Winfield Scott Post, were given votes of thanks for their courtesy.

Though Secretary Hill, L. Karge, of 239 Broadway, New York, presented the Association with a sketch of the life of his father, Col. Joseph Karge, the organizer of the regiment. It was written by Wm. A. Packard.

Joseph Karge was born July 4, 1823, in Poland. He was educated in Breslau and Paris, and in the latter city was prosecuted for his connection with revolutionary societies. Sentenced to death in Berlin, in 1851, he escaped to London and finally to New York. He taught in Danbury, Conn., at first and afterwards established a school in New York.

In February, 1862, he was commissioned Lieut. Colonel of the First New Jersey Cavalry and fought at Fredericksburg. Being wounded, he resigned in December of that year. In May, 1863, a petition was sent to the War Department by citizens of New Jersey asking for the formation of a second regiment to be commanded by the lieutenant. June 12 the application was endorsed by President Lincoln, and June 18 Col. Karge was made Chief of the Cavalry of the Militia of New Jersey.

In October, 1863, the Second Regiment left Trenton, and November 9 reached Eastport, Miss., being assigned to the Sixteenth Army Corps. Col. Karge was continually on the field until November, 1865.

Although nominated by President Lincoln for Brigadier-General by brevet March 13, 1865, he did not receive the honor from the Senate till April 9 the next year. In 1867 he accepted a commission in the regular army and commanded two posts in Nevada. He died in Jersey City, December 17, 1892.

Past-Commander M. C. Dobbins made a patriotic address. W. R. Mattox recited "The Battle of Chuchilla", and Miss Fanny Westphal and Mrs. Clarence Leland sang solos. Miss Try Mattox recited "The Boys in Blue", and Robert W. Harden, son of C. W. Harden, of Westfield, recited "The Battle Flag at Shenandoah". William Hessey rendered the various bugle calls. President Smith sang "Brave Boys". Past-Commander John B. Oakley, of Dahlgren Post, Elizabeth, made a stirring speech arguing for more active work in the G. A. R.

The meeting was adjourned, shortly after 5, to meet in Trenton, February 22, 1895.

A Chance to Get Square.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—I feel sure that those of us who had the pleasure of hearing the recent lectures of Prof. Fiske in this city recognize that a debt of gratitude is due the Monday Afternoon Club for the opportunity thus afforded.

It seems to me that no better occasion can be offered for showing our appreciation, or liquidating the indebtedness, than by attending the lecture to be given before that club by Col. Higginson in the Casino next Monday, and particularly as in this case the discharge of the obligation will be attended with the great satisfaction of listening to an address by that distinguished and gifted lecturer. M.

Plainfield, Feb. 22.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

CROWDS HONOR WASHINGTON.

Plainfield Inspects Relics of His Day, and Reads Anew the Stories of His Time.

Washington's Birthday was celebrated uniquely in the parlor of the Public Library. Relics connected with the Revolutionary period had been loaned by friends of the Library, and works treating of that time and especially relating to the subject of Washington's life, were displayed. The room was prettily decorated with flags for the occasion, and Miss E. L. Adams, the librarian, was complimented for her successful efforts.

A crowd of interested visitors thronged the library and greatly enjoyed the relics exhibited. On the wall was an oil painting taken from an original of Washington and loaned by Mrs. S. A. Gingo of Watchung avenue. A bust of the Father of the Country, by Hiram Powers, lent reality to the scene. Among the other articles were two flint muskets, an inkstand with quills, a horse-pistol, sleigh bells, and a spinning-wheel loaned by Mrs. Andrew Mellick. On a chair a dress coat worn by Ethan Allen's brother attracted quite a little attention. It was loaned by Miss Davy. George Bonnell furnished some letters and documents of ancient date. One of them was very interesting, being a covenant between a converted swearer and drinker, and God. Samuel Dolliver furnished an interesting reminder of Washington himself in the shape of an order on the warden of a jail, written and signed by Washington. A newspaper bearing the date 1782 was displayed. It was loaned by P. Minturn Smith. An autograph album containing the signature of Washington was furnished by Counselor Isaac L. Miller.

On the table were a large number of books relating to the life of Washington and containing very good portraits of him.

Taken all in all, the celebration was a great success, and the library was visited by the largest daily attendance of visitors on record.

How the Tramps Did Bowl.

The superior bowling of the "Tramps" was demonstrated at the Park Club Wednesday night. It was a match game with the "K. C. B." team for the best two out three games. The following scores show to what extent the "Tramps" were successful:

TRAMPS.

	First.	Second.	Third.
Lyman	218	189	165
Sandford	190	181	136
Worth	159	158	168
Thiers, C.	154	205	134
Matthews	150	142	184
	871	875	787

K. C. B.

	First.	Second.	Third.
McCutchen	145	173	175
Chapman	169	116	176
*Brown, C.	163	137	156
Thiers, W.	169	140	169
Murphy	151	149	163
	788	715	841

*J. Erickson took Brown's place in the last game.

Drum Corps Gives a Dance.

The Independent Fife and Drum Corps gave their fifth reception Wednesday evening, in Hulett's Hall. The attendance was very large, and included guests from Bound Brook, Somerville, New York and Brooklyn. Veteran Sam Frazee furnished the excellent music.

A collation was served about midnight, after which dancing continued till about 4. The following were the committees:

Committee of Arrangements—F. L. Manchester, Chairman; L. B. Bodine, Secretary and Treasurer; H. G. Adams, H. C. Ackerman, D. Bodine.
General Director—F. L. Manchester.
Floor Manager—D. Bodine.
Assistant Floor Manager—L. B. Bodine.
Reception Committee—H. C. Ackerman, H. G. Adams, A. G. Wilson.

Victors Have a Dance.

Two hundred colored people were at the ball of the Victor Wheelmen in T. A. B. Hall last night. Fred Conde was the musician. Lawrence W. Tallman, of Rahway, gave an exhibition on the high wheel.

The Committee of Arrangements:—I. Jones, C. Stevens, Alex. Ross, W. Fisher, A. Shipley, L. Somerset, E. McCray, W. Jones, J. Webley, W. Burton, T. Johnson J. Saunders, C. Bonner, A. Atkins, B. Gipson, L. Peterson, T. Bowser, B. Manning, W. Mahew, H. Binn, George Paterson.

Floor Managers—B. Gipson, L. Peterson.

Colonial Tea.

The colonial tea given by the members of the Monroe Avenue chapel Wednesday evening in the chapel was a success in every respect, and their efforts were rewarded by a good profit.

Those participating were dressed in colonial style, and presented an attractive appearance. The tea was excellent, and many avail themselves of the opportunity of assisting this worthy cause.

Draped for His Memory.

Alert Hose Company held a special meeting Wednesday night and arranged to meet in the headquarters Saturday afternoon at 2:15 to march to the burial of Charles P. Leggett, late First Assistant Foreman Engine Company No. 2 will join them.

The house has been draped in white and black, and the flag placed at half-mast.

Choral Society Special.

A special rehearsal for sopranos and altos will be held Monday, Feb. 26, at 3:30 p. m., and a full rehearsal in the evening; also a full extra rehearsal Thursday evening, March 1.

NELSON RUNYON, Secretary.

—The Waite Comedy Company will present "The Diamond Mystery" in Music Hall tonight; "The Boy from Boston" tomorrow afternoon; and "Under the Gaslight" tomorrow night.

The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands can testify. Proper local treatment is positively necessary to success, but many, if not most, of the remedies in general use afford but temporary relief. A cure certainly cannot be expected from snuffs, powders, douches and washes. Ely's Cream Balm, which is so highly commended, is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power, with perfect safety and pleasantness to the patient. The druggists all sell it. 3 23 y

EXCELSIOR'S 25TH.

SCOTCH PLAINS VOLUNTEERS REVIVE OLD MEMORIES.

Plainfield Loves Her Neighbor for What She Has Done, and Tells Her So at a Silver-Wedding Banquet.

The end of twenty-five years of public service, of steady growth, of fraternal union, was celebrated Wednesday night by the members of Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company, No. 1, of Scotch Plains.

Ninety-four members and their invited guests sat down to supper in the main hall of the truck house. The banquet was served by members and proved that they understood the domestic use of the fire they fought. The tables were handsomely decorated with flowers furnished by W. H Brower. Foreman W. B. Noble presided.

Cigars and clay pipes were passed after the feast had been fully enjoyed, and then until midnight speech followed speech and laughter and applause by turns held the assembly, while humorous anecdotes, witty remarks and interesting reminiscenses were spoken.

George R. Nicholl, the first foreman of the company, was the first speaker. He told briefly of his connection with the organization, which he led during its first three years, and of various events in the years following.

The historian of the evening was Wm. H. Brower, the second foreman, elected in June, 1872. He showed many interesting documents, among them the subscription list, made out in 1873, when the company bought the truck they now have for $1,300. Of this amount $420 was contributed by citizens of Plainfield. One-half of the sixty subscribers are dead.

Mr. Brower read a portion of an article from The Constitutionalist, a paper, he said, which had always taken a most friendly interest in the welfare of the firemen. It was dated December 4 1873, gave a sketch of Excelsior's history, and told of the arrival of the new truck by way of Plainfield.

The officers chosen after organization Feb. 1, 1869, were:

Foreman—George R. Nicholl.
First Assistant—George Miller.
Second Assistant—James A. Baker.
Treasurer—William H. Brower.
Secretary—Joseph Clark, Sr.

From the first the company annually participated in the parades of the Plainfield firemen. When the planing mills of Spicer & Hubbard, corner of Third street and Madison avenue, burned Sept. 16, 1873, a quick run was made from Scotch Plains, and the "step-ladder and bucket brigade" saved several adjacent buildings, the local department being hindered by the lack of water in the neighborhood.

Their aid was appreciated by the Plainfielders, who showed their interest by contributing to the subscription for the purchase of the new truck to replace their inadequate machine. Thanksgiving Day, that year, the new apparatus was escorted to Excelsior's house from the Plainfield station by the fire department. A firemen's festival followed. They have since purchased a hand engine from Gazelle which is now in use.

Mr. Brower exhibited the trumpet presented by the people of Westfield to Excelsior for services in that village. He read the humorous bill of fare prepared for the sixth anniversary, and alluded to various achievements of the company.

James E. Martine of this city was introduced as the farmer orator. He made an eloquent address, foretelling the future of Excelsior Company and of Union County, dwelling upon the relations between Plainfield and Scotch Plains, and made patriotic reference to the deeds of Washington and the development of the country.

A number of letters from former members expressing their wishes for the company and their regret for absence were read.

William Cooper, now of Brooklyn, the company's third foreman, made a clever speech in which he "translated" an incomplete and newly discovered letter from Columbus to Queen Isabella. It told of the navigator's trip in a naptha launch up Seeley's river to the ancient city of Scotch Plains, where he first found the Excelsior truck house. The alleged epistle was full of humorous references to local scenes and events. He spoke of his active membership in the organization, and concluded with prophecies of the future of Excelsior and the village.

William K. McClure of this city related his first experience at a fire with Alert Hose Company. His term as a fire commissioner was reviewed, and the results which followed the establishment of the present local system explained.

Chief T. O. Doane told briefly of the indebtedness of Plainfield to Excelsior for their work at fires and of the resolutions of thanks presented to them. He referred feelingly to the bereavement Alert Hose Company had suffered in the death of Charles P. Leggett. He thanked the company for their courtesy and hoped Plainfield would be able to return the compliment.

Thomas A. Gere of Brooklyn added his experience as a Scotch Plains fireman, and made a few remarks about the New York department.

Frank D. Warren represented the Fanwood Fire Department in congratulating Excelsior. I. Seeley, Chief of the Westfield Department, presented the compliments of his town.

D. P. Hall said that although he had moved to Plainfield he had not given up membership in Excelsior. He was proud of having such representative men for fellow firemen.

George Miller, Chairman of the Fanwood Township Committee, related his experience at the recent Westfield banquet and promised to work for the annexation of Plainfield. As a member of the committee he would help the firemen all he could.

Dr. F. W. Westcott, chief of the Fanwood Fire Department, valued the company as a means for cultivating friendship and spoke of the noble work of the firemen in general.

Charles Haberle, Foreman of Chemical Engine Company, made a short speech of fraternal congratulation.

Votes of thanks were given to Mr. Brower for his donation of flowers, to the Entertainment Committee, and to William B. Stanbery, Secretary of the New York Photogravure Company, for the donation of the invitations.

E. R. Pearsall, of Westfield, and Past Foremen J. P. Stephens, of Fanwood, offered their congratulations.

Rev. Dr. J. H. Parks, formerly pastor of the First Baptist Church of Scotch Plains, was proud of his eight years of membership in Excelsior. He praised the organization which tended to unite earnest men in earnest, manly work.

John Robison thought the founders had established the company on a sound basis, its old members preserved the first principles carefully, and the younger generation was responsible for its future progress.

Thomas J. Nicholl told of his feelings when he reviewed his twenty five years of duty, and as a member of the committee he thanked the firemen for their assistance.

C. A. Smith, of Westfield, the first chief engineer of the Fanwood Department, gave the history of the erection of the present Excelsior building, and spoke of the social work of the company.

John C. Moore spoke of the pleasure with which he again met his fellow members.

The evening closed with the singing of Auld Lang Syne, accompanied on the piano by F. W. Quereau, Second Assistant Engineer of the Fanwood Department.

Excelsior's officers now are:

President—Norman Dunn.
Foreman—W. B. Noble.
First Assistant—E. L. Hand.
Second Assistant—W. R. Buckley.
Treasurer—W. H. Lake.
Secretary—L. A. Goodenough.
Assistant Secretary—W. E. Collins.

Since last November the following committees have been at work.

On Arrangements—D. P. Hall, Chairman; J. H. Parks, Secretary; F. W. Westcott, Treasurer.

On Invitations and Reception—T. J. Nicholl, J. H. Parks, F. W. Westcott.

On Entertainment—J. Robison, A. L. Frentz, E. L. Hand.

On Speakers—W. R. Stanbery, J. Gage Walker, Wm. H. Lake.

STANDING ROOM ONLY.

All the Town Tried to Pile Into Music Hall Yesterday, But There Wasn't Room Enough.

1,040 paid admissions more than filled every seat in Music Hall at the Washington's Birthday matinee, and 1,265 cash people crowded the house last night. The Standing-Room-Only sign for the night performance was put out 15 minutes before the curtain went up, and for half an hour thereafter the crowd in the lobby was so great that the line of ticket-purchasers reaching to the sidewalk had hard work to elbow through.

Waite's Comedy Company, the attraction of the week, will need a larger theatre when it comes to Plainfield another season.

The clever plays presented are by actors who have until Mr Waite secured them for his troupe been leading members of companies playing to the ordinary prices of 75 cents and $1. Mr. Waite has for 9 years been giving a $1 show for the popular prices of 10, 20 and 30 cents, with 10 cent matinees, and he has earned enough to buy a Poughkeepsie farm for his summer home, and stocks and bonds to maintain his family in luxury. From last Christmas to date his net profits have been $9,000, which proves that when you treat the people right they will reward you. Mr. Waite deserves his success because he gives a wholesome entertainment within reach of the popular purse. He is a second Barnum, without Barnum's humbuggery. That band of his gives concerts between acts that are just the best Plainfield has heard in years, and the singing and dancing specialties are so full of life and fun that the price of vest-buttons is sure to go up in Plainfield stores before the week's out.

One beauty of Mr. Waite's show is its inoffensiveness off the stage. So thoroughly disciplined, and so reputable, is Mr. Waite's company, that the obtrusiveness generally so apparent when a show's in town is entirely lacking. The Waite Comedy Company is made up of mighty nice people, and mighty nice people are glad to get such a great show for so small a fee.

Mr. Waite is making Plainfield happy, and the town has grown to love him and will want him every year.

From Plainfield he goes to fill a week in Trenton's leading theatre, and thence to Reading. He has put in two weeks there already this winter, but the people clamor for a third.

The management of Music Hall has been highly complimented all this week because of the comfortable temperature maintained at every performance. Yesterday and last night the house was positively hot.

Many turned away from last night's performance, discouraged at the prospect of getting in and finding no seats. The advance sale at Leggett's, for tonight and tomorrow night, is already large. At the matinees one dime admits to any part of the house.

How's This!

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

West & Truax, wholesale druggists, Toledo, O.
Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, wholesale druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. a bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free. 7 20 3y

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY.—"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75c. Sold by H. P. Reynolds, druggist, Plainfield. 12 6 2m

2,000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from C. W. Mason, Parina, Ills., says: "I can endorse your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have been in the drug business fourteen years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal satisfaction." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents. 12 22 y

CHURCH CELEBRATIONS.

A PRINCESS AT THE FAIR.

Cinderella Proves an Attraction in Vincent Chapel—Methodist Girls Win Smiles and Turn Many an Honest Dollar at Their Bargain Counters.

The fair and festival given by the Sunday-school of the First M. E. Church opened in Vincent Chapel yesterday afternoon and continued during the evening.

The prevailing decorations were suggestive of the day. The visitor after entering checked his coat in the room near the door, took a drink of lemonade from the next counter, and, refreshed, gazed about the animated scene. The cosy little chapel presented a pretty appearance with its decorated tables and the fair saleswomen who attended to the wants of the prospective purchasers. Many and varied were the articles displayed, and the different tables did a good business.

The observer as he passed from table to table was apt to be greeted by a small boy with "Only five cents to see Cinderella". Buying a ticket, he wended his way to the large class room in the gallery, and, surrendering his ticket at the entrance, entered a dimly lighted room.

In front of him is seen a miniature representation of the first scene of the well-known nursery story. While he is wondering what is to come next, a young woman in the back of the room commences to relate that interesting tale, while the panorama revolves illustrating the wonderful things that befell that unhappy, transformed, and finally married princess.

This little side-show is really one of the main attractions and did a thriving business.

During the evening an orchestra furnished by Conde and composed of violin, 'cello, flute and piano, discoursed sweet music.

Following are the chairmen of the committees that made the affair so successful:

Executive Committee—Rev. Chas R. Barnes, James W. Jackson, Mrs. L. French, Mrs. N. Y. Hull, Mrs. James W. Jackson, Mrs. S. W. Clark, Miss Lillie Chandler.
Refreshments—Mrs. L. M. French.
Candy and Fruit—Mrs. N. Y. Hull.
Fancy Goods—Mrs. J. W. Jackson.
Stationery—Miss Minnie J. French.
Aprons—Mrs. J. McNaughton.
Lemonade—Miss Alice Whitney.
Boys and Girls Table—Miss M. French.
Decorations—C. R. Barnes, S. W. Clark, J. McNaughton, L. J. Spicer.

The fair is to be concluded tonight.

CHALK AND WATER.

These and Other Ingredients Furnish Fun for Merry Grace Methodists.

The Ladies Aid Society of Grace M. E. Church gave a children's entertainment last night to an audience which was too large to be entirely seated. The children took their parts perfectly, and held the attention of the assemblage for two hours.

The programme:

Piano Duet—
Miss Nellie Schooley, Miss Edna Schooley.
Dialogue—"Almost a Runaway".
Alice DeMott, Charlie Powell.
Dialogue—"Days of the Week",
Monday, Addie Carney; Tuesday, Nellie Valiant; Wednesday, Helena Durand; Thursday, Minnie Marsh; Friday, Tina Voehl; Saturday, Carrie Pangborn; Sunday, Ada Van Horn.
Song—"A Fairy Song".
Frances Weir, Helen Weir.
Dialogue—"How Ned and Harry Kept House", Ned, Frank Schuck; Harry, Eddie Smalley; Willie, Charlie Powell; Clarence, Raymond Stevens; Jim, Fred Kohler; Aunt Polly, E. Stevens.
Recitation—"A Culprit".....Mabel Loomis
Dialogue—"A Nation's Tribute to Columbia", Columbia, Lilian Epner; New England, Mabel Stevens; Atlantic States, Mabel Loomis; South, Winnie Carroll; Central States, Ella Benner; West, Tina Voehl.
Piano Solo.....May Conroy
Dialogue—"Little Mothers",
Edith Loomis, Mary Hoagland, Addie Marsh.
Pantomime—"History Illustrated."
Recitation—"Burdette's Explanation of the Hatchet Story".....Lilian Yendes
Song.....Winnie Carroll
Recitation—"Are these God's Children?"
Lilian Epner
Dialogue—"The Rainbow and Its Emblems", Violet, Flossy Conroy; Indigo, Addie Carney; Blue, Nellie Valiant; Green, Eva Doeringer; Yellow, Lottie Benner; Orange, Stella Vermeule; Red, Mary Woolston.
Song (in costume)—"Cherubic Infantry".
Flossy Conroy, Nellie Valiant, Alice DeMott, Edith Taft, Sadie Winckler, Winnie Carroll, Clara Martin, Belle DeMott, Grace Powell, Edith Loomis.
Dairy-maids Drill and March,
Dairy-maids—Lizzie Hoagland, Minnie Force, Bertha Stevens, Minnie Gulick, Jennie Bown, May Conroy, Anna Doeringer, Grace Clark, Mabel Benner, Emma Stevens, Matie VanHorn, Georgie Van-Arsdale.
Milk-cans—Charlie Woolston, Mabel Stevens, Lawrence Benner, Lillie Haberle.
Chalk—Frank Schuck.
Pump—James Pangborn.

Miss Alice Carroll was the pianist for all the musical numbers except the last, for which Miss Ida Randolph played.

The society's committee was composed of Mrs. E. P. Stevens, Mrs. A. A. Taft, Mrs. W. H. Griffen, Mrs Elmer Winckler Mrs. L. A. Bummer, Miss Belle Lunger, Miss Alice Carroll.

Mrs. John H. Carney furnished the costumes for the participants in the drill.

Commanded Colored Troops.

Col. Thomas Wentworth Higginson, who is to lecture in the Casino next Monday evening, is a man of varied abilities. He is best known as a literary man, but has been also a preacher, a soldier, a teacher, and an orator. It will be remembered that in the late war he commanded the first regiment of colored troops that was formed. After the war he turned his attention from the abolition of slavery to the advocacy of equal rights for women, and several books on this subject have been written by him. He is well known by his articles in the magazines, and by his popular histories for young folks. He is a very interesting talker, and as a public speaker is described as "mild and reasonable" with a "silvery, well modulated voice, and easy flow of speech." He lives in Cambridge, Massachusetts, and it is hard to get him away from home, so that he is heard only rarely in this neighborhood. His subject Monday night will be "The Birth of American Periodical Literature."

—Iona Council had two adoptions Wednesday night.

Although many remedies are pushed into the market by spicy advertisements, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup takes the lead.

WELCOME, FATHER JOHNSON!

Plainfield is Eager to Hear the Eloquence of This Clergyman from the Church of the Poor.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Kindly permit the use of your columns to the Men's Association of Grace Church to announce a special course of services Sunday evenings at 7:45, until further notice.

These services are intended for all. Everyone who comes will be made welcome. The order of service will be made especially attractive, and on alternate Sunday evenings, commencing the third Sunday in Lent, February 25, sermons will be preached by various clergymen of the Episcopal Church. On the other evenings, evening prayer alone will be said, and no sermon will be preached.

On this coming Sunday, Father Johnson, of the Church of the Redeemer, New York, will preach. Probably few of the clergy of the Episcopal Church are better known in New York than Father Johnson. His efforts among the poor in the tenement-house district of the upper east side have been increasing. At the present time he is maintaining a house in that densely populated portion of Manhattan Island, lying between Seventy-fifth and Eighty-fifth streets, Park avenue and the East River, where he is providing food and clothing for the destitute, and work, so far as he is able, for the unemployed.

At the Sunday services in the Church of the Redeemer the poor people abound. Everyone meets there on the same level and never is Father Johnson prouder than when he hears his church spoken of—as it universally is—as "the church of the poor."

We are indeed glad that this earnest priest and eloquent preacher has been able to spare a Sunday evening from his work at home, and we extend to all a hearty invitation to come to Grace Church next Sunday evening.

THE MEN'S ASSOCIATION OF GRACE CHURCH.

Plainfield, Feb. 23.

Evangelist Crane.

The First Baptist Church was well-filled last evening with people who listened attentively to Rev. Arthur Crane's remarks, which were based on the text, "What Shall I Do With Jesus which is Called the Christ?" He talked especially to the young people, of whom there was a good number present. The music was a special feature.

In the second meeting there were several who gave evidence of a desire to lead a better life.

This afternoon at 4 Mr. Crane talked to the children in the church. His earnest words are accomplishing much good.

Jollity at the C. Y. M. L.

The smoker in the C. Y. M. L. clubhouse last night was a very jolly affair. Besides the consumption of tobacco, and pleasant conversation, there was singing by Thomas Comerford, Fred Wharton, William O'Connor, Thomas Roddy, and a quartette composed of R. W. Schlereth, E. M. Southard, C. Sutton and Edward C. Searing. Warren Rice and M. Cashin recited. John Traynor's song "Rose of Killarney", was heartily encored.

BY THE WAY.

—The beautiful weather made it a glorious Birthday—worthy of so glorious a man.

—A photograph of the Independent Fife and Drum Corps was taken by G. Thorn yesterday.

—Among the curiosities found by the First M. E. Church janitor in a register were a dime and a corset steel.

—Payment of dues was the business transacted at the meeting of the Masons Union Wednesday night.

—Wm. D. Murray will speak, and L. G. March and the Association choir will sing, in the Y. M. C. A. rooms Sunday at 4:15 p. m.

—A yellow dog jumped from a second-story window on West Second street yesterday, while the Fife and Drum Corps were playing in an adjoining building.

—The serial "A Fight for Millions", which has been an absorbing feature of Page 4, concludes to-morrow night. Other choice fiction is in preparation. Keep your eye on Page 4.

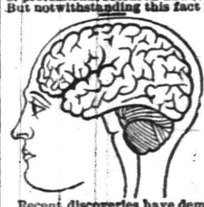
—At Demarest's, tomorrow, strawberries, mushrooms, new beets, celery, lettuce, Brussels sprouts, spinach, ripe tomatoes, new potatoes, egg plant, cucumbers, water cress, radishes, you can get at the lowest prices.

—George H. Burgess's team became frightened at the cars on Park avenue yesterday morning and broke part of the harness.

MYSTERIES!

The Nervous System the Seat of Life and Mind. Recent Wonderful Discoveries.

No mystery has ever compared with that of human life. It has been the leading subject of professional research and study in all ages. But notwithstanding this fact it is not generally known that the seat of life is located in the upper part of the spinal cord, near the base of the brain, and so sensitive is this portion of the nervous system that even the prick of a needle will cause instant death.



Recent discoveries have demonstrated that all the organs of the body are under the control of the nerve centers, located in or near the base of the brain, and that when these are deranged the organs which they supply with nerve fluid are also deranged. When it is remembered that a serious injury to the spinal cord will cause paralysis of the body below the injured point, because the nerve force is prevented by the injury from reaching the paralyzed portion, it will be understood how the derangement of the nerve centers will cause the derangement of the various organs which they supply with nerve force.

Two-thirds of chronic diseases are due to the imperfect action of the nerve centers at the base of the brain, not from a derangement primarily originating in the organ itself. The great mistake of physicians in treating these diseases is that they treat the organ rather than the nerve centers which are the cause of the trouble.

DR. FRANKLIN MILES, the celebrated specialist, has profoundly studied this subject for over 20 years, and has made many important discoveries in connection with it, chief among them being the facts contained in the above statement, and that the ordinary methods of treatment are wrong. All headache, dizziness, dullness, confusion, pressure, blues, neuria, melancholy, insanity, epilepsy, St. Vitus dance, etc., are nervous diseases no matter how caused. The wonderful success of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is due to the fact that it is based on the foregoing principle.

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THE BISHOP DEFEATED.

REV. J. B. JENNINGS WINS HIS SUIT.

Bishop Scarborough, the Standing Committee, and the Old Wardens and Vestry of Grace Church, Westfield, Set Aside—The Rector's Rights Upheld by the Supreme Court.

December 5, 1892, the opponents of the Rev. Joseph B. Jennings began proceedings to have him dismissed from the rectorship of Grace Church, Westfield. From that day down to date, the whole power of the Bishop and Standing Committee of the Episcopal Church of the Diocese of New Jersey and of their counsel, who is the Chancellor of the Diocese, has been concentrated against him. He has twice been dismissed and ordered to leave by the Bishop, once with the concurrence of the Standing Committee.

Mr. Jennings and his friends engaged Craig A. Marsh to appeal to the Courts and keep him in possession of the Church and his office as rector. Not only has this resulted in enabling Mr. Jennings to hold the fort, so to speak, for over a year in defiance of the highest authorities of the Church to which he belongs, but today the efforts on his behalf have been crowned by final and complete success in the Supreme Court of the State.

Judge Depue to-day handed down the decision of that Court whereby the order of the Bishop and the Standing Committee and all the proceedings against Mr. Jennings are set aside and declared null and void. The case long ago attracted the attention of Episcopal clergymen and parishioners throughout the country, and has been widely discussed in the newspapers.

One clergyman prominent in the national organizations of the church has declared that Mr. Jennings has rendered a service to his brethren throughout the country of inestimable value. Mr. Jennings has so far paid little attention to the libelous attacks of the New York World and other newspapers. His friends propose now to turn their efforts in this direction and vindicate Mr. Jennings in all respects.

DANCED IN THE BIRTHDAY.

Patriotic Firemen's Wives Arrange a Delightful Event for Washington Eve.

The new parlors of Zephyr Hook and Ladder Company in the new Fire Department Headquarters were opened Wednesday night by a sociable given by the wives of the members. E. M. O'Reilly furnished music, and dancing was only interrupted by the supper served by the women at midnight.

The affair was arranged by a committee consisting of: Mrs. Jacob Blimm, Mrs. Joseph Blimm, Mrs. William Blimm, Mrs. George Mehl Jr., Mrs. S. L. Miller, Mrs. James Hill.

The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore, Mr. and Mrs. George Mehl, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Blimm, Mr. and Mrs. J. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. R. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. John Blimm, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wood, Mr. and Wm. Blimm, the Misses Katie and Sadie Blimm, Annie Collins of New York, Maggie Loughlin, Lena Keller, Nancy Stears, Emma Naylor, Maggie Campbell, Minnie Kiely, Chief T. O Doane, First Assistant Martin, and Second Assistant Murray, and Messrs. H. McComas, J. Wilson, B. Sutphen, Geo. Babcock, E. I. Vroom, F. A. Glaentzer, C. F. Glaentzer, H. Bush, W. Heidelcff, E. Waters, L. C. Beekman, R. W. Schlereth, E. C. Searing, Elias Southard, Fred Bowden, Fred Miner, Chas. Johnson, Thomas Hughes, Mike Seader, and others.

—The Relief Association wish to thank D. N. D. for the very generous gift to the Relief of one tub of butter and one box of tea.

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A FIGHT FOR MILLIONS.

By JOHN J. McGINNISS.

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Their eyes scanned the page, Mangan holding up the book under the chandelier. There was nothing there concerning their quest. They turned over the leaves to reach the introductory pages until the name Leland in each third or fourth line, in zigzag fashion, attracted their attention. Under date of Feb. 10, 1874, the memorandum was written. The introduction indicated that the writer was confined to his home when engaged in writing in the diary. The Leland record read:

FEB. 10, 1874.—The telegraph today announces the murder of George Leland, the queerest client I ever had. His wife had died when he came to me and asked me to take charge of his property a little over a year ago. Leland had invested in lands outside the city limits which he believed will be yet part of the city proper. Leland said he had an infant daughter Isabel in the Convent of Mercy, this city, and that he proposed going west with his little boy George. He was a bold investor, and it seemed to me Leland was as sanguine as he was radical. His will leaves all his property here to his daughter, and all western investments, of which he was to send me a record, to his son. He said that when his daughter came of age this would be all she would ever require. He was of the Lelands of Liverpool, and his wife's maiden name was Alden. I must send down to Raymond to get the papers in shape.

"What do you think of it?" asked Mangan.

"It is all the evidence required. But how do you account for the failure to carry out my father's wishes?"

"Raymond was about 23 years old then," said Mangan. "He transacted business under this old man's direction. He saw that his patron was nearing his end, and he put the matter off. He knows of you, you may rest assured. He also knows who your sister is. He has kept track of you both, and he had this delinquent tax law passed to get control of your sister's property as well as the property of others, no doubt."

"What do you suggest?"

"Tomorrow we will visit the office of the registrar of arrears, see what taxes are due and prepare to redeem it from Raymond. Take my word, with the knowledge we possess, he will sign it over and not even ask the bonus and interest he is entitled to by law. The will he has destroyed, no doubt, and much trouble can be avoided by taking possession under the delinquent tax law, without entering the surrogate's court. Get a quit claim from Raymond. But, after all, he may fight."

When they returned, they said nothing to Inez about their mission. They talked of the prospects that sprang up before all. It was taken as a matter of course that Inez—alone and dependent—would consent to an early marriage, but when they talked of Mangan's love of Isabel he shook his head sadly to imply that it was unrequited.

"Now, I have an idea," suggested Inez. "I will pay a visit to Isabel tomorrow afternoon and find out all about it. But maybe you are going up earlier?"

"No," said Dr. Leland, "there are a few matters to be settled first. You go up in the afternoon, tell her of her brother and don't forget to say it was Mangan to whom credit is due for the reunion."

"Never mind that," said Mangan.

"But I will mind it," said Inez.

And so they chatted until the hour came for parting.

Next day, early in the afternoon, Dr. Leland and Mangan went to the office of the registrar of arrears. When

Their eyes scanned the page.

they entered, Registrar Black and his clerks looked at Mangan in surprise. The registrar said:

"Gracious, Mr. Mangan, is that you?"

"Of course it is I. You didn't think it was my astral body, did you?"

"No, but I thought it was your ghost."

"My ghost?"

"Yes. Didn't you read the account of your suicide?"

"My suicide?"

"Why, yes. Here it is."

He brought over a file of The Trumpet kept in the office for reference to the advertisements of the departments, and Mangan read the story. It contained eulogistic references to his ability and speculations as to the probable cause of his alleged self destruction.

"I'm one of the few men who has had the distinction of reading his own obituary. I suppose people who know me will run away from me when they see me on the streets."

"I was going to run, I tell you," said Black.

"Well, never mind that. It's ancient history now. We want to see the record of the Leland estate. That's what we came here for."

"Mr. Mangan, that brought me trouble before. Please don't ask me. Raymond was very angry."

"Well, give us the tax debt, and we'll let you off at that."

"I'll do that gladly."

He went over to the redemption clerk, secured the figures charged up against the estate from the beginning, amounting to hundred of thousands of dollars, and handed it to Mangan.

"Let us have one of your redemption forms," said Mangan.

"I am a notary public by favor of a senatorial friend," explained Mangan to Dr. Leland in the registrar's absence. "We'll fill the paper of transfer to Miss Leland; you'll serve as witness, and I'll be prothonotary. It is simple and will stagger him."

Registrar Black returned with the form and ere he parted with it said:

"Don't mention my name, will you? I've had trouble enough."

"Don't worry," said Mangan. "Just tell me where I can find Raymond now."

"He is getting married today," replied the registrar. "Quietly, of course. I happened to know it as I made some purchases and arrangements. This is confidential, of course, and I know you will not use it. You have the reputation of preserving confidence."

"Yes, that obituary says so," laughed Mangan. "Doctor, I guess I'll live up to the reputation," he added, turning to the physician.

"But," he continued, looking up at Black, "he's not marrying for love, unless it is love for money. The idea of Raymond entering the matrimonial state! Ha! Ha! What a joke!"

"It is no joke," said Registrar Black. "It is 1 o'clock, and he is being married now. He's not marrying for money either. Why, it is a poor girl from the Convent of Mercy. Isabel Le Clair, her name is!"

"What!" exclaimed Dr. Leland as he grasped the registrar by the throat. "How dare you!"

"Hold on, doctor!" interposed Mangan. "He is not to blame. The arch fiend, I fear, has beaten us after all."

The clerks ran forward to their chief's rescue. Mangan had loosened the physician's fingers from the registrar's throat, and that official sank back on a cushioned chair gasping for breath. Mangan stepped between Dr. Leland and the clerks, saying:

"This is a misunderstanding. Black is frightened. My friend will return and apologize. We must go now."

These clerks knew Mangan. He was fearless and powerful. No one among them would attempt to grapple with him single handed. It is curious how the individual lack of confidence, where discipline and organization are wanting, is the collective feeling of a gang or rabble until it gets a leader. These men shrank back as the two passed out, and the clerks tried to hide their cowardice by professing an interest in their chief's condition.

"You made a blunder, doctor," said Mangan. "But time is too precious to correct it now. My God! Was it for Raymond I was thrust aside? It may be too late! But let us do our best to reach the convent."

"How far is it?"

"A 20 minutes' ride."

"One o'clock the hour, 20 minutes for the ceremony. They'll be married before we can reach them! Oh, God, Mangan, can this be true?"

"Here's our car! Hope for the best. Run!"

Sentiment had temporarily died in Mangan. The old newspaper instinct to keep cool and rush was his still, just as on many occasions when he fought against time and unforeseen difficulties in getting his story into the office while the last form of type was awaiting the finishing touches on the imposing stone. He fairly dragged the doctor onto the car and then said:

"Now you can pray. I'll think."

CHAPTER XVIII.

THE BEGINNING OF THE END.

Raymond was seated in the rectory of the little parish church just across from the convent. There the marriage ceremony was to be performed. Isabel was to come from the convent, attended by the sister of the priest, who was pastor of the little parish and chaplain to the sisters. Raymond had requested the privileges of escorting her from the convent, but Mother St. Gertrude, who had her own ideas of the proprieties, would not tolerate the slightest infraction of the rule that no bride should be recognized therein but she who had taken vows to the Saviour.

There was a delay. Isabel had been overcome by the sensations of the situations and had fainted. Word had been sent to Raymond that she had recovered and would soon join him. The door of the rectory was ajar, and Raymond was nervously pacing the priest's study, where he had been brought by the clergyman, who wished to inspect the dispensations that abolished the publication of the bans and other formalities incidental to the marriage contract when religiously carried out.

Mangan, on the way up, had thought it most likely that the marriage would be performed in the rectory. The car ran past the door on its way to an adjoining country town. Dr. Leland and he alighted, ran up the steps, rushed in, and Raymond and the priest came out, expecting the bride's arrival. Both started back. It was Mangan's presence that surprised them. The priest believed him to be dead; Raymond deemed he had been frightened away. His appearance upset both.

"Has he been married?" asked Mangan breathlessly, pointing to Raymond.

"No," answered the priest. "Where have you come from, in God's name?"

There was no reply. Mangan dashed by him like an electric flash, his right hand struck out, and Raymond lay prostrate on the floor.

"It is my turn now, Raymond," said Mangan.

"What is this?" exclaimed the priest. "What is this?"

"You'll soon know," was the reply as Mangan placed his hand on Dr. Leland to restrain him from following the example set by himself.

Raymond arose and cowered beneath the glances of the two visitors. The

"It is my turn now, Raymond," said Mangan.

priest, who knew Mangan well, understood that there was something to justify the newspaper man's conduct and anxiously awaited developments. Raymond entered the study and sat down at the command of Mangan. A suspicious movement toward his hip pocket prompted Mangan to say:

"Put your hands on the table and keep them there."

Raymond obeyed. He looked appealingly to the priest, and the latter turned to Mangan, asking:

"What is the meaning of all this?"

"It means first that I am still alive. Again, that this man is a scoundrel trying to insnare an innocent girl. The rest you will learn if you listen."

"I ought to kill you," said Dr. Leland, advancing toward the politician, but Mangan again motioned him to silence, and he obeyed.

"And who are you, pray?" asked Raymond of the doctor, his boldness returning.

"His name is George Leland," said Mangan. "He is the brother of her whom you schemed to make your bride."

Raymond fairly jumped from his seat. The priest, who stood near him, placed his hands on his shoulder and pressed him back to the chair, foreseeing that more startling revelations were to follow.

"Here," said Mangan, passing over the redemption form, "is a paper you must sign. You have mismanaged the Leland estate, and you must forfeit the taxes. We have here the documentary evidence of your perfidy, taken from the private diary of your benefactor, whose trust you have betrayed. This property should have paid these taxes. Its owners must not suffer for your misconduct."

"I'll pay them," said Dr. Leland, "I'll give him a check now."

"Then I'll leave at once," said Mangan, "if you do."

"Do as you please, then," was the doctor's remark. "I would not lose you for the whole estate."

Raymond looked at the three men. He reached for a pen, and the priest interposed:

"*I cannot allow this,*" said he. "Why should he do it?"

"The estate belongs to the woman he tried to lead into marriage," Mangan explained. "It covers the ground of the park sites. He has secured it by improper means, and fearing he might lose it sought to gain control of its owner. You will know the details later."

"Is this honest and just?" asked the priest. "I'll believe you. Tell me?"

"It is."

"All right then."

Raymond took the pen again. He dipped it in the ink, and while carrying it to the paper questioned:

"May I ask where you found this diary?"

"Philip Mortimer had it. He died in Denver, and it was a legacy to me."

The muscles of Raymond's face twitched. Mangan as notary public attested the paper, the priest acting as witness. Raymond arose, never said a word and passed out unmolested.

"I will go over to the convent," said the chaplain, "and prepare them to receive you. But, Mangan, we all thought you were dead."

"I have been in Denver. Mother St. Gertrude will understand. We will follow you over in a little while. This is one of Raymond's moves we arrived in time to checkmate."

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6 37 P. M. WESTERN EXPRESS, with Pullman Vestibule sleeping cars, dining car daily for Pittsburg, Chicago, Cleveland, daily except Saturday, for Toledo, Williamsport, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

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For Baltimore only 1 37 p. m., week-days.

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For New York only, 6 10 a. m. daily.

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For New Brunswick—1 00, 6 37, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 57, 10 08, 11 43 a. m., 1 05, 1 37 2 48, 3 29, 4 38, 5 08, 5 41, 6 06, 6 37, 6 48, 7 46, 9 09 and 10 p. m. Sundays, 1 00, 5 40, 7 47, 9 09, 9 49, 10 08, 10 41 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 5 40, 7 47, 9 09, 9 16 p. m.

For Woodbridge—1 38, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59 a. m., 12 36, 3 20, 4 48, 5 44, 6 12, 7 18 and 9 54 p. m., 12 26 night, week-days. Sundays, 1 38, 10 25, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—1 38, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59 a. m., 12 36, 3 20, 4 48, 5 44, 6 12, 7 18 and 9 54 p. m., 12 26 night, week-days. Sundays, 1 38, 10 25, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For South Amboy—4 08, 8 06 a. m., 12 46, 5 44 7 37 p. m. Sundays, 8 53, 10 25 a. m., 5 44 p. m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 105, 3 39 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 00, 6 37, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 41, 10 08, 11 43 A. M., 1 05 1 37, 2 48, 5 08 6 37, 7 46, 8 43, 9 03 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59 9 05 9 41 10 08, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 09 P. M.

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ARNOLD'S CONFESSION

The Convicted Banker Describes His Downfall.

Implicates Other Bank Officials and Creates a Sensation at Lockport—His Story of His Family Affairs Pitiable—He Claims That His Wife and Children are Without Means.

LOCKPORT, N. Y., Feb. 24.—John Jacob Arnold, now under sentence of 11 years and four months at Auburn, having pleaded guilty to three indictments charging grand larceny, committed when cashier of the Merchants' bank and false entries made when county treasurer, has made a full confession. He makes some startling disclosures, implicating other bank officers in the wrecking of the Merchants' bank and the county treasury. According to his statement a shameful state of crookedness was practiced right along.

In closing his confession he makes a pitiful statement regarding his family affairs. In this respect he says:

"After my arrest I sent to two brothers in Dakota and borrowed $350 from them for the needs of my family, which were and are now pressing. This amount, in addition to about $75 due me from the county for orders and accounts upon which I have made advances gives my family $10 per week for support. I have a family of five children—the eldest on the threshhold of womanhood, the youngest an infant, born in October after my arrest, whose face I have never seen, and little Dorothy, aged two years, who has totally forgotten me and treats me as a stranger, who was always ready to give me the first infantile greeting upon my arrival home. The entire care of the two little ones is thrown upon a dear and devoted wife, in addition to other duties. She is far from strong. These dear ones—dearer to me than life—are left absolutely penniless and need my utmost efforts for their protection. My anguish and anxiety are immeasurably increased by the fact that several sisters and a brother of my wife have been victims of consumption, and this unspeakable calamity is rendered the more unbearable by the knowledge and fear that I may at any time be the recipient of information regarding her health, the result of which is too terrible and awful to contemplate. I have a brother here who is devoted and true, but he cannot obtain employment. He was since 1879 in charge of the ranch property in Texas. In December last I wrote advising him and asking him to sell the property, but before he could do so, the financial depression occurred, and, as the bank was in urgent need of funds, I implored him to sell at any sacrifice. The result was he sold for less than $13,000 property worth over $30,000, and which went into the bank at different times. The note of $1,777, credited by the bank to profit and loss, came from this source.

"I would add that my trouble arose from an arrangement entered into with Col. Snow, a son-in-law of Dr. Holmer, and who was introduced to me by the doctor, by which I was to invest $5,000 in a coal and gypsum company, which amount was to be used by him solely for the purpose of developing the property, and that future expenditures would be provided for by the receipts from the business."

Arnold is still in jail here, and the date for his journey to Auburn has not yet been fixed. The statement of the bank's affairs in his confession is the first regarded here as authoritative. The confession has created a great sensation in Lockport.

TO COMPEL MEMBERS TO VOTE.

House Members Sign a Call for a Caucus to Change Rules.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—One hundred and sixteen democrats have signed the call for a caucus to "consider the propriety of changing the rules of the house with reference to the course that should be pursued by the house when members fail to vote." The call has been circulated by Mr. Paynter, of Kentucky. The caucus will be held after the Bland seigniorage bill has been disposed of, so that no member present at the caucus may be influenced by the pending business.

Mr. Paynter declines to give any information showing the sentiments of the members who have signed the call, but it is understood from other gentlemen who have interested themselves in the matter, that a very considerable number of democratic representatives will endorse any proposition that will result in compelling members to answer to their names when present during the roll calls of the house.

Reform in Football.

PRINCETON, N. J., Feb. 24.—To-day the football experts began their work of reform. Princeton will be represented on the revision committee by "Aleck" Moffatt, '84. Philip King has played football for five years and understands the game perhaps better than any man now in Princeton. In speaking of the coming meeting for the renovation of the old rules he said that sweeping changes would likely be made. The flying wedge, he said, can be done away with by direct legislation. The most urgent need is a classification of the rules.

Not an Affair of the Government.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—The attention of high officials at the department of justice has been called to the statement sent out from Toledo, O., that the United States government intended to take action against the American Protective association for arming themselves. No request for action on the part of the government has been received and a general opinion was expressed that it was a matter for the municipality or the state to regulate.

Telegraphers Organizing.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—The telegraphers of the country are forming provisional committees on organization of the commercial telegraphers of America, the senior committee having its headquarters in this city. During the approaching summer these committees intend holding a general convention, which is expected to map out a comprehensive plan for the organization of American commercial telegraphers.

Another Sunday in Jail for McKane.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Feb. 24.—At the close of arguments in the proceedings for a stay for McKane last night Judge Cullen announced that he would probably give his decision on Monday next.

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New Jersey Republicans Not Trying to Buy Democratic Senators.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 24.—The republican leaders unite in declaring that there is no solid foundation for the charge that negotiations have occurred or are under way for the purchase by them of democratic senators in order to break the deadlock now existing at the state house. The United Press reporter interviewed Senators Smith, of Ocean; Voorhees, of Union; Rogers, of Camden; Packer, of Gloucester, and Ward, of Salem. They all said that whatever Richard B. Reading had done for his own amusement or to learn the secrets of the democrats he had not acted for the republican party or the members of the republican senate. Senator Voorhees, voicing the opinion and sentiments of all his colleagues, said: "I do not believe in the truth of this report. If any negotiations have been made they have been without warrant or authority, express or implied, and without any knowledge of any of the republican senators. It seems to me that the charge is designed to subject to criticism any one of the democratic senators who might feel it his duty to join the majority senate. A few days after the opening of the senate there were rumors that money could be used to induce some of the senators to join the republicans. They were regarded at the time as mere rumors without any foundation."

Starvation in Texas.

HOUSTON, Tex., Feb. 24.—A circumstantial story of actual famine comes from Starr county, in the arid region near the Mexican border. Resolutions adopted at a public meeting held at Paisano set forth that, by reason of the drouth, 90 per cent. of all cattle, horses and sheep are dead; that no crops of any kind have been raised or harvested during the last year; that great destitution and absolute want exist, and that many are forced to subsist on roots, prickly pears, etc. Even the half putrid flesh has been taken from the carcasses of dead animals and eaten to satisfy the gnawing hunger of many of the inhabitants. Many of them, particularly the children, have scarcely sufficient clothing to cover them. The town's own resources are exhausted and aid is asked of the world in the form of money, clothing and food.

Gave Away a Valuable Violin.

HICKSVILLE, L. I., Feb. 24.—Postmaster Leibke a few days ago gave Emil Koenig an old violin that had hung in the garret for the past fifty years not thinking that it was valuable. Mr. Koenig took the instrument to New York to have it repaired and found it was a genuine Cremona violin made by Fietchler in 1740, one year before he died. Koenig has been offered $1,000 for the instrument, but he refused the offer. It has a fine tone and is very light.

Working Up a Scull Match.

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 24.—Gaudaur, the oarsman has not yet had a reply from Sullivan and Harding, the English scullers, to his offer to row them a double scull race, with Hanlan and his mate. Gaudaur offers to row any man in the world a single scull race in America or England or will row any pair in the world a double scull match with Hanlan as his partner for $5,000 a side.

Plenty of Lawyers and Doctors.

ALBANY, Feb. 24.—The regents of the university are negotiating for the use of the 22nd regiment armory of New York city for the purposes of the law and medical studens examinations soon be held, and which will likely be taken by some five hundred or more candidates for admission to the respective professional.

Rescued at Sea.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—The City of Birmingham, just arrived, brought particulars of the rescue of the captain and crew of the water-logged schooner Calumet Club, of Baltimore, on Feb. 16, about thirty miles south of Hatteras. The schooner was full of water and the waves were breaking over her decks, which were nearly awash.

Astor Gives $10,000 to the Poor.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—John A Stewart, of the United States Trust company, and a member of Mayor Gilroy's citizen's relief committee, received a message by cable from William Waldorf Astor instructing him to subscribe in Mr. Astor's name $10,000 to the fund for the relief of the unemployed.

Historic Manuscripts.

ROME, Feb. 24.—The pope has been presented by J. C. Heywood, an American, residing in Rome, with manuscripts containing in complete form the correspondence which passed between the popes and the king and queen of Spain on the subject of the voyage of Columbus.

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THE STRANDED KEARSARGE.

An Attempt Will Be Made to Save the Old War Ship.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—An attempt will be made to save the old war ship Kearsarge, and the first steps were taken in letters of Secretary Herbert addressed to the senate and house asking for authority and an appropriation to contract with some wrecking company for saving the wreck of the historic vessel, now lying on Roncador reef. To a United Press reporter Secretary Herbert said he could not make any definite estimate as to the cost for the work of taking the ship from her present position, but he believed that $20,000 would be sufficient for the purpose. Pending action on his request of congress, Mr. Herbert will receive bids for saving the wreck in order that an estimate of the appropriation required may be made, and it is probable that there will be some sharp competition owing to the valuable advertisement the work of raising the ship will afford to the successful bidder.

The decision of the secretary to attempt the preservation of the Kearsarge was based on a report submitted to the secretary by Rear Admiral Stanton.

Evangelical Association Conference.

SCHUYLKILL HAVEN, Pa., Feb. 24.—Bishop Thomas Bowman, of Chicago, presided at the second day's session of the East Pennsylvania conference of the Evangelical association. Revs. George Buell, Central Falls, R. I.; Aaron Hart, Moctpelier, Vt.; J. N. Short, Cambridge, Mass.; B. F. Esters, Dover, N. H.; George Haddow, Brighton, Mass. and Henry H. Perry, Boston, were received into the conferenes. Hon. James S. Biery, counsel for the church, addressed the conference on "The Present Status of Church Litigation." He said: "This rebellion in the church was unwarranted and uncalled for. You have possibly heard of a decision the other day by Judge Mayer, of Lock Haven. (Applause.) He swept away every issue but the general conference, which is the one on which we stand. Favorable decisions have come from all sections. On my word every case in the civil courts will finally be decided in our favor."

Confined in an Asylum.

MCKEESPORT, Pa., Feb. 24.—The foreign population here is excited over the report that Paul Lang, a young Russian, who was formerly in the stationary business, is illegally confined in an insane asylum at Provo, Utah. Lang's friends assert that he was sent to the asylum by a wealthy banker to whose daughter Lang was a welcome suitor. They will appeal to the British minister at Washington in his behalf, as Lang claims to be a British subject.

THE ITHACA TRAGEDY.

Rumors of a Confession—Student Dingens Still Absent.

ITHACA, N. Y., Feb. 24.—The sensation of the day in the Cornell poisoning case was caused by the announcement that one of the perpetrators of the outrage was ready to confess, he having concluded that this was the most manly stand to take. He was stopped, however, by others who were implicated in the matter. This statement was investigated by the United Press reporter and found to be reliable. It was thought that, despite the endeavors of the others, the fellow would finally take the stand he thought best, but he has not. The coroner is still investigating the matter and has announced that he has additional clues, but what they are he would not state. He believes he is on the right track and will discover the culprits.

Endeavors to locate Dingens, of Buffalo, have been of no avail and his action in remaining away from the scene of investigation makes the finger of suspicion point towards him as one of the guilty parties.

The faculty at a meeting adopted a resolution assuring the civil authorities of Ithaca of their desire to co-operate with them in procuring the detection and securing the conviction of the perpetrators of the crime committed in connection with the freshman banquet on Tuesday night.

BAIL FOR WIMAN.

A Check for $25,000 to Be Presented to the Comptroller To-day.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Late yesterday afternoon Mr. A. B. Chandler presented a check for $25,000, as bail for Erastus Wiman. Acting District Attorney Davis refused to accept the check, saying it would have to be deposited with the comptroller who would give a receipt and issue a certificate of deposit which operates as a discharge of Mr. Wiman. It was then after 5 o'clock and the comptroller's office was closed. The gentleman said he would present the check to the comptroller to-day. Mr. Chandler says he expects to secure Mr. Wiman's release before 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Progress of Tariff Work.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—The senate subcommittee on finance is hard at work on the tariff bill and, owing to the adjournment of the senate, has been able to conduct its sitting without interruption since Thursday. The members of the sub-committee are more than usually uncommunicative, but one of them stated this morning that rapid progress had been made. It is understood that so satisfactory has this work been that a meeting of the full committee on finance will be called for Monday morning, when the bill will be laid before the republican members of the committee.

Strange Absence of an Old Man.

LOWELL, Mass., Feb. 24.—Edward Cuddy, aged 70, of this city, has been missing since Oct. 31, when he was put on a train by relatives to visit his daughters in Dedham. The Boston police have been communicated with with a view to determine whether they have any record of an individual answering to Mr. Cuddy's description, but nothing has been discovered.

UNIMPEACHABLE TESTIMONY!

A WONDERFUL STORY BY AN IRVINGTON WOMAN.

Fearful Failure of Fifteen Physicians—Serious Surgical Operation Suggested.

For four years I have suffered from a complication of diseases which physicians said were dyspepsia, liver and kidney complaint, nervous prostration and womb disease. No words of mine can describe the terrible pains and distress I have experienced—the dizziness, trembling, fears of evil, chills, fever, melancholy, restlessness and numerous other dreadful sensations which I am unable to describe. Have been treated by fifteen physicians, some of whom were sure they could cure me within two or three months, and all of whom have had from two months to three, four or more, as they said was needed. One I tried for a whole year until last May I found myself disappointed, discouraged and about ready to give up altogether, as, after treating me for a year, my physician told me I would be obliged to undergo a surgical operation before I could commence to get better. Just at this time I was advised by friends to consult Dr. Starkweather of No. 105 Halsey street, Newark, as they knew of some very remarkable cures which he had performed.

I followed their advice and visited the doctor on May 5. How glad I am that I took this step no one can realize who has not been similarly situated. The doctor gave me a complete history of my case, describing with surprising accuracy the conditions and symptoms which I had endured for years, but what gave me the greatest surprise and pleasure was when he assured me that there was no need of any surgical operation. Proper means, he said, would overcome my troubles without any surgery. I commenced at once to follow Dr. Starkweather's directions and treatment. I having gradually and steadily improved since that time, as he stated I would, until now I am the wonder of all my friends, while rejoicing in renewed health, strength and spirits. Am constrained by a sense of duty and gratitude to accord the praise due Dr. S. for his gentle, soothing and skillful treatment of my case, and advise all sufferers from whatever cause to consult this eminent physician. MRS. WM. R. MANSER,

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THE WEATHER:

For New Jersey: Increasing Cloudiness and Snow; Rising Temperature Sunday; Northeasterly Winds.

Wedded in Dunellen.

(From The Bound Brook Chronicle.)

The home of Mr. and Mrs. David S. Campbell in Dunellen with relatives and friends Wednesday evening, to witness the ceremony that made their eldest daughter, Hattie M., a life partner of J. Newton Apgar, a well and favorably known young man of that place. Miss Linda P. Negus, of Bound Brook, played the wedding march, and Rev. J. I. Martine spoke the solemn words that bound the two young people together. After the ceremony a bounteous wedding supper was served. The presents were numerous, some costly, and all useful. A reception was given at the home of the groom's parents Thursday afternoon, and the young couple will soon commence housekeeping in a home now being erected for that purpose.

It's a Way We Have in Live Plainfield.

(From The Elizabeth Journal.)

Plainfield is so enamored of its electric railway that the newspapers and the citizens are clamoring for more, and want to extend the line eastward as far as Netherwood. If this keeps on the Plainfield people will have an electric railroad all the way to Elizabeth before Elizabeth has one half the way to Plainfield.

The Midway Mudway.

(From The New Brunswick Home News.)

The macadam road between Metuchen and Plainfield is for the most part without reproach, but midway there is about a mile of road that is almost worthless. It should be seen to at once. Taxpayers are not spending their money for that sort of thing.

That North Avenue Peanut Conversion.

(From The New York Evangel and Sabbath Outlook.)

The efforts to punish an Italian who opened his fruit store on Sunday—under plea that he had "turned to keeping Saturday"—some months ago at Plainfield, N. J., have been "adjourned" from time to time until they seem to be as powerless as a wasted cyclone.

Always Defending the Oppressed.

(From The Somerville Democrat.)

Some over-zealous business men of Plainfield are circulating a petition to abate the nuisance of newsboys selling papers on the streets. The Press donated half a column on Monday last to defending the little waifs.

May Be True, Nevertheless.

(From The Bound Brook Chronicle.)

The report that some good Plainfield people will petition the United States Senate not to place on the free list undressed lumber, for the reason that such an act would encourage immodesty, lacks confirmation.

Always Good with the Deacon.

(From The Somerset Democrat.)

Counselor Charles A. Reed has taken a southern trip. Business must be either very good or else very poor in Plainfield just now.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Quarterly conference will be held in Grace M. E. church tonight.

—No. 2 of The Magic City is now on sale at White's. It's a beauty.

—Music Hall was comfortably heated last night, in spite of the piercing cold without.

—The big ad is out, but the bargains are still being duplicated, in the VanEmburghs' store.

—The Plainfield Liederkranz will give their first entertainment, in Red Men's Hall Monday night, April 2

—The woodwork of the Sarah E. Latimer memorial window in the First Presbyterian Church has been repainted.

—H. A. Pierson of Elizabeth will begin March 1 the publication of The New Jersey Contractor, devoted to building projects along the Jersey Central.

—The gymnastic class of the Y M C A. have taken up their regular work with a large membership. Tonight will be the last opportunity for others to join the class.

—For three days of high living in Washington you have only to pay $13 50, on the special pleasure tour advertised for March 8 in another column. The train stops in Plainfield, for your personal accommodation. Go along!

—In the City Court this morning Frank Marsh and Charles Hurst tried to prove their innocence of the wrong of being disorderly in Music Hall entrance Tuesday night. The attempt failed and they were found guilty. Sentence was suspended.

—Rev. Arthur Crane gave another of his interesting talks last evening in the First Baptist Church. His text was taken from the twenyt-fifth chapter of Genesis, the story of Esau selling his birthright for a mess of pottage.

—Large houses greeted Waite's Comedy Company again yesterday. Tonight the last performance, "Under the Gaslight", will be given. This is a thrilling melodrama, with the famous original railroad scene. The house is sure to be packed, and everyone will go early in order to get in through the crowd before the band begins to play.

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FUNERAL OF C. P. LEGGETT.

Masonic Honors at the Grave—Beautiful Floral Tributes.

Funeral services were held over the remains of the late Charles P. Leggett at the house, 822 Madison avenue, at 2:30 this afternoon. Because of the illness of Mrs. Leggett's father, Garret VanWinkle, the attendance was limited to the immediate relatives. Rev. Dr. E. M. Rodman, rector of Grace P. E. Church, read the Episcopal service. He was assisted by Rev. Cornelius Schenck.

The body was accompanied to the grave by members of Alert Hose Company and the Engine Companies, Jerusalem Lodge, No. 29, F. and A. M., and delegates from other lodges to which the deceased belonged. It was laid to rest with Masonic service.

The pall-bearers were: Henry Woodland, H. S. Mason, W. B. Codington, T. H. Keiler, John Ulrich and L. B. Woolston.

Among the floral designs was an elegant pillow from Jerusalem Lodge and Chapter, composed of solid white carnations with Masonic emblems worked in red, blue and yellow flowers, trimmed with white roses, lilies of the valley, and rare orchids.

Alert Hose Company's tribute was a trumpet made of pure white roses, violets and azalias, with the inscriptions "Alert" and "C. P. L." in violets, making a most beautiful design.

The Royal Arcanum sent a handsome standing design, a cross, crown and crescent combined. The crown was made of white pinks and niphetus roses, and lilies of the valley, the cross was of violets and the crescent of heliotrope with the letters "V. M. C." in white on the base, which was composed of pearl de jarden roses. This was a most handsome design, and most beautifully arranged.

Another beautiful piece was a standing crescent from the Crescent Wheelmen with the word "Wheelmen" in violets on a white background, trimmed with light pink mermit roses, with the base of purple and yellow pansies. A cross was furnished by the K. of H., composed of the choicest white flowers with the symbol letters done in violets and lilies of the valley.

Three beautiful floral links were sent by Queen City Lodge, I. O. O. F.

The King's Daughters of Trinity Church sent an elegant basket filled with asceelon lilies, each lily holding a cluster of English violets, and tied with purple ribbon.

There were numerous other floral offerings from friends and relatives.

The beautiful floral designs from the several different organizations were arranged by Miss A. Lincoln, the Park avenue florist, and reflect great credit on her artistic ability.

BACHELORS BOWLED BEST.

Benedicks Couldn't Get Away from Home Nights to Practice.

Two teams of C. Y. M. L. bowlers rolled a game on the club-house alleys last night. Matrimony was the dividing line between the sides. The single men finished thirty-one pins ahead. Capt. Lynch left during the game and his scoring was finished by Delahanty. The married men were handicapped by the absence of several experts. The score:

BACHELORS.		BENEDICKS.	
Lynch	127	Kiley	137
Waters	123	Carty	180
Lang	135	Donnely	111
O'Connor, J	98	O'Connor, W	109
Whelan	123	Melnerney	154
Gallagher	178	Casey	109
Winn	105	McDonough	118
Mack	144	Higgins	100
Galbraith	132	Wierenga	151
Butscher	162	Forestel	134
	1324		1293

Death of An Old-Time Plainfield Editor.

Foster M. Cushing died of bronchitis, Thursday, at his home on Mauger street, Brooklyn, E. D., aged 54.

He was son of Milton F. Cushing, the founder of the Plainfield Union, latterly the Central New Jersey Times, and learned the printing trade in his father's office, finally succeeding him as the proprietor of this paper. He married Miss Henrietta Lown, of Brooklyn, who, with a son and two daughters, all grown up, survives him. A sister is Mrs. William Hand, of Park avenue, wife of Capt. Hand.

Mr. Cushing left Plainfield when he sold the paper, and went to Newark. For the past twelve years he resided in Brooklyn, being publisher of The Churchman, a New York religious publication.

The funeral will be held from the house tomorrow afternoon, and the interment will be made in Cypress Hills Cemetery.

Sons of Temperance Fraternize.

Nineteen members of Howell Division, S. of T., paid a visit to New Brunswick Division last night. Frank Hand took the party over in a large stage. They report having had a most enjoyable time, and arrived home about 3 this morning.

—In Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., last night, the Grand Orient degree was worked on thirteen members of Waite's Comedy Company who promise never to forget Plainfield or the password, the great seal having been impressed on each.

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I can truthfully say that I believe your Golden Medical Discovery saved my life. When I began your treatment two years ago, I had been given up by the Doctor; and my friends had lost all hope of my recovery. I had suffered for years with torpid liver; I had chronic pleurisy and catarrh in a very bad form. Attended with hemorrhages—was confined to my bed two months. In a few days after beginning your medicine I could perceive a slight change for the better; in three months I felt almost like a new person. Yours very gratefully,

Mrs. MAGGIE E. BRANSFORD,
Williamsburg, W. Va.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Garret VanWinkle is improving.

Mulford Estil starts this afternoon to recuperate in Atlantic City.

Dr. Carman, who has been very ill, left today for Baltimore and Washington.

Dan VanWinkle, night operator in the Telephone Exchange, resigned his position.

A. D. Mellick has been elected member of the Washington Camp-Ground Association.

Mrs. J. S. King, of West Second street, has returned from a visit of several days with friends in Jersey City and Newark.

Rev. Dr. William S. Langford, General Secretary of the Board of Missions preached in Holy Cross Church last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conover of Elmwood place, who have been visiting relatives in Jersey City, are expected home today.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Vanderbeck are now in Lakeland, Florida, whence the Freeholder writes that they are enjoying summer weather.

Miss Maude Agnes Bowers has accepted the position of private secretary to Charles Fisk, and will enter upon her work March 1.

Mrs. Samuel Kimball, formerly of Franklin place, is again in Plainfield, boarding with Mrs. Kirk, of Park avenue and Seventh street.

Prosperous Relief Corps.

The Women's Relief Corps, No. 10, Auxiliary to Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., held their regular meeting last evening and transacted routine business.

Two donations of money were received, one of $10 from George H. Storr, of Westfield, and another of $5 from Mrs. Isaac Brokaw. Mrs. Woodruff and Mrs Brokaw, delegates to the late Convention in Trenton, made their reports, which were very interesting. Two new applications were made for membership.

The Corps now numbers 40, and is in excellent working order.

—It is expected that the Tr de Temple bowling team will play the crack "Americas" of Newark, next Tuesday evening in this city.

—Thorpe & Ivins are perfecting arrangements to deliver coal in 100-lb bags, so that the noise and dirt of ordinary dumping may be avoided. This system has been in successful operation in other places, but it remained for the new Watchung avenue firm to inaugurate it in Plainfield.

—Plainfield thermometers fell to 4 below zero last night, coldest of the season.

—John Culley, an employe in Rheaume's coal yard, lost part of a finger while unloading a patent coal cart yesterday afternoon.

—A special meeting of Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, was held last night. H. S. Mason, D. W. Littell and A. V. Kline were appointed delegates to attend the funeral of Charles P. Leggett this afternoon.

Bushville's Double Murder.

MONTICELLO, N. Y., Feb. 24.—The authorities are hard at work in an effort to discover the murderer of Jacob Bloom and Mrs. Raymond, whose bodies were found at their home near Bushville yesterday morning by a neighboring boy who went to deliver a basket of potatoes, and it is believed if the suspicious looking stranger who was seen in the neighborhood Thursday can be found, the murderer will be in custody or a clue discovered. No motive for the crime is known other than robbery, as Mr. Moore had just received about $45 pension money. The murdered man was 83 years old and Mrs. Raymond, who was his housekeeper, 90. Moore's land comprised only about five acres, but he managed to make a living from it. The murder was most brutal, as the room showed evidences of a fierce struggle, Mr. Moore being shot in the head and then beaten with a club, and his housekeeper's skull crushed in with a stable shovel.

Vicar-General Hughes' Condition.

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 24.—Vicar-Gen. Hughes, who was attacked with a severe chill during the consecration of Bishop Tierney, and instantly removed to his home, where everything possible is being done for his comfort, is resting easily, but concern is expressed for his recovery as he is over 60 years old. He has held prominent ecclesiastical offices for over forty years during several administrations.

Believes O'Donnell is Daft.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Bob Fitzsimmons has sent the following telegram to a sporting paper of this city: "Steve O'Donnell must be daft. He never bested me in his life. O'Donnell was not recognized in my class when I left Australia, but if he thinks he has an even chance with me I am only too willing to meet him at any time."

Burtsell Coming Home in April.

KINGSTON, N. Y., Feb. 24.—In a letter received by a friend of the Rev. R. L. Burtsell, he states that he will return from the Holy land about April 14, in order to celebrate his birthday on the 15th of that month, when the Burtsell family will hold a reunion in New York.

Tax Scheme in Massachusetts.

BOSTON, Feb. 24.—Representative Bliss says he expects that his bill requiring foreign corporations doing business in this state to file annually with the commissioner a list of its shareholders will pass the legislature.

German Anarchists Sentenced.

BERLIN, Feb. 24.—The anarchists, Paulowitz and Petersdorf, charged with publicly inciting to violence, have been sentenced to prison for nine and three months respectively.

Most men break down when afflicted with rheumatism. If they would try Salvation Oil they would find relief at once.

3,000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from C. W. Mazon, Farina, Ills., says: "I consider your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have been in the drug business fourteen years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal satisfaction." Sold by I. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents. 12 22 y

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

SCRUB and WASH as you will, it is not easy to keep the hands smooth and white in winter time. In fact, the more you scrub and wash, the rougher seems the skin, and you find that the best of soap fails to whiten it. Now if, after washing, you will moisten your hands with LEMON JUICE AND GLYCERINE, the effect will be to soften and whiten the skin, even in the worst weather. Used by hundreds of the "best people" in Plainfield. Originated and sold only by H. P. REYNOLDS, Pharmacist, Park and North avenues.

—White has already secured 900 subscribers to The Magic City.

Cut Roses, Carnations, Violets.

Flowers furnished for weddings, funerals, etc., in bunches, bouquets or design.

MILES,

Somerset st., Johnston's drive, terminus of electric railroad. 2 17 tf

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

LOST—On Feb. 13, keys tied with blue ribbon. Finder please return to this office. 2 24 2

FURNISHED rooms, with or without board; references exchanged. Apply 206 East Front st. 2 24 12-eod

LOST—Young Newfoundland dog with white spot on neck; with collar; reward. F. M. Hulett, 324 West Front st

BEAUTIFUL Bermuda lilies, with 5 to 7 flowers, palms, azalias and rubber trees at Denton's, Hillside ave. 2 24 2

LOST—A lady's diamond ring. Finder please leave at this office.

ROOM, with or without board, 145 W. 2d st. 2 24 18

TO LET—3 rooms on first floor, 4 rooms on second floor. Apply 404 West 3d st., cor. Central avenue. 2 23 6

IF you have any improved or unimproved property for sale or to let, let us know of it; perhaps we can do something for you. Lyman & Petrie, 197 North avenue. 2 23 2

TO LET—3 rooms cheap to small family. 214 New street.

FOR SALE—"C & C." motor, suitable for sewing machine or other light work; Yost typewriter; crown gas pump; Wadsworth single barrel shot gun and Scott double barrel; both breech loaders. Address Box 2806, New York.

STORE to let in Stillman Block, now occupied by Goldman. 2 24 tf t t s

STORAGE rooms in Stillman Block. 2 24 tf-t t s

FOR SALE or to let, house 56 Sandford avenue, now occupied by Councilman See. Wm. M. Stillman. 2 24 tf-t t s

TO LET—From April 1, two furnished rooms with or without board in private family; location central. Address A., care Press. 2 23 2

FOR RENT—Central Hall, permanently, for a lodge or other association; or occasionally for festivals, anniversaries, exhibitions, concerts, etc. VanBuren & Timpson. 2 19 3-m w s

FOR SALE—A large house in Washington Park, containing 12 rooms, all improvements, city water, steam heat, barn on place; half or more of value may remain on mortgage for term of years; would exchange for small house nearer station; well located, with all improvements. Address House, care Press. 2 19 tf-eod

HOUSES for sale; farms for sale; lots for sale; houses to let; flats to let; barns to let; apartments to let; stores to let; money to loan; we are also in the insurance business, representing first-class companies; before renewing your policies this spring call and get our rates; we can save you money these hard times. Lyman & Petrie, 197 North avenue. 2 23 2

YOUNG girl wants situation at general housework. 116 West 4th st. 2 23 2

A GENUINE bargain; fine house, large lot, elegant location, Netherwood. Lyman & Petrie. 2 23 2

WANTED—Two furnished rooms, 1st floor and located on Park avenue preferred. State place, price and particulars to Emack, care Press. 2 20 tf

HOUSES for sale; $1,200 up. Lyman & Petrie, opposite depot. 2 23 2

TO LET—Large house and barn, Front street and Clinton avenue, Evona, opposite station. Wm. McD Corlell. 2 20 6

FOR SALE.—Newfoundland dog 14 months old, very intelligent, kind and affectionate; price $15; also Cocker spaniel; solid liver color; one year old; very fond of children; price $10. Address Kennel, care Press. 2 23 2

CALL on Lyman & Petrie for bargains in real estate; easy payments. 2 23 2

HOUSES to rent centrally located: 1 house 11 rooms, good condition, $20; 1 house 8 rooms, rent $12; 2 houses 7 rooms, rent $9; 1 house 8 rooms, rent $11. Apply 140 Park ave. 2 10 6-eod

WE have some fine houses in Washington Park for rent Lyman & Petrie. 2 23 2

A RESPONSIBLE party desires to rent for one year a medium sized modern house in North Plainfield, west of Grove street, with option of purchase and applying rent on purchase money; terms must be easy and rent low. Address E. S. S, care Press. 2 19 6

IF you want to rent houses with all improvements call and see Lyman & Petrie's list before renting elsewhere; they will try and save you money. 2 23 2

MONEY wanted to invest on gilt-edge Plainfield mortgages. Chas. A. Reed atty. National Bank Building 10 29 tf

NO car fares, no mud; live in town and get the advantage of all the improvements for the same rent you are now paying; houses centrally located from $12 to $40 per month; no trouble to show them to you. Call on Lyman & Petrie, 197 North avenue 2 23 2

PLEASANT rooms with board 212 Watchung avenue. 2 15 am

TO LET—Portion of furnished house to party who will board 3. Address V., care Press. 2 12 tf

WANTED—A Remington typewriter, and cabinet for same. G. B. Wean, 112 Plainfield avenue. 2 14 tf

TO LOAN, on 1st mortgage $600 $1,200, $1,700, $3,000. Mulford, broker. 2 7 tf

TO LET—10 room house; modern improvements; 127 East 5th st. Apply Wm. H. Brower, 432 Watchung avenue 1 31 tf

AN elegant brick and brown stone house for sale or exchange for Plainfield property, on Halsey street, Brooklyn. Edward Love, corner North and Watchung avenues. 12 30 tf

FOR SALE—"The Medical and Surgical History of the Late War"; 4 rare vols. Address Books, care Press. 1 20 tf

You Want the BEST.

HUCKINS SOUPS

They Have No Equal.

Highest Award. Gold medal and diploma at Wold's Fair.

Geo. W. Rockfellow.

THE GROCER, Park ave. & 4th st. 1 27 tf

SECRET OF OUR SUCCESS IN BUSINESS

AMOS H. VAN HORN

LIMITED

Reasons for Their Success and for Being Very Busy Now

FIRST—It is the rule of the house to treat every one alike, and those that do not know the price of goods pay no more than those that are posted, as we have only one price for everybody.

SECOND—Our establishment is the largest in the state, consequently we carry the largest stock.

THIRD—Our prices are the lowest in the city, and a child can buy goods from us as well as the most expert.

FOURTH—Our terms are the easiest, and we never push or crowd our customers when sickness or death visits the family or when they are out of work.

FIFTH—We deliver goods to all parts of the State without charge.

SIXTH—When a purchase does not turn out as represented, we either make it right in other goods or refund the money.

SEVENTH—We are letting purchasers select goods now and holding them until spring without a deposit.

EIGHTH—We are now selling a range called PORTLAND, which has no equal. Warranted or money refunded.

NO. 88 BANK STREET

Is the number of our new Storage Building, which excels anything in the city for cleanliness and low rates.

TELEPHONE 580.

Amos H. Van Horn, L't'd.,

73 MARKET STREET,

Furniture store nearest Plane st., Newark, N. J. 10 10 y

WHAT IS

A BARGAIN?

ANSWER—

A Gold Dollar for 50c.

But they are very scarce just now. The nearest approach to them is the Clearance Sale Bargains now going off rapidly at Edsall's.

Our definition of a bargain, viz.: Genuine, good, seasonable goods sold at a less price than their actual value, and that is what we are doing every day in order to reduce our stock prior to removal into our new quarters in the Babcock Building.

We are aware that the word "Bargain" is a very much abused word, and is largely discounted by a majority of readers of ads. Yet it is hard to find a word so expressive to the advertiser as this word.

Truly, there is such a thing as a genuine bargain, notwithstanding some will sell half cotton goods for all wool, and "seconds," for perfect goods and inferior brands for best quality, and call them bargains. We don't want to set up the cry of "more holier than thou," but we will say that when we advertise an article as cheap, or a bargain, we will prove it every time by a personal inspection of the goods. We repeat emphatically that you can find now plenty of real bargains at our clearance sale. New spring goods in great variety.

EDSALL'S

Great Clearance Sale of Boots & Shoes

—OVER—

8 THOUSAND PAIRS

Marked down in price. This is your opportunity if you want to get good reliable Footwear at manufacturer's prices.

DOANE & EDSALL.

OUR METHODS

AND

OUR REWARD.

As to the former we would say that they are ours. Imitation is only a form of flattery and we never flatter; we make the price and it always goes, and you will notice our prices are never cut under. The people are wise enough to know where they can save money, and the amount of business we are doing tells a truthful tale.

ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE.

Our Linen Sale—Remarkable values we will offer in towelings, table liner, napkins and towels; 54 in. table linen 23c; 60 in do. 38c; fine Damask towels knotted fringe 23c; extra heavy Turkish towels 16c; dinner napkins, full size, $1.18 dozen; do., extra fine, $1.41 dozen.

Belding Black Silk—100 yds, 69c dozen, regular price $1.00.

Indigo Blue Prints—You can almost hear the prices drop on certain lines of goods. Indigo blue prints 4½c.

You see that immense pile of Amoskeag and Lancaster ginghams. Forty-seven hundred yards, and they go for 4½c per yard.

Muslins—Same price on Fruit, Dwight, Anchor and Lonsdale, 7c. per yd.

Dress Gingham Specials—About 50 pieces fine Scotch ginghams made to sell for 25c per yard; our price 15c. Almost a yard wide they are.

Wool Dress Goods—In fancys, plain and black. Special inducements we are offering in black cashmere, serges and whipcords. Have you seen those 50c. black goods we are offering for 38c?

Hosiery—You want the best stocking your money will buy. That's the kind we sell and Hermsdorf dyes them.

Housefurnishings—When you want crockery, tinware, woodenware or anything in the housefurnishing line come and see us. The best assortment and the lowest prices.

Magic City—A portfolio of original views of the Great World's Fair and its treasures of art. No. 2 now on sale. Price 10c.

WHITE, of Plainfield.

F. MARGENTINO,

Retail and wholesale dealer in all kinds of CHOICE FRUITS, CONFECTIONERY, ETC. IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC CIGARS, Cider, Sodawater, Ginger ale, etc.

No. 10 Park Ave., Plainfield, N. J.

Close on Friday night and open on Saturday night. 4 21 y

J. T. VAIL,

Real Estate and Insurance.

177 NORTH AVENUE.

Blue Stone Flagging, &c. 9 21 tf

CHEESE. CHEESE.

Fromage de Brie, Fromage de Camem Belt, Club House, Pine Apple, Paragon, Edam, Swiss, Roquefort, Neuchatel, Philadelphia Cream, Orange Co., English Dairy, Pamasan, Sago.

DEMAREST.

PECK

AS USUAL LEADS.

Men Set Their Watches By His Clock.

Sebring's,

BIG SALE OF TROUSERS.

ALL WOOL $1.95.

REDUCED FROM $3.00.

Park Avenue, Packer's Block.

12-6-y

GAVETT'S

Fine China Glass and Dinner Ware.

THE BELGIAN LAMP.

10- 6-y

Have You Tried It?

The life of a suit of clothes may be indefinitely prolonged. To your inexperienced eye it may seem worn out. The chances are that cleaning, pressing and a few stitches here and there will give it several months more wear.

That's the kind of economy that amounts to something. You'll save one suit in three by it.

PRICES:
Entire Suit, cleaned and pressed, $1.50
Suit Dyed, $2.75
Trousers cleaned and pressed 50 cents

Hillier & Co. 175 North Ave.

"Seeing is Believing."

Simple, Beautiful, Good—these words mean much, but to see "The Rochester" will impress the truth more forcibly. Its marvelous light is purer and brighter than gas light, softer than electric light, and more cheerful than either. The choicest bric-a-brac in the palace of a Vanderbilt reveals nothing finer. We have 2,700 artistic varieties, in brass, bronze, silver and black iron.

Ladies often like to go down among the large wholesale houses and buy of first hands. They will find at our salesrooms (the largest in the world) a rare collection of Art in Lamps. A catalogue to send you if you cannot come.

THE ROCHESTER LAMP CO.,
42 Park Place, } New York City.
37 Barclay St., }

"The Rochester."

Vocal and Instrumental Instruction.

Walter A. Hudson (of New York), Voice Culture, Etc.
W. H Miner, Piano, Boy-voice Training and Theory.
STUDIO—29 & 30 STILLMAN BUILDING, NO. 212 W. FRONT ST., PLAINFIELD, N. J. 10 8 tf

WHEN? NOW. WHERE? PARK AVE. WHO? WILLETT'S

SPECIAL

Ladies' $2.50 Hand Welt Button reduced to Two Dollars ($2.00)
Do you wear 2½, 4 or 7? It doesn't make any difference, we have your size.

107 PARK AVENUE,

LOTS ON THE INSTALLMENT PLAN.

J. F. MACDONALD

Has a few left over from his two auction sales

At Netherwood

There is no better time to build a house than now. Men want work; you can build cheaply and at the same time help others. 2 9 tf

HATTER HALLOCK,

109 West Front Street,

Will be pleased to show you the latest styles in Hats, whether you wish to purchase or not.

EMULSION COD LIVER OIL

WITH HYPOPHOSPHITES.

Trial size only 35c. Full pint bottle 65c. Be sure you get

LEGGETT'S. Front Street and Park Ave.

International Fur Store,

114 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J.

FURS

REPAIRED, ALTERED AND STORED.

CLERGYMEN COMPLIMENTED.

Receptions to Revs. Richards and Randolph, on Their Return from Mexican and Matrimonial Trips, Respectively.

The Young People's Association of the Crescent Avenue Church gave a reception last evening from 8 until 10 to Rev. Dr. W. E. Richards and Mrs. Richards. The church parlors were very prettily decorated with festoons of Japanese lanterns, while from the ceiling also hung huge vari-colored umbrellas. Under the largest of these Dr. and Mrs. Richards received the members of the Crescent Avenue Church, all of whom had received special invitations for the event.

The scene around the beloved pastor and his wife was a bright and joyous one both to them and to the hundreds of friends who gathered around them. Although Dr. Richards was not absent many weeks from his people, yet all were happy and more contented when he returned from Mexico and resumed his place at their head. This was unmistakably manifest last night.

The young ladies committee who furnished the evening's entertainment were very successful in their undertaking. Mrs. John Doull Miller, Mrs. DeGraff, Mrs. H. C. Adams, and Mrs. Ladd, poured coffee, while a bevy of young women assisted them in their task of entertainment.

P. Ludwig Conde and C. Eick, upon violin and piano, rendered a select programme of music during the evening.

Rev. Herbert F. Randolph introduced his bride to the members of his congregation at a reception in Grace M. E. Church last evening. Nearly 175 people were present. Rev. Dr. Chas. R. Barnes, of the First Methodist Church, and Rev. H. B. Munson, of the Monroe Avenue Chapel, congratulated their fellow-worker.

The formal reception was followed by a literary and musical programme as follows:

Piano duet—
Mrs. L. W. Powell and Miss Alice J. Carroll
Song—"And Then the Vows",
Miss Carrie Tingley
Piano solo—"Racing Down the Rapids",
Miss Edna Schooley
Song—"Rose".....Miss Alice Carroll

Miss Carroll responded to an encore by singing "The Serenade".

Ezra Loomis was at the head of the affair, being aided in arranging by Mrs. H. K. Carroll, Mrs. William H. Griffen, E. P. Stevens, Mrs. L. A. Hummer, A. A. Taft and Elmer E. Winckler. Mrs. John H. Carney served ice-cream, and Mrs. Ezra Loomis other refreshments, each having an able band of assistants.

TA-RA-RA, NOT MENDELSSOHN.

Queer Surprise for M. E. Spectators at Cinderella's Wedding.

The fair and festival given by the Sunday-school of the First M. E. Church continued yesterday afternoon and evening. The attendance was larger than that of the previous day, and as usual the refreshment table did a thriving business.

The Cinderella panorama upstairs was a great attraction, a large number of people paying five cents to see the six principal scenes of that interesting fairy tale. The last one represents the Prince and Cinderella standing before the altar about to be married, while the organ is supposed to be pealing forth the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March. Last evening, however, the spectators were surprised by hearing the plaintive notes of Ta-ra-ra-boom-de-ay wafted to their ears instead of the famous classic.

The fair was a success, and reflected much credit on the different committees. The first evening about $130 was taken in, and the net profit of the fair is more than $200.

Hibernians' Glowing Tribute.

The Press of yesterday published the news that P. Casey was county delegate, and J. Galbraith attended with him, the State Convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians Thursday at which resolutions were adopted emulating Washington as the grandest personality in the world's history. Those resolutions are so glowing a tribute to the Father of His Country that they are eminently worthy of publication in full, as follows:

We, the Ancient Order of Hibernians of New Jersey, in convention assembled, on this the natal of the immortal Washington, do hereby attest our reverence for the memory of him who was the grandest personality in the world's history, and we especially cherish the memory of those traits of his character that evidenced his hearty devotion to the principal of man's political equality and his jealousy for a thorough compliance on the part of every American citizen of the spirit of religious liberty and toleration; and we regard the life of Washington as the best example for us to imitate as liberty-loving, law-abiding and patriotic American citizens.

Japanese Wedding for Emmanuel.

A Japanese wedding and young people's concert will be given in Reform Hall, Thursday evening, March 1, for the benefit of the Emmanuel Church. Besides the wedding there will be singing, recitations and refreshments.

The committee is composed of Mrs. J. W. Mitchell, Mrs. E. B. Maynard, Mrs. M. Thomas, Mrs. J. Bushrod, Mrs. E. Randolph, Mrs. E. M. Connett, E. B. Maynard, James Connett, I. VanPelt and W. B. Connett. The Japanese wedding will be under the supervision of Messrs. Grey and R. Green.

You'll Find It So.

"A place for everthing and everything in its place", is a good motto, and a place where you will find everything that fits the place is at Collier's, 103 Park avenue. Anything from a collar-button to a diamond brooch you will find here at prices to suit the times.

Although many remedies are pushed into the market by spicy advertisements, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup takes the lead.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street, Price $1.00.

THE QUESTION OF RENTS.

Why Figures Are Misleading that Low-Rent Claimants Have Presented.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—It seems to me that some of your correspondents, in attempting to show that rents are not too high in Plainfield, have put the horse before the cart in their discussion of the subject.

They argue because a man may have paid a certain price for property, or because he now holds it at a given price, he ought on that basis to receive in rent a certain return for it.

Now it seems to me that instead of this being true, it ought to be considered that the value of a property, aside from its speculative value, should depend on what it will rent for. The rent that people are willing to pay for property in Plainfield, is the most accurate measure of the desirability of Plainfield as a place of residence, all things considered. For rent is not based on future growth of the town, probable increase in value, or any other of those considerations which always are present when property is purchased outright.

The renter gets no benefit whatever from the increase in value of land, which is absolutely the only thing that increases in value with the growth of a community. The landlord gets the benefit of this increase whether his property be improved or unimproved, and it is this feature of the case which tends constantly to keep the selling value of real estate somewhat above the point at which it will return, in rents, dividends equal to those ordinarily returned for equal investments of other kinds.

In other words, rents accurately measure, or at least most accurately measure, the desirability of a place as a residence; selling values are based on this rent, with speculative value added, and the enterprising real-estate agent sees to it that this speculative value is made the most of in every transaction with which he is concerned; the effect being that land-values tend always to keep pace with and turn into landlords' pockets the values arising from industrial and commercial development.

In this view of the case, it will be seen that some of the figures submitted by your correspondents are misleading.

S. T. FREELAND.

10 Members, and Each a Rose.

The Rose Social Club was organized in North Plainfield Tuesday evening, with a membership of 10. The object of the club is to promote sociability among the young people. The following officers were elected:

President—Miss Jennie M. Sutphen.
Vice-president—Miss Margaret Shephard.
Treasurer—Miss Cora Burdick.
Chairman of Entertainment Committee—Mrs. Samuel Taynor.

The club will hold a rosette social in the parlors of Reform Hall, Thursday evening, March 8, to which admission will be by invitation only.

May Close the Unruly School.

The little school on the country road between Westfield and Rahway, known as Scudder's, or Bedman's, is gaining a bad name among teachers. The number of scholars is small, but they are said to be unruly. Several teachers have thrown up their situations since school opened in September, rather than carry on a continual warfare with the pupils. The attention of the County Superintendent has been called to the matter, and if Miss Shafer, who has recently taken charge, cannot control the pupils the school will be closed.

An Appreciative Gentleman.

James R. Waite made a brief speech last night on Music Hall stage thanking the people for their liberal patronage, and voluntarily acknowledging his indebtedness to the press of Plainfield for all favors bestowed.

"Especially"—he said—"do I thank most heartily the Plainfield Daily Press, for its kind and courteous treatment."

The applause which followed this honest and graceful tribute testified to the affection which the public has, both for The Press and for Mr. Waite.

Gleanings from Life.

C. E. Boss, of North Plainfield, read a very instructive paper, entitled "Gleanings from Life", at the recent Somerset Teachers Institute. He described the wonderful electrical appliances contrived by that wizard, Thomas Edison. He spoke of Leland Stanford's devotion to education in defiance of adverse circumstances, also to David P. Page, who has been untiring in his efforts to assist teachers.

To Study the Weather.

Through the influence of Mr. Holek, the science teacher of the High School, weather charts have been secured for the school. The forecast for each day will be posted on a bulletin in the lower hall and will be a great convenience for both pupil and teacher.

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure only 1c a dose; 25c, 50c, $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North ave., opp. station.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation; 25c, 50c, $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North ave., opp. station.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life: I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble; 75c. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North avenue, opp railroad station.

Going to Butchering Again.

Edward Eckhart, who cut his throat while despondent, is expected to be able to leave Muhlenberg Hospital next week. It is reported that he will go into the butcher business with Adam Zimmerman, in Bound Brook.

The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands can testify. Proper local treatment is positively necessary to success, but many, if not most, of the remedies in general use afford but temporary relief. A cure certainly cannot be expected from snuffs, powders, douches and washes. Ely's Cream Balm, which is so highly commended, is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power, with perfect safety and pleasantness to the patient. The druggists all sell it. 2 23 y

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THE MAP WHICH KNEW NO PLAINFIELD.

It Sets a Correspondent to Raking Up Some Mighty Interesting Ideas.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—The suggestions made by Dr. Ketcham in your issue of February 21, as to changing our present name of "The Notch" to "Lincoln Gap", is worthy of serious thought, as indeed is everything emanating from him.

But has not our good brother, or that said map at New Brunswick, got dates and facts sadly mixed? It is represented that the map and surveys were made "by order of General Washington and dated 1807". Now it has always been stated, and never denied, that he died in 1799, consequently the order for survey must have been made some time previous to that date. Is it possible that an order from Washington had been disregarded for so many years? Or, which is more probable,—having been so many years in the spirit land and finding his orders so contemptuously treated, he had sent a "swift-winged messenger" with stern orders for its immediate execution.

Again: The aforesaid map represents that as late as 1807 our goodly city was without a "local habitation or a name". Why, how can this be, Mr. Editor? Tradition, which makes history, and which I have never heard denied, states that Washington repeatedly visited Plainfield while the Army was in winter quarters at Morristown, say 1776 and '77, and the exact stops of his habitat handed down—Washington Cottage, and old Captain Lane's, now Mrs. Lane's and still in the family. This was twenty-two years before the death of Washington, and say thirty years before the aforesaid map was published—and yet Plainfield had no name.

Again: The venerable meeting-house of the Friends in Watchung avenue bears its own history; built in 1788, almost twenty years before the map was issued. Is it credible that there was sufficient population here to furnish enough Friends to put up such a building and the village still without a name? How do you reconcile these discrepancies, Mr. Editor?

Certainly, let us have "Lincoln Park" or "Lincoln Gap"; but let us hold on to "Wetumpka Falls". We have not too many Indian names in our vocabulary, and as this sweet musical name comes next to Minnehahs, let us hold on to it by all means. M.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Gospel temperance meetings will be held in Reform Hall tomorrow as usual, at 9:15 a. m, and 4 p. m.

In Bethel Chapel, tomorrow, there will be morning service at 11, Sunday-school at 3 p. m., and evening service at 8.

In the Scotch Plains Baptist Church tomorrow Rev. J. S. Boaker, of Temple Baptist Church, will preach morning and evening.

Friends meeting will be held at 11 a. m., tomorrow, in the Watchung Avenue Meeting-house. The First-Day school will meet at 10 a. m.

Masses will be celebrated in St. Joseph's Church tomorrow at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m. Sunday-school will be held at 3 p. m., and vespers at 8 p. m.

In All Souls Church, tomorrow, service will be held at 10:45 a. m. The pastor, Rev. Egbart Clark, will preach. The Sunday-school will meet at 11:45 a. m.

In the Trinity Reformed Church tomorrow the pastor, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, will preach at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In Warren Chapel tomorrow, services will be held at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. with preaching by the pastor, Rev. Joseph O. McKeivey. Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In St. Mary's Church tomorrow masses will be celebrated at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30 and 10:30 a. m. Vespers will be held at 8 p. m. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In the German Reformed Church tomorrow services will be held at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m., with preaching by the pastor, Rev. F. Koechli. The Sunday-school will meet at 9:15 a. m.

In the East Third Street Mission tomorrow there will be Gospel services at 8 p. m. led by Capt. George D. Morrison. The Christian Endeavor meeting will be held at 7 and the Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In the Congregational Church tomorrow Rev. C. E. Goodrich, pastor, will conduct services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday-school will meet at 2:45 p. m. At 7:30 p. m. the Christian Endeavor Society will hold a special service.

In Grace M. E. Church, tomorrow, Rev. Dr. Ryman will preach at 10:30 a. m., and in the evening at 7:45 the pastor, Rev. Herbert Randolph, will preach. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 and the Epworth League devotional meeting at 7:10 p. m.

In the First Church of Christ tomorrow there will be a prayer service from 10:45 to 11:45 a. m. Lord's Supper at 11:45 a. m.; Sunday-school at 2:45 p. m.; preaching at 7:45 p. m., by the pastor, B. W. Hand, on the subject "For What Does Our Denomination Stand?"

In Grace Protestant Episcopal Church, tomorrow, there will be early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m., morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m., Sunday-school will be held at 3 p. m. Bible Class at 4 p. m., and choral evening service at 7:45 p. m. Sermon by Father Johnson of New York city.

In the First Presbyterian Church tomorrow, Rev. W. F. Green, of Cranford, will preach at 10:30 a. m. In the evening at 7:45 there will be preaching by the pastor, Rev. Charles E. Herring, on the theme "Moral Reprobates". The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 and the Young People's Society at 7 p. m.

In the Church of Our Saviour, tomorrow, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector, will officiate. There will be Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m., Sunday-school will be held at 9:45 a. m., morning prayer, litany and sermon at 11, and evening prayer at 4. Two free stages will leave the railroad station for the church and return, at 10:30 a. m.

In the Park Avenue Baptist Church tomorrow the Rev. J. W. Richardson's themes will be: In the morning at 10:30, "The Last State Worse Than the First". In the evening at 7:30, "Brighter Than Light; of More Value Than Rubies". The ordinance of baptism will be administered at the close of the sermon. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In the First Baptist Church tomorrow there preaching at 10:30 a. m. by Rev. Arthur Crane, on the subject "What Think Ye of Christ?" Evening service at 7:30, with sermon by Rev. Arthur Crane. The Sunday-school will be addressed by Rev. Arthur Crane at 3:15. The morning prayer meeting will be held at 9:30. Bible classes meet with the Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m.

In the First Methodist Episcopal Church tomorrow the pastor, Rev. C. R. Barnes, D. D., will preach at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The subject for the evening will be "Return Home, the last chapter in the life of a young man". The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m., and the Epworth devotional meeting will be held at 6:45 p. m.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

In addition to the regular chapel exercises Friday morning a selection was rendered by a quintette composed of Miss Mabel Mitchell, '94, Miss Alice Needham, '94, Miss Alice Thompson, '96, Champlain L. Riley, '94, and Thomas D. Blair, '95.

The Shakespearean exercises of the Senior Class has been postponed until next week.

The High School Lyceum will hold its annual public meeting Saturday evening, March 3, at 8. Tickets may be obtained from the members or at the Library. The committee of judges for the public meeting will probably be Messrs. Gilbert, Goodrich and Maxson.

The regular bi-monthly election of the Lyceum Friday afternoon resulted as follows:

President—A. Woltmann, '94.
Vice-president—H. W. Riley, '97.
Secretary—H. C. Wells, '94.
Treasurer—C. C. Gallup, '96.
Sergeant-at-Arms—N. Lane, '94.
Critic—R. Campbell, '93.

The Railway Situation.

(Editorial in Washington Post.)

In the speech of Hon. Thomas B. Reed, made at the Academy of Music, in Philadelphia, the other day, he called attention to the fact that we have more miles of railroad in this country in the hands of receivers than there are in all of Great Britain.

The cause of this can be traced very largely to the paralysis of business all over the country, making the struggle for what there is so great that the low rates, which have thereby been brought about by the competition of the trunk lines, have ceased to be remunerative.

Is this condition of affairs a healthy one for either the shippers or the owners of the roads?

Since the passage of the interstate commerce law the leading roads have been busy gathering up their tributaries into a consolidation or lease-hold system.

Long before man trod on this planet the law of the "survival of the fittest" was as supreme as it is today.

Rivalry and competition breed conquerers; the weaker go down and the stronger gather in the wrecks, and so rapidly has this been going on that if it continues a few years more a dozen men will eventually control the entire railroad system of the country, and then there will be a uniform tariff made that the public will be powerless to resist.

Today there is but a single transcontinental system not in the hands of receiver, in part at least, and that is the Great Northern, which is not completed, and still having the benefit of bonds to sell from which interest can be paid a little while longer.

The Northern Pacific, with its mileage of over 5,000 miles; the Union Pacific, with nearly 8,000 miles, and the Atchison, with over 7,000, have struck their colors before the waste of unhealthy competition, and the Missouri Pacific, with nearly 6,000 miles, is kept from the same evil ending by two of its large stockholders, who may sooner or later get tired of their load.

The great Pennsylvania Railroad, with nearly 6,000 miles, and the New York Central Railroad, with the personal holdings of the Vanderbilts in their connecting line already approximate 16,000 miles.

How long will it be before these roads, with their unrivaled credit, will gather in the whole of the lines now in the receivers' hands, and to be had at their own prices?

The piracy of the Canadian Pacific upon our own roads is a crying evil that seems to be tolerated as though it could not be corrected, and yet it will have to be some time, and the ability of that road, maintained by enormous subsidies of the Canadian government, to prosper while the American roads are being forced to the wall, will not always continue to be passed over in silence.

Unless Congress is desirous of having the already rapid march of consolidation hastened still further, they should so amend the interstate commerce act as to stop the stealing of businesses that belongs to the transcontinental lines, and by some plan of dividing the business at living rates let the weaker ones live a little longer.

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EVENTS OF THE WEEK, AS VIEWED BY THE PRESS CARTOONIST.

Heavens Declare the Glories.

A brilliant spectacle of aurora borealis or northern lights illuminated the heavens above Plainfield last night. Bright banners of colored flame flashed up in the north, waved along the horizon, and advanced rapidly across the heavens, sending fitful ghost-lightnings back and forth, on toward the South, as though old Boreas were seeking to pale the stars as he came shrieking from the iceberg regions blowing his frosty breath into the tingling faces of the admiring mortals. No rainbow ever rivalled the varying and prodigal dyes of the wavering shades. Now shifting from pink to crimson to scarlet, now of a vivid and snake-like green darting restlessly to and fro, like the folds of an enormous serpent; now more brightly blue than the azure depths of a southern sky, the banners of the northern ice-kings waved before the blast, and awed man with their wondrous beauty.

A Casting Fell on His Foot.

George Webster Grant, shipping clerk in Walter Scott's Printing Machine Works, had his right foot slightly crushed yesterday afternoon. He was walking through the foundry when a heavy casting fell over, striking his instep. No bones were broken. He was taken to the home of his father, Chief of Police George W. Grant, and attended by Dr. G. W. Endicott. Mr Grant will be able to walk in a week.

Watchungs Cast Down.

The Watchung Club of Fanwood sent a bowling team to Bayonne last night to roll against the Bayonne Rowing Association team. The Watchungs were defeated by the score of 1392 to 1447.

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—Rev. W. A. Alexander says he has received many congratulations on having secured the return of Miss Ednorah Nahar, the elocutionist, who is to appear in Bethel Chapel, Thursday evening, March 8. She will be supported by her company, consisting of four musical artists. One of them, Miss Rachael L. Walker, at present fills the position of soprano in the wealthiest church of Cleveland, Ohio.

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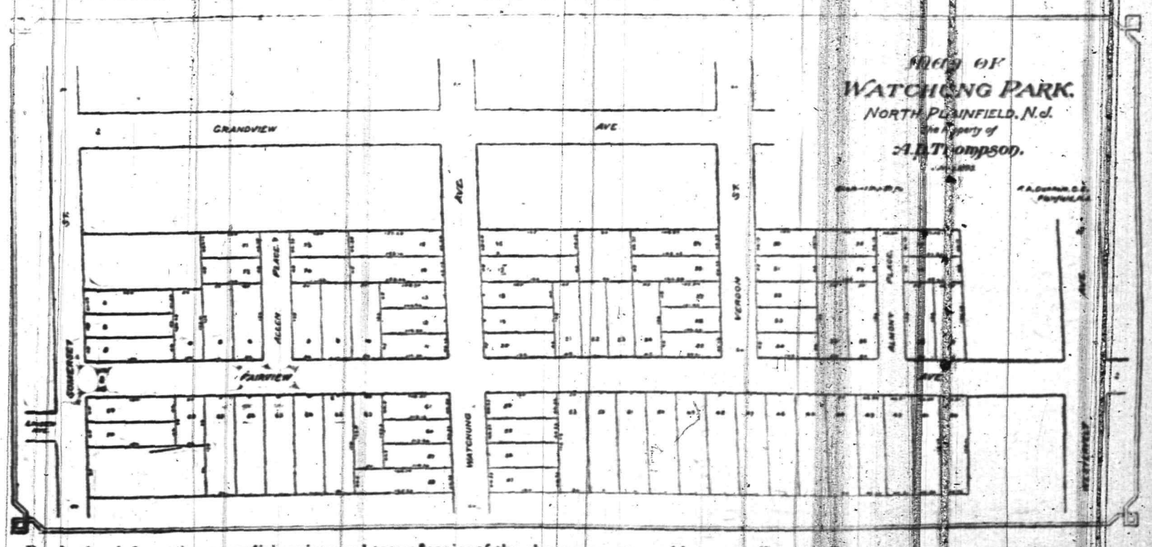

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A FIGHT FOR MILLIONS.

By JOHN J. McGINNISS.

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Shortly after he had left the two proceeded to the convent. The priest had explained all to Mother St. Gertrude, and she was awaiting them. But for the habit she wore, she would have embraced Mangan. Her joy was unmistakable, and Dr. Leland, as he received her welcome and read her kindly nature, at once concluded that his sister had not been reared or taught by an unsympathetic soul.

"Oh, I must go and tell Isabel," she said. "But recovering as she is from faintness I'm afraid she cannot stand the good news."

"Joy seldom kills," said Dr. Leland. "It will be an antidote."

"One moment, mother," said Mangan. "I must leave before she comes. I have found her brother. I have fulfilled my assignment and kept my word. You know why I do not care to meet Isabel."

"You will stay," said Dr. Leland firmly.

"He must stay," the nun declared.

"You ought to," the priest remarked.

"But I will not," insisted Mangan. "It would be painful to her and painful to me whom she has rejected."

"She never did," said the sister warmly. "She was led to believe by Mr. Raymond that you were her brother, and she declined to marry you."

"Her brother! The infamous scoundrel, did he say that? But why did she not tell me?"

"Because she had been enjoined against doing so," said Mother St. Gertrude, who briefly reviewed the story while the three men listened and exchanged meaning glances that indicated their surprise at the ingenuity and rascality of Raymond.

"I now understand," said Mangan, "why a reference I once made to Worcester in a distasteful way gave a semblance of truth to the story. I have a few relatives there who have never been overkind. A family difference accounts for it."

"There you are. You have helped to deceive her. Can you not see how great is her love for you?"

"Mangan," said Dr. Leland, grasping him by the hand, "let me appeal for my sister. I hope she is worthy of you. I know you are deserving of her."

"I will remain. The rest will be as she wishes," consented Mangan.

"Then I'll go," said Mother St. Gertrude. "I'll tell her of all your adventures while preparing her to meet you both."

Minutes passed that dragged like hours. Mother St. Gertrude appeared at last, preceding Isabel, whom she introduced to Dr. Leland without much form.

"Your sister, doctor," she said.

They embraced each other, shedding tears of joy, but no word was spoken. Mangan was pleased at the reunion his work had brought about, sharing no less in its bliss than the sister and brother. Dr. Leland was not the man to be inconsiderate of others, and loosening his affectionate hold led his sister to Mangan, saying:

"I am selfish."

Mangan looked at Isabel. She held her head down, fearing that her consent to marry Raymond had been misconstrued and that forgiveness would not be extended. Mangan surmised the cause of her diffidence, outstretched his arms, and with a fervor that left no doubt of his love simply said:

"Isabel!"

What a charm there is to woman in her own name when uttered passionately and with endearment by the one she loves! The head of the fair girl raised, and her eyes met his. There was the old glad light in the orbs of each, and the two lovers, united again in spite of the machiavellan schemes that had temporarily separated them quickly bridged the intervening space, and locked in each other's arms forgot every one else, and the world to them was simply the zone of their memory and their thought.

Mother St. Gertrude walked outside to the corridor, motioning to the priest and the physician to follow. They walked across to the convent office.

"They have many things to tell each other," said the sister, "and I want to know Isabel's brother better."

"You will," said Dr. Leland. "I will not soon forget you or your convent. Now that we are alone, however, I want to settle one matter. Can we have a double wedding tomorrow?"

"A double wedding!" repeated the priest and nun almost simultaneously.

"Yes."

"Who are the couples?" asked the priest.

"Well, Isabel and Mangan, and a Miss Mortimer and myself."

"Knowing the circumstances so well, I think it can be done."

"I would have it so. It will end all misgivings, restore peace and that sense of security essential to Isabel—to us all, let us say, at this time. The villainy of this man Raymond surpasses everything I have ever heard."

"And he appeared to be so generous and so friendly," remarked the nun.

"Leave him to God," said the priest. Let the past remain buried."

CHAPTER XIX.

OLD LOVE GETS A NEW LIFE.

When the priest, nun and physician returned, announced the programme to the lovers and asked their wishes, Mangan turned inquiringly to Isabel, whose eyes expressed her happiness at the suggestion of the ceremony that would end all doubt and unite her to her lover and her idol for all time. Her silence gave consent. The brother stepped forward and kissed her, then to the priest said:

"You can proceed."

"Oh, there is Inez Mortimer," exclaimed Isabel as she saw through the window her old classmate and friend coming up the courtyard. "I'm so glad to see her," she said as she ran out to open the door and bid her welcome.

"We expected her to come here and prepare you for us," said Laurence, addressing Mother St. Gertrude. "It seems we have prepared the way for her."

Inez seemed surprised when Dr. Leland appeared, and it quickly dawned upon her that the services she had come to perform were unnecessary. Mangan advanced until he stood at Isabel's side, and Inez looked at both and kissed her old schoolmate, saying:

"I'm so glad."

And they all knew what she meant—that the reconciliation of Mangan and Isabel had given her joy second only to that of the two themselves.

"There is something going on in which you are interested," said Dr. Leland to Inez.

"And what is that?" she inquired.

"Well, Laurence and Isabel will wed tomorrow. Shall we fulfill our promise to each other?"

She offered him her hand and bent her head as he drew nearer. He would lift up her face to his, but she hid it on his shoulder, and he let her head rest there, whispering soothing words, while the tears, suggestive of her mixed emotions, relieved her surcharged heart and carried on their flow the thoughts that brought happiness with resignation. Sympathetically he led her into the reception room, where she gathered strength to drive back the welling flood of feeling as she said:

"That promise is sacred."

"Sacred through him, sacred through our own love," added Dr. Leland.

They all came in, ignoring the interruption as if all had been as joyous as the beams that suddenly broke through the windows as if the sun, as it is said to do on Easter morning, had danced out from behind the clouds to cast its dazzling lights into the room and give to that circle of friends in the splendor of its presence a bright omen of future bliss.

"But have we not forgotten Mother St. Gertrude?" asked Dr. Leland. "I think I ought to state that I mean to live here in Brooklyn and that her institution shall be my care."

This news had the effect of bringing Mother St. Gertrude and the two girls together in a congratulatory embrace, Isabel saying:

"And whatever I have is yours, mother, when you need it."

What wonder the hours sped then until they parted to meet the next day in the rectory, where the two weddings were solemnized?

There was no display in the ceremony. A short trip had been planned, and after the marriage had been performed the two happy couples were driven to the railroad station to begin the journey of the honeymoon that promised to be in perpetuity their own.

Mangan went to the bookstall to procure some light literature and the little et ceteras that suggest conversation and entertainment in travel by train. His eye caught this flaring announcement in an afternoon paper:

"Raymond a Suicide!"

Eagerly he scanned the successive head lines that hinted at the details. It would not do to acquaint the young brides with the news just now, and his delay might prompt leading queries as to what was so deeply interesting him. He folded the paper, bought the supplies he desired and returned. Later, on the car, he read the story, and despite the tragedy of which it was the record had to smile.

His eye caught this flaring announcement, "Raymond a Suicide!"

It was The Trumpet he was reading. It ascribed Raymond's suicide as the act of a man temporarily insane. He had everything to live for—power and wealth. Why, then, should he blow his brains out if he were not deranged? He had been too active of late, the story ran, had labored hard in matters affecting municipal growth, and his mind became unbalanced. He had left no clew to the cause of his suicide, and the theory of The Trumpet was the popular verdict.

"My theory is this," whispered Mangan to Dr. Leland, while their fair companions were wrapped in contemplation of a particularly enchanting piece of nature's handiwork on the scenery flitting by. "I believe Raymond feared exposure that would ruin him, and life had no charm to him if the adulation of the populace and the power and prestige he enjoyed were taken from him."

"I imagine that was his nature," said Dr. Leland.

"Raymond is dead," said Mangan musingly. Then, looking Dr. Leland in the face, he added words as true today as then:

"The laws framed to please him do not die with him. They still live in the statutes of the state, still shelter fraud and legalize crime and stand as a blot upon the fame of a thriving municipality, whose name is everywhere the synonym of a City of Churches and a City of Homes."

CHAPTER XX.

THE TOMBSTONES TELL THE REST.

Two monuments face each other in a cemetery that within the past decade has seen the growing city of Brooklyn rush by it in a mad race to circle the great county of Kings.

One of these monuments is of white marble and bears the name of Francis Raymond. The inscriptions show that it was upreared by popular subscription. Mangan had thrown the charity of silence over Raymond's record. The people knew nothing of the politician's secret doings. The public manifestation was all they saw, and they considered his tragic end the natural result of mental aberration, superinduced by the exactions of a public spirit that assumed tasks of municipal development too great for one man to fulfill.

On Decoration day passersby drop flowers upon his grave, and the warden, morgue keeper and others who had an insight of his character, but shield themselves in not exposing it, stop there for a time to meditate. They are serving other masters now, are as useful to the new as to the old, and unlettered and unfeeling as they are they think themselves in the words of the fairy in "Midsummer Night's Dream:"

What fools these mortals be!

The other monument, of brown granite, erected "to one unknown," excites curiosity through its anonymity. It frowns upon the "whited sepulcher" beyond. It was erected by Mangan over the grave in which rested the body that had been represented as his own. He secured a plot without regard to location, and it was simply a coincidence that the two graves were so near. It was not vindictiveness on his part, but there are some who, did they know the circumstances, might take it as a visible testimony of the certainty of retribution.

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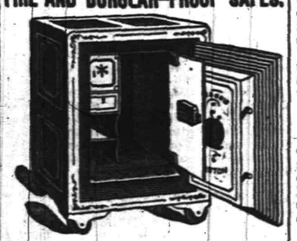

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STEELE MACKAYE DEAD

Passed Away Suddenly on Board a Train.

He Was Enroute to San Diego, Cal., for His His Health at the Time—Ill Luck Followed Him from the Time He Left Chicago—Brief Sketch of an Interesting Life.

LA JUNTA, Col., Feb. 26.—Steele Mackaye, author and dramatist, died yesterday near Timpas, on board a Santa Fe railroad train while enroute to San Diego, Cal., where it was hoped that he would be able to build up his health.

Mr. Mackaye, accompanied by his wife, Dr. Parker and a nurse, left Chicago Thursday in the private car of George R. Peck, of the Santa Fe road. He had been ill for several days previous to his departure. Since leaving Chicago Mr. Mackay's condition was thought to be slightly improved and his death, while not wholly unexpected, came suddenly. Dr. Parker made every effort to revive his sinking patient, but without avail. The car was detached from the westbound train and brought to this city, and last night left on the eastbound passenger train for Chicago.

Ill luck followed Mr. Mackaye from the beginning of his last journey. In the first place his baggage, containing medicines, etc., was forgotten and when a few miles out some fiend threw an iron bar six inches long through the stateroom window, barely grazing the sick man's face in its flight. Then the heating pipes got out of order and the cold became intense. But despite these unfortunate happenings, Mr. Mackaye's condition seemed to improve and it was thought that his entrance into a milder climate would repair his shattered system.

Steele Mackaye's Career.

Although it has been claimed that he was an Englishman, the dead dramatist and promoter was born at Fort Porter, on the banks of the Niagara river, now a portion of the city of Buffalo, about 47 years ago. Mackaye's administrative talent was inherited from his father, who was the promoter and organizer of some of the great express companies of America. At the age of 16, while convalescing from an attack of brain fever in France, he occupied himself with painting and modeling, the artistic instinct inherited from his mother having by this time strongly asserted itself. He returned to America at the breaking out of the rebellion and enlisted as a common soldier. At the end of the war he returned to France and resumed his studies. He became a pupil of Garnier, and later on of Francois Delsarte. After appearing with marked success in a number of Shakespeare's plays, notably in the title role of Hamlet, he began to apply the knowledge of his art to the writing of plays. In colaboration with Tom Saylor, he produced two plays in London with success—"Arkwright's Wife" and "Clancarty." It was Mackaye's wish then and it has been ever since to promote the establishment in America of a great educational art institution, a conservatory of all the arts. Mackaye had his great project of an art institute in mind when he built the Lyceum theatre in New York, and later when he built the Madison Square theatre. The failure of his "Spectatorium" enterprise designed to be one of the colossal features of the World's fair, was followed by the successful creation of the "Scenitorium," on Michigan avenue, Chicago.

NEW YORK'S SHERIFF DEAD.

Charles M. Clancy Passes Away Last Night of Pneumonia.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Charles M. Clancy, sheriff of New York, died last evening of pneumonia. He was 53 year old.

Under Sheriff Sexton will act as sheriff until Governor Flower appoints a successor to the deceased sheriff.

VASQUEZ PUT TO FLIGHT.

Tegucigalpa, the Capital of Honduras, Taken By Bonilla.

LA LIBERTAD, Salvador, Feb. 26.—Tegucigalpa, the capital of Honduras, has been taken and President Vasquez has been put to flight. General Policarpo Bonilla, who commanded the besieging forces, captured the palace.

To Close Parochial Schools.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 26.—The board of directors of the Riverside school, in the west end, have determined upon a new departure in their management of the public school. Five sisters of mercy or Catholic nuns, now teaching in the St. James parochial school, will be transferred to the public school and the parish school closed. The sisters have passed an examination and received certificates from the central board of education. The sisters will wear their regulation garb, but will not wear their rosary, while in the school room. The bible will not be read in the school, and no sectarianism will be tolerated.

Arrested for a Double Murder.

MONTICELLO, N. Y., Feb. 26.—Floyd J. Carr, of Bushville, a young farmer of respectable parents living near the home of the aged couple who were murdered Thursday night or Friday morning, is suspected of having committeed the crime and has accordingly been placed under arrest. Louise Cantrell, a woman of unsavory reputation, was also lodged in jail. A bloody $5 bill was found in Carr's possession.

Crusade Against Catholics Too Severe.

FLUSHING, N. Y., Feb. 26.—Rev. Dr. Powell Chockley, the pastor of the Baptist church here, announced at yesterday's service that he would sever his connection with the church next Sunday. The church demanded his resignation because of his vigorous crusade against the Roman Catholics. A few members of the congregation will stick to their pastor and organize an opposition church.

Dynamite Laden Craft Astray.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 26.—Nothing has has been heard from the dynamite laden schooner Reindeer, which broke her moorings at the Delaware breakwater on Saturday and drifted seaward. The only hope is that the dangerous craft will ill and sink in deep water.

To be Hanged April 5.

BELVIDERE, N. J., Feb. 26.—James Andrews, colored, has been sentenced to be hanged on Thursday, April 5.

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Two Perished in the Flames.

VINELAND, N. J., Feb. 26.—Early yesterday morning what is known as the Robinson Memorial cottage at the New Jersey training school for the feeble minded, was discovered to be on fire, and notwithstanding the strenuous efforts of the fire department, was totally destroyed. J. H. Sage, the engineer, and his wife, were burned to death, but the other inmates, 16 in number, were rescued in their night clothes. Several were badly frozen. Mr. Sage and his wife appeared at one of the upstairs windows and could have been saved, but for some unaccountable reason turned back and were not seen again alive.

Wm. H. Goodrich Drops Dead.

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 26.—William H. Goodrich, who was business manager of the Hartford Courant until December, 1891, fell dead last evening while entering O'Flaherty's drug store on Main street. He was in early years a printer and was connected with the Courant for 41 years, making his way from the case to the management. He was 64 years old and leaves two sons and two daughters.

Work in Mexico for Unemployed.

CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 26.—The Federal government is offering employment to all out of work at $1 per day on the railroad being built by the government across the Isthmus of Tehauntepec. Free transportation from this city to the isthmus for laborers and their families is included.

Ball Practice Killed Reed.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Feb. 26.—An autopsy on the body of young Reed, the Wesleyan baseball player who died suddenly Saturday, after practicing in the cage, showed a rupture of a blood vessel in the brain, doubtless caused by jerking his head in pitching the ball.

Shipped a Big Sea.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—La Bourgogne, just arrived from Havre, shows evidences of a tempestuous voyage. She is badly iced. On Feb. 19, she shipped a tremendous sea, and two officers were swept from the bridge and seriously injured.

Death of the Poet Priest.

GREAT BARRINGTON, Mass., Feb. 26.—Rev. Father R. J. McHugh, called by James Whitcomb Riley "The Poet Priest of Berkshire," is dead of consumption, after a serious illness. He was a young man of great promise and much poetic ability.

New York Legislature.

ALBANY, Feb. 26.—The efforts of the legislature this week will be devoted mainly to local legislation.

Gen. Early Holding His Own.

LYNCHBURG, Va., Feb. 26.—Gen. Early's physician said this morning that his patient is holding his own.

An Aged Ex-Senator's Mania.

CAMDEN, N. J., Feb. 26.—Alexander G. Cattell, ex-United States senator from New Jersey and former president of the New Jersey Trust and Safe-deposit company of Camden, is under treatment at Jamestown, N. Y., mentally and physically broken down. His mania is that he has become bankrupt, whereas he is quite rich. He is about 80 years old.

New York City Finances.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Comptroller Fitch's quarterly report shows that the city's total receipts were $39,346,337.26 for the year; total expenses, $36,550,852.26; balance in treasury, $2,795,934.75. During 1893 $5,339,287.89 was paid on the redemption account.

Ex-Minister Phelps Better.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 26.—Prof. Edward J. Phelps of the Yale law school passed another comfortable night, and is quietly resting. His condition is, however, still critical, and every change will be carefully noted for several days.

Will Accept the Reduction.

SALEM, O., Feb. 26.—The Salem Coal company has notified its miners of a reduction in wages of 20 cents a ton, to take effect March 1. It is intimated that the miners will accept the reduction.

General Sickles Wins.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—By the decision of Second Comptroller Mansur, General Daniel E. Sickles is entitled to hold his seat in congress and to draw his pension.

Naval News.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The Monocacy has sailed from Chin Kiang for Shanghai. The Yorktown has sailed from Acapulco for Mare Island, Cal.

Wage Reduction Announced.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 26.—The Westinghouse Machine company announce a reduction of 10 per cent in the wages of their entire working force.

Still Investigating.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The senate committee on printing is still investigating the Patent Office Gazette lithographic contract.

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POSSIBLY A LITTLE INDISCREET

Bradford Academy Girls Indignant at Stories of Wednesday's Occurrence.

BRADFORD, Mass., Feb. 26.—The teachers and students of Bradford academy are indignant that such exaggerated accounts of the occurrence of last Wednesday night should have been published. As a matter of fact, none of the girls have been expelled and none have been suspended. According to one of the teachers the facts in brief are as follows:

Last Wednesday night some Tuft's college students came over after their concert in Haverhill and serenaded the girls. The music naturally awakened them and some of them went to the windows to see the serenaders. They may even have talked to the boys, but no one has charged that anything more scandalous than a slight breach of propriety occurred.

A meeting was held Thursday night by the girls to discuss and protest against the slight and thoughtless action of indiscretion which a very few may have committed.

MR. WILSON BETTER.

His Physicians, While Anxious, Say With Rest He Will Recover.

MEXICO, Feb. 26.—Congressman William E. Wilson, who is ill of typhoid fever in Guadalajara, was somewhat more comfortable last night. Mr. Wilson's physicians are especially anxious concerning their patient, but say that with absolute rest and quiet he will pull through.

Outcome of a Romantic Wedding.

DAYTON, O., Feb. 26.—Society circles are excited over the announcement of a suit for divorce brought by Mrs. Calvin E. Pease, wife of the well-known society man and head of the Buckeye Iron and Brass works of this city, for cruelty and vile abuse. The plaintiff is a young woman of great personal charms, whose romantic wedding to the defendant after a week's courtship at Hot Springs, Ark., in 1892, is well known.

Off for a Duck Shoot.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—President Cleveland sailed away from Washington yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the lighthouse tender Violet, for a duck shooting trip along the North Carolina coast. He was accompanied by Secretary Gresham and Captain Robley D. Evans, the naval secretary of the lighthouse board. A blinding snow storm prevailed when Mr. Cleveland and his companions arrived at the wharf.

Miss Barrowcliffe Leaves the Hospital.

JERSEY CITY, Feb. 26.—Miss May Barrowcliffe was removed in a coach yesterday afternoon from the Warden's home at the City hospital to the home of Mr. Wanamaker.

Fruitless Search for Pirates' Treasure.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—It has just leaked out that the largest and best equipped expedition to search for the alleged pirates' treasure on Cocoos island sailed in the summer of 1892 and that this treasure hunting trip was the real purpose of the fitting up of the steam schooner Eliza Edwards which was seized by the government at Santa Barbara and held for several weeks under suspicion that she was engaged in smuggling Chinese and opium from British Columbia. After four weeks work at Wreaf bay, where Dampier and other pirates had camped and are alleged to have buried their plunder, nothing being found, the work was abandoned.

Heavy Snow Storm.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—The snow storm which set in last night promises to be the most severe of the season. It raged with great fury along the Jersey and New England coast all night and this morning.

Ensign Shindel Dead.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Feb. 26.—Ensign James Elliott Shindel, of the United States navy, died at the home of his mother, Mrs. Conrad Shindel, in Tamaqua, yesterday. Ensign Shindel has been an invalid since the latter part of 1891 from the effects of a fall while on board the U. S. S. Bangor, off the west coast of Central America. The accident happened during a terrible storm.

Will Claim Von Bulow's Fortune.

BUTTE, Mont., Feb. 26.—A man who claims to be the only relative of Hans von Bulow, the great German pianist, who died in Cairo, Egypt, Feb. 13, has been discovered in this city. His name is Carl von Bulow. He says he is a nephew of the dead musician and, being the only relative, will come in for his estate, which amounts to 8,000,000 marks.

Thirty-five Below Zero.

FORT PLAIN, N. Y., Feb. 26.—The weather in the Mohawk valley Sunday morning was the coldest of the winter. At 7 o'clock the thermometer registered in some places twenty-eight degrees below zero. At Northville it was thirty-five degrees below zero.

Prendergast Very Nervous.

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—Prendergast, the slayer of Mayor Harrison, who was denied a new trial Saturday and sentenced to be hanged on March 23, is in a very nervous state and it is feared will collapse completely when called upon to meet his doom.

Not in a Pool Yet.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 26.—The report that all the manufacturers of steel castings in this country, with one exception, had formed a pool or combination together, is somewhat premature, as the plan is still under consideration.

Cornell Banquet Tragedy.

ITHACA, N. Y., Feb. 26.—There are no new developments in the Cornell freshman banquet tragedy. The civil authorities are still investigating the matter.

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THE WEATHER:

For New Jersey: Fair and Colder Tomorrow; High Northeasterly, Shifting to Northwesterly Winds.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Street-car traffic has been greatly impeded by the storm.

—White's subscribers to The Magic City already number 900.

—Plainfield police continue to find store doors carelessly left unlocked at night.

—New Brunswick street cars bear the legend "To the Cemetery—No Smoking".

—A new gun will be raffled for in John Benner's road-house Thursday afternoon at 4.

—A meeting of the Young Ladies Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2.

—Four conversions were made in the Salvation Army Barracks yesterday morning.

—A bakery wagon owned by H. A. Voehl was overturned at the corner of Grove and Front streets this morning.

—Frank Moncton, of Bull-frog City, has increased this season's list of captured 'coons to eight by two caught last week.

—A sewing meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society will be held in the First Baptist Church tomorrow afternoon at 2

—Who said hard times? Music Hall last week took in a total of more than $1,200 of the people's dimes. What local business did as well?

—Queen City Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 226, will work the third degree on two candidates at their meeting this evening. A full attendance is desired.

—Arthur Horton broke through the ice into the deep water of Hyde's pond Saturday afternoon. He was helped out by skaters to whom he shouted.

—The remaining stock of wall-paper, paints, oil fixtures, etc., of Swalm's store, 108 North avenue, will be sold at public auction Wednesday at 12 noon.

—Capt. Trumboll, leader of the staff band in New York, and other officers of the Salvation Army, will attend speecial services here tomorrow evening.

—Paoli, the oldest dealer in town, at 128 North avenue, offers the best fresh roasted peanuts at 5 cents a quart, and fruits and oranges in full variety.

—Butcher Eckhart of Bound Brook who has been in Muhlenberg Hospital since his attempt to kill himself, is much improved, although not able to leave this morning.

—John G. Bicknell's young horse took fright at a trolley car at Somerset street and Grandview avenue last night at 8:30, and wrecked the new wagon against a legraph pole.

—Mrs. George Thatcher left a pocket-book in her pew in St. Mary's Church yesterday. When she returned for it, it was gone. The contents included $15 in cash and a commutation ticket.

—A floral piece of a shield and anchor made by William H. Brower, the florist, of New York, was the tribute of Columbia Lodge, No. 58, A. O. U. W., at the funeral of Charles P. Leggett, Saturday.

—The Chinese department of the Grace M. E. Sunday-school was started yesterday with Sing Quoy and Charlie Yung as interested pupils. The teachers were Miss Glenck and Sanford W. Heller.

—A district session of the Junior O. U. A. M. will be held in Red Men's Hall tomorrow night. Officers of the Grand Lodge and delegates from a number of Councils will be present.

—A special meeting of the degree team of Somerset Council, No. 104, Jr. O. U. A. M., will be held tonight to practice the initiatory performances preparatory to a review by the grand officers tomorrow night.

—George Randolph, the busy young colored bootblack in E. B. Maynard's barber shop, no longer bends his back while at work. Garret Q Packer, the furniture dealer of enterprise, has given him a tall chair.

—A horse owned by Joseph L. Darby ran away this morning while the driver was delivering milk on East Second street, between Richmond and Washington streets. The animal started for home, but was caught on Watchung avenue and brought back.

—H. D. VanLiew, who arranges the meals which make famous the Hotel Grenada cuisine, will prepare a great oyster supper Thursday evening, March 15, and serve it in St. Mary's T. A. B. Hall. He will be assisted by Frank Nelson. A grand march will follow the supper, managed by George Randolph and James Potter.

—The World yesterday filed three columns with an account of the alleged swindling operations of what it terms a "syndicate of frauds", in which Charles C. Cokefair of 119 Crescent avenue figures prominently. The financial operations of the various concerns are given in detail, and it is stated that Plainfielders have sunk considerable in the "bogus" enterprises.

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MR. CRANE CONCLUDES.

Plainfield the Better Because of His Work Among the People.

Rev. Arthur Crane finished his work in the First Baptist Church yesterday, and now hastens away to fill other important engagements, after a brief rest. Rev. Dr. Yerkes stated, after the morning sermon, that Mr. Crane had been instrumental in reclaiming backsliders and rousing up Christians to a sense of their obligations, as well as converting souls from the error of their ways. The more he had seen Brother Crane, the closer he had been drawn to him, and he was rejoiced to know that he had done a good work in their midst.

Mr. Crane is a very clever preacher, and throws his whole soul in his sermons. He is logical and forceful, and some of his descriptions are exceedingly fine, while his illustrations are all to the point, and are not made simply to produce a sensation or provoke a smile. He is a thorough believer in the Bible, and does not from the pulpit declare it to be God's Word and privately assert that it is inspired only in spots. He does not present doubts, but preaches God's certainties. He believes that reason is a very poor guide, and that revelation alone can point out the way to Heaven. He thinks that the world by wisdom knew not God, and that his hearers need something more than human reason to guide them. Like all evangelists he fully believes in the truthfulness of the Bible, and does not hesitate to say so in a most emphatic manner. His sermon yesterday morning about the divinity of Christ was particularly fine, and his appeal for all to accept Him just as He is offered in the Gospel, was solemn and impressive. Such men as Mr. Crane cannot help but do good and many here can testify that he has been a great help to them in their Christian life. Mr. Crane will ever be welcomed by Plainfield audiences now that they have learned to know how earnest and evangelical he is, and how firm a believer he is in the inspiration of the Holy Scriptures.

Rev. Mr. Crane will take a few-days needed rest previous to holding union meetings in Spencer, N. Y., which commence Friday evening. Mr. March will return to his home, Rockland, Maine, in a few days.

Winter in Earnest.

The bitter storm of rain, snow and hail that has been in progress for nearly 24 hours shows no sign of abatement. All day, business has been at a standstill, the telephone, telegraph and fire-alarm service is crippled, and the prospect is that serious trouble to the railroads will ensue if the storm keeps up through the night. The wind is fierce, and everything is coated with heavy ice. Chief Doane and Inspector Herbert Chamberlain have been kept hustling all day, closing up fire-alarm breaks. The burden of ice, and the falling limbs of trees, were responsible for the blows sent in at various times today. Repairing the lines is perilous work in this storm, the high wind and the icy condition of poles and wires making it a breakneck experience. Experienced Mr. Chamberlain was 20 minutes climbing one Netherwood pole, in the teeth of the gale.

"Son, Remember."

Rev. Arthur Crane and L. G. March closed their labors in the First Baptist Church last evening. Mr. Crane's excellent remarks were taken from the text "Son, Remember", and the idea brought out was that it is impossible to hide anything from God. Several very interesting illustrations were presented, which conveyed the truth to the hearts of all.

In the afternoon Mr. Crane addressed the members of the Sunday-school, and the result was most gratifying.

At both of these services the singing of Mr. March was impressive. The attendance was very large.

Continuing the Work.

Special meetings will be continued this week in the lecture room of the First Baptist church.

This evening an inquiry meeting will be held. Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday evenings, services will be held. Friday evening the young people will have charge, and the service will commence at 7:30. Rufus K. Case is the leader.

The choir that has assisted in the revival services will be present at every meeting, and will conduct a song service in opening.

Everyone is earnestly invited to be present.

It is too bad to spend half of a short life distressed with neuralgia, when a 25c bottle of Salvation Oil will cure it.

Go by the book on Beechman's Pills.

Classic Music in Holy Cross.

Choirmaster Cheeswright will give another free organ recital in Holy Cross Church tomorrow night at 8. The programme will be as follows:

Largo.....Handel
a. Ouverture } from L'enfant prodigue.
b. March } Wormser
Prelude to Parsifal.....Wagner
Siegmund's love song from the Walkure, Wagner
Gavotte from Mignon.....Thomas
Funeral March.....Chopin
a. Ase's Tod } from Peer Gynt...Grieg
b. Morgenstimming
Hungarian National March.

A BUSINESS WOMAN, or a woman who works, sooner or later has to build up her strength with Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. If you suffer from backache, nervousness, fainting-spells, or sleeplessness, take the "Prescription." It is woman's special tonic and nervine.

It's a medicine that builds up, invigorates, regulates, and cures. It lessens the pains and burdens of child-bearing.

If it doesn't benefit or cure, in "female complaints" and weaknesses, you have your money back.

DR. R. V. PIERCE: *Dear Sir*—I have taken the "Favorite Prescription" and I can recommend it to any body that suffers with any female disease. I have tried several doctor's prescriptions but none did me the good that yours did. Yours respectfully,

Mattie Terry

Post Mistress, *Sherrer Hill, Dallas Co., Ala.*

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Father Murphy is confined to his home by the grip.

Mr. Howe has given up teaching in Leaf's School.

Bank-President Charles Hyde and wife are home again from the South.

Grip has added Mrs. Theodore VanNest of West Front street to its victims.

H. G. Runkle and family of West Eighth street have gone to New York for ten days.

An evening sociable will attract a number of Plainfielders to Berkeley Heights tonight.

Mrs. I. N. Wyckoff, of New street, has suffered a relapse and is again ill with the grip.

Citizen Henderson of West Seventh street now drives a stylish Kentucky-bred trotter.

Father Freeman, formerly of St. Joseph's church, will preach there Wednesday evening.

Charles Vail was summoned to Greenbrook today because of the serious condition of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred TenEyck, of Garwood, spent Sunday with A. W. TenEyck of Westervelt avenue.

One of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Vail's children is suffering from inflammation of the lungs, at their home on Elmwood place.

Raymond Hodge, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hodge of Somerset street, is gradually improving from his injury received by a fall.

Having recovered from his five-weeks illness, George Snediker of Grove street contemplates returning to Pennington Seminary Wednesday.

Miss Rose Thompson of New Brunswick, as the guest of Mrs. L. J. Combes of West Third street, has made many friends among Plainfielders.

Miss Lizzie DeCamp, of Chester, Morris County, was welcomed home Saturday evening after a stay among Plainfield friends, who regretted her leaving them.

Wm. E. MacClaymont, will give his next organ recital about the middle of March. It will probably be just before Easter. He will give a concert in Matawan March 9.

The Rev. Mr. Thomas, of New Brunswick, occupied the pulpit of the Mt. Olive Church yesterday, in the absence of Rev. Mr. Gibson, pastor, who has been in Pittsburg for a few days.

George H. Cannif, a carriage-maker in the shop of William J. Conroy, died at his home, 136 Duer street, yesterday afternoon, aged 60. The funeral will be held in Elizabeth, where he had relatives.

Pearl, the two-year-old daughter of Alonzo T. Ayres, died at home, 213 Grant avenue, yesterday afternoon, from inflammation of the brain. Mr. Ayres is still in Texas, whither the sad news has been sent.

John Kirch of Warrenville died Saturday, at the age of 78 years and 3 months. The funeral will be from his late residence tomorrow afternoon at 2. He leaves a wife aged 72, and eight children. Of these his son John D. is foreman for B. R. Cain, the carpenter; Frederick is a farmer in Springdale; George keeps a grocery store at the corner of Grandview avenue and Somerset street; William is on the homestead; Miss Matilda is also at the homestead; Mrs. Zimmerman lives on Summit avenue with her son-in-law, F. A. Long; the other children are Mrs. Theoddre Abbott of Martinville and Mrs. B. Bodmun of Dunellen.

—The Ladies Home Missionary Society connected with the Methodist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. J. M. McNaughton of West Front street tomorrow afternoon at 3

—The plaintiffs not appearing in Justice Nodyne's court at the appointed time Saturday, Stanislau Granezky obtained a judgment of $35.50 for wages due from "Count" J. K. VanNess. The "Count" entered the court five minutes afterward.

—Through the efforts of Chief Marshal Pangborn, Augustus Blumenthal, aged 72, a veteran of the First Regiment of Ohio was sent to his daughter in White House this afternoon. Members of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., paid his way.

—A number of men were tried Saturday by Justice Huff of Dunellen for jumping on empty coalers at Greenbrook and taking the fragments of coal left behind after dumping. Some were fined, other held for further action. Forty other arrests for similar offenses are to be made Saturday. The victims are men driven to desperation by idleness.

2,000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from C. W. Mazon, Farina, Ills., says: "I consider your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have been in the drug business fourteen years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal satisfaction." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents. 12 22 y

In Heaven.

There's a new, sweet face in heaven, and it
glows with wondrous light,
As the beauties of God's kingdom are opened
to its sight.
There's a lisping voice in heaven that with
childish rapture rings,
And I know the angels listen when in joyousness it sings.

There's a pair of tender blue eyes that are
opened big and wide,
That yet are filled with memories of a home
beyond the tide.
There's a pair of tiny, dimpled hands held out
in tearful plea
Asking him who rules heaven and earth to
comfort you and me.

There's a sound of musical footsteps echoing
through the street,
There's a shout of happy multitude as they
rush forth to meet
The new-born angel baby that to heaven has
That we have given back to God, with sad, aching hearts, today.

—Atlanta Constitution.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

SCRUB and WASH as you will, it is not easy to keep the hands smooth and white in winter time. In fact, the more you scrub and wash, the rougher seems the skin, and you find that the best of soap fails to whiten it. Now if, after washing, you will moisten your hands with LEMON JUICE AND GLYCERINE, the effect will be to soften and whiten the skin, even in the worst weather. Used by hundreds of the "best people" in Plainfield. Originated and sold only by H. P. REYNOLDS, Pharmacist, Park and North avenues.

Dr. Chauncey M. Fairman in a Protestant Pulpit.

ORANGE, N. J., Feb. 26.—The Rev. Dr. Edward McGlynn, the noted Roman Catholic priest, was the preacher at the service in Trinity Congregational church of East Orange, N. J., last night. This is the first time that a Roman Catholic priest has occupied the pulpit of a Protestant church in the Oranges. The church was densely packed, hundreds being turned away from the doors. Father McGlynn took for his subject "The Prayer of the Lord's Prayer," and his discussion was a powerful and able argument for the brotherhood of man and the fatherhood of God.

Goff and Quinn Dissolve Partnership.

JERSEY CITY, Feb. 26.—Evangelists Goff and Quinn have decided to dissolve partnership, and their parlor car, Roanoke, has been sent to Wilmington, Del. Mr. and Mrs. Goff and their son returned to Buffalo, N. Y., where they formerly resided. Mr. and Mrs. Quinn will make their home in New York for the present. Mr. Quinn attributes the dissolution to the refusal of the ministers of this city to forgive him for his clandestine marriage with Miss Goff.

Honored By the Chinese Emperor.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—The Hon. Thomas Adamson, of Cedartown, Ga., late consul general at Canton, has received from the emperor of China the star and insignia of the 2d class of the Double Dragon, the decoration conferred for meritorious service [illegible] ing passed [illegible]

AUCTION SALE.

The contents of

SWALM'S PAINT STORE,

108 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

Wednesday, February 28, 1894,

Commencing at 12 m., consisting of paint varnish, striping, kalsomine and shoe brushes, shoe daubers, colors in japan, enamel paints, pine tar oil stains, sand paper, emery paper, dry vermillion, bronzes, sponges, tassels, wire hooks, shelf paper, alabastine, weather strips, kalsomine, picture hooks for moulding, curtain paper, wire cord—gold and silver, varnishes, tube colors in oil, sewing machine, head light, sperm, whale and axle oil liquid wood filler, paste wood filler, etc. Fixtures—Stove and pipe, desk, ladder, 3 chairs, stool, oil tanks.

Terms cash. H. HAND, Auctioneer.

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WANTED.

An experienced dressmaker wants a few more engagements by the day; S. T. Taylor system used. Address or call, M. W. B., 1314 Watchung avenue, or 326 East 2d st., Plainfield, N. J.

2 20 5

Cut Roses, Carnations, Violets.

Flowers furnished for weddings, funerals, etc., in bunches, bouquets or design.

MILES,

Somerset st., Johnston's drive, terminus of electric railroad 2 17 tf

DEATHS.

AYERS—In this city Feb. 25 1894, Pearl E., daughter of Alonzo S. and Ella Ayers, aged 1 year, 4 months and 2 days

Funeral services from the residence of her parents, No. 219 Grant avenue, Wednesday, Feb. 28, at 6 o'clock. Interment private. 2

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

LOST—A black and white setter dog. Anyone returning him to 912 West 7th street will be suitably rewarded. 2 26 2

WANTED—Desirable house in good neighborhood; moderate rent. Address "No Agents", care Press. 2 26 tf

FOUND—A Mastiff dog. Owner can have him by proving property and paying charges. Apply Wm Peel, Terrill road.

$5 REWARD for return of pocketbook left in St. Mary's church yesterday morning. Return to 403 West 7th st.

FOR SALE or to let, house nearly new; 6 rooms; lot 40 feet front; price $2,100, rent $200. Milford, broker. 2 26 tf

WHAT landlord has a house to rent for $20 or $25? Address with full particulars, Tenant, Lock Box 707, Plainfield, N. J. 2 26 tf

LOST—On Feb. 13, keys tied with blue ribbon. Finder please return to this office. 2 21 2

BEAUTIFUL Bermuda lilies, with 5 to 7 flowers, palms, azallas and rubber trees at Denton's, Hillside ave. 2 24 2

ROOM, with or without board. 145 W. 2d st. 2 24 tf

TO LET—3 rooms on first floor, 4 rooms on second floor. Apply 404 West 3d st., cor. Central avenue. 2 23 6

WANTED—Two furnished rooms, 1st floor and located on Park avenue preferred. State place, price, and particulars to Emack, care Press. 2 20 tf

TO LET—Large house and barn, Front street and Clinton avenue, Evona, opposite station. Wm. McD Cortell. 2 20 6

A RESPONSIBLE party desires to rent for one year a medium sized modern house in North Plainfield, west of Grove street, with option of purchase and applying rent on purchase money; terms must be easy and rent low. Address E. S. S., care Press. 2 19 6

SITUATION wanted by young woman; office work preferred; what have you to offer? Address Good Writer, care of Daily Press. 2 26 tf

HOUSE wanted for $30 or less; improvements. Send details to Economy, care Press. 2 23 tf

MONEY wanted to invest on gilt-edge Plainfield mortgages. Chas. A Leet, att'y. National Bank Building 10 29 tf

PLEASANT rooms with board. 212 Watchung avenue. 2 15 1m

TO LET—Portion of furnished house to party who will board 3. Address V., care Press. 2 12 tf

WANTED—A Remington typewriter, and cabinet for same. G. B. Wean, 112 Plainfield avenue. 2 14 tf

TO LET—10 room house; modern improvements; 127 East 5th st. Apply Wm. H. Brower, 432 Watchung avenue. 1 31 tf

AN elegant brick and brown stone house for sale or exchange for Plainfield property, on Halsey street, Brooklyn. Edward Love, corner North and Watchung avenues. 12 30 tf

FOR SALE—"The Medical and Surgical History of the Late War"; 4 rare vols. Address Books, care Press. 1 20 tf

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They Have No Equal.

Highest Award. Gold medal and diploma at Wold's Fair.

Geo. W. Rockfellow.

THE GROCER, Park ave. & 4th st. 1 27 tf

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Reasons for Their Success and for Being Very Busy Now.

FIRST—It is the rule of the house to treat every one alke, and those that do not know the price of goods pay no more than those that are posted, as we have only one price for everybody.

SECOND—Our establishment is the largest in the state, consequently we carry the largest stock.

THIRD—Our prices are the lowest in the city, and a child can buy goods from us as well as the most expert.

FOURTH—Our terms are the easiest, and we never push or crowd our customers when sickness or death visits the family or when they are out of work.

FIFTH—We deliver goods to all parts of the State without charge.

SIXTH—When a purchase does not turn out as represented, we either make it right in other goods or refund the money.

SEVENTH—We are letting purchasers select goods now and holding them until spring without a deposit.

EIGHTH—We are now selling a range called PORTLAND, which has no equal. Warranted or money refunded.

NO 88 BANK STREET

Is the number of our new Storage Building, which excels anything in the city for cleanliness and low rates.

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Amos H. Van Horn, L't'd.,

73 MARKET STREET,

Furniture store nearest Plane st., Newark N J 10 10 y

59c.

A small lot of 24 Mother Hubbard night gowns, full length and width, well made, of good muslin, locked stitch, 30 small tucks and Hamburg inserting in front, Hamburg collars and Cuffs, clean, nice goods, but they are an odd lot, and you can buy them for 59c; they ought to bring 75c Also 1 lot of Corset covers that we are overstocked with and we would rather turn them into money. You can have them for 33c, good value at 43c. They are well made, V shape in front, hemstitched insertion and Hamburg edging. ALL WOOL (when we advertise "all wool" we don't mean half cotton) dress goods are selling well at our "Clearance Sale" prices So is our Merino Underwear, as well as hundreds of other articles that people are saving money on by buying at this sale.

In connection with this great money saving sale we are showing the finest assortment of dainty Hamburgs and wash dress fabrics we have ever shown; and that is saying a good deal, for we have always taken the lead in these goods in the past. If you want to get good goods and save money too, buy at

EDSALL'S

Great Clearance Sale of Boots & Shoes

—OVER—

8 THOUSAND PAIRS

Marked down in price. This is your opportunity if you want to get good reliable Footwear at manufacturer's prices.

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OUR METHODS AND OUR REWARD.

As to the former we would say that they are ours. Imitation is only a form of flattery and we never flatter; we make the price and it always goes, and you will notice our prices are never cut under. The people are wise enough to know where they can save money, and the amount of business we are doing tells a truthful tale.

ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE.

Our Linen Sale—Remarkable values we will offer in towelings, table linen, napkins and towels; 54 in. table linen 23c; 60 in do. 38c; fine Damask towels knotted fringe 23c; extra heavy Turkish towels 16c; dinner napkins, full size, $1.18 dozen; do., extra fine, $1.41 dozen.

Belding Black Silk—100 yds, 69c dozen, regular price $1.00.

Indigo Blue Prints—You can almost hear the prices drop on certain lines of goods. Indigo blue prints 4½c.

You see that immense pile of Amoskeag and Lancaster ginghams. Forty-seven hundred yards, and they go for 4½c per yard.

Muslins—Same price on Fruit, Dwight, Anchor and Lonsdale, 7c. per yd.

Dress Gingham Specials—About 50 pieces fine Scotch ginghams made to sell for 25c per yard; our price 15c. Almost a yard wide they are.

Wool Dress Goods—In fancys, plain and black. Special inducements we are offering in black cashmere, serges and whipcords. Have you seen those 50c. black goods we are offering for 38c?

Hosiery—You want the best stocking your money will buy. That's the kind we sell and Hermsdorf dyes them.

Housefurnishings—When you want crockery, tinware, woodenware or anything in the housefurnishing line come and see us. The best assortment and the lowest prices.

Magic City—A portfolio of original views of the Great World's Fair and its treasures of art. No. 2 now on sale. Price 10c

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Retail and wholesale dealer in all kinds of CHOICE FRUITS, CONFECTIONERY, ETC. IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC CIGARS, Cider, Sodawater, Ginger ale, etc.

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The life of a suit of clothes may be indefinitely prolonged. To your inexperienced eye it may seem worn out. The chances are that cleaning, pressing and a few stitches here and there will give it several months more wear.

That's the kind of economy that amounts to something. You'll save one suit in three by it.

PRICES:
Entire Suit, cleaned and pressed, $1.50
Suit Dyed, $2.75
Trousers cleaned and pressed 50 cents

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Simple, Beautiful, Good—these words mean much, but to see "The Rochester" will impress the truth more forcibly. Its marvelous light is purer and brighter than gas light, softer than electric light, and more cheerful than either. The choicest bric-a-brac in the palace of a Vanderbilt reveals nothing finer. We have 2,700 artistic varieties, in brass, bronze, silver and black iron.

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Vocal and Instrumental Instruction.

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Ladies' $2.50 Hand Welt Button reduced to Two Dollars ($2.00.) Do you wear 2½, 4 or 7? It doesn't make any difference, we have your size.

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Trial size only 35c. Full pint bottle 65c. Be sure you get

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THE MAN AND THE MORTGAGED BRICKS.

Strange Story of a Midnight Marauder, a Cold Chisel, a Croquet Mallet and a Little Church.

A good story is now going about in certain circles which, of course, should never in the world get into print. But it were rank selfishness to suppress it just the same and so The Press has been at pains to get the bottom facts. Here they are:

A respected and reputable citizen of the West End, wandering homeward the other night at an hour when most other citizens of like repute are in bed, passed one of the little chapels which grace our suburbs and which is chiefly remarkable for where it is, and for the fact that it was partly or altogether built on the once popular "brick scheme"—everyone interested paying so much for a certain number of bricks and being given a regular receipt for his money in the form of a sort of brick deed. Well, the West End man was going by the little church on this particular night when his attention was arrested by the peculiar actions of a shadowy figure dimly to be perceived hovering about the front of the chapel. A hasty retrospect of the evening assured him that he was in a responsible condition and he valiantly turned in and approached the spectre, which, upon closer acquaintance, proved to be a tall man in a pale ulster and a diaphanous neckscarf, armed with a cold chisel and a croquet mallet. He was hacking away at the walls of the chapel.

"Hey, there!"—sung out the inquisitive passer, coming up.—"What are you doing?"

The tall man lowered his tools and looked over his shoulder defiantly. "None of your business"—said he.

"Ah!"—observed the other, seating himself upon the church steps and lighting a cigarette.—"Do you smoke?"

"No; I do n't"—answered the mystery, turning to inspect the wall beside him.—"I suppose you contemplate remaining here and watching me"—he went on.—"Well, I do n't mind." He resumed his work upon the bricks. "I'll give you three guesses as to what I'm after."

"Captain Kidd's treasure?"

"No, sir."

"Money in the corner-stone?"

"Not on your life!"

"Lost your knife?"

"Never! I knew you could n't guess it." He stuffed the chisel and mallet into his pockets and sat down beside the visitor. "Say"—he continued—"I don't mind telling you all about it, if you want to hear."

"It would fill a long-felt want"—was the reply.

"Well, it's like this: Years ago, when they wanted to put up this chapel, they went around town with little cards that were alleged to represent bricks in the projected edifice. Each card (or brick) was worth so much and they touched me for five of them, constituting me, as I was told, sole proprietor of five bricks in the church; see?"

"Perfectly clear"—commented the listener.

"Now, I'm stone broke"—pursued the speculator—"and need all I can scare up. Said I to myself today, there's five bricks in that church belonging to me; why not realize on them? That's what I'm doing here, sir! I can read my title clear to five bricks in this sacred edifice, but I'll be everlastingly kicked to death if I can budge a blooming brick!"

"Are you quite certain that you experimented on your own bricks?"—asked the auditor.—"You may have been wasting your time on some other man's bricks, don't you know, and in that event what do you expect?"

"That's so"—admitted the adventurer.—"I did n't think of it in that light. I shall look for my own personal property."—He arose and fished up the chisel and mallet from his pocket.

"I should imagine"—advised the friendly man—"that there must be some sort of an occult sympathy between one and one's own bricks which might be detected at once by both parties."

"True enough"—murmured the brick man.—"You are an inspired prophet."—He bent over and resumed his work on the wall, tapping and hacking and prying. The visitor looked at his watch, arose, yawned and started for home.

"Good-night and good-luck"—said he.

But the only answer was the tap, tap of the cold chisel, and the thump, thump of the croquet mallet on the multi-mortgaged wall.

Good Reading and a Chance to Help.

Scribner's Magazine for March opens with the second article by Joel Chandler Harris on "The Sea Island Hurricanes"—this one dealing especially with the great relief work which is being conducted by Miss Clara Barton and the Red Cross Society. The distress in these islands is likely to increase until the first crop shall be gathered in the late spring, so that the necessity is apt to be direst at a time when the public has, for the most part, lost interest in the catastrophe. Mr. Harris, in his tour for Scribner's Magazine through all these islands, has presented not only the distressing part of the catastrophe but the humorous side of it which the sea-island negro so plentifully furnishes. He has used the finest literary skill in depicting these strange islands and their picturesque inhabitants, so that after reading the article one feels that he has actually lived in new and curious surroundings. The striking illustrations by Daniel Smith, made from sketches on the spot, add to this impression of reality.

Suicidal Jump into New Market Lake.

Field-Runyon of Stelton left his fine team of five-year-old horses standing by the grist mill alongside the New Market lake, Saturday afternoon at 4, while he went inside to get warm. The horses became frightened, sprang down the embankment, and got under a culvert. One fractured his right front leg and shoulder, and was killed as soon as taken out. The other was so seriously injured that it is likely to die.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY—"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 25c. Sold by H. P. Reynolds, druggist, Plainfield. 12 6 3m

"ROBIN HOOD" AGAIN.

This and Other Favorite Attractions Crowding New York's Theatres.

When The Bostonians went into New York city in December for their present long engagement at the Broadway Theatre, they were under contract to produce two new operas by American composers and librettists. They did this, but during the run of these works there was such a general demand for that perennial favorite, "Robin Hood", that they finally concluded to yield to the universal wish, and have put that popular opera on again. That it was really wanted is best demonstrated by the fact that they have played to enormous business since the revival. The Bostonians, which is generally conceded to be the finest light-opera organization in the world, will have appeared in "Robin Hood" more than 1,225 times before March 10, the end of their present engagement at the Broadway Theatre, New York. Despite this fact, however, DeKoven and Smith's masterwork is today the most potent attraction of its kind in existence. The full strength of The Bostonians' magnificent cast is utilized in the revival of "Robin Hood", and any one who happens to be in New York before March 10, will be well rewarded for the trouble and expense of a visit to the Broadway Theatre.

William H. Crane revived "Brother John", Miss Martha Morton's charming comedy, at the Star Theatre, in New York, last Monday, and it more than duplicated the success it met with a year ago. A house crowded in every part welcomed back the comedy, and while the curtain was up laughter and applause were almost incessant. "Brother John" is undoubtedly a better play than it was when it was originally presented last spring. As the hatter, John Hackett, Mr. Crane plays with humorous dexterity and sympathetic earnestness. He deftly mingles comedy and pathos. The comedy is best described as a woman's play, not because it is the work of a woman, but because it contains a great deal that appeals to woman. Its sentiment is sweet, its thoughts are pure, and its tone is true. The young women in the cast are extremely pretty, and show some very handsome gowns. The second and third acts are laid in Long Branch, and give opportunity for elaborate scenery and dressing, of which every advantage is taken. Mr. Crane's season will end in a fortnight, after which he will go westward. He will return in September, when he will make an elaborate revival of "The Merry Wives of Windsor".

That Manager J. M. Hill made a wise move in securing Herrmann's Theatre and turning it into a continuous vaudeville house is demonstrated by the large audiences in daily attendance. No theatre in New York is attended by more numerous or diversified audiences than this. Mr. Hill believes that the fact that his entertainers appeal to all classes of people indicates that they possess extraordinary artistic ability, for it is true in vaudeville as in the drama, that the best talent is that which appeals to the balcony quite as much as to the gallery, and to the gallery quite as much as to the orchestra.

All the sightseers who go to New York just now are making it a point to see the beautiful new spectacle, the Dance of the Roses, which is presented in the Eden Musee by Lola Yberri, the graceful Spanish dancer. The dance is the prettiest flower dance that has yet been originated in New York. It is a symphony in roses, pale pink calcium lights and begemmed tulle and laces. People who have a fondness for Spanish sentiment, the songs of the troubadours and weird performances in the language of love will be glad to know that Senorita Tortajada and her troupe have been re-engaged at the Musee for a term of several weeks. Leo Morley presides in the realm of magic. Among other features which make the house attractive are comedians, and the Royal Gypsy Band, which gives concerts afternoon and evening, Sunday included.

California and the Mid-Winter Fair

A more favorable opportunity than the present to visit California will probably never be offered. The rates for excursion tickets, via the North-Western Line, are the lowest ever made, and, aside from the delightful semi-tropical climate of California, the Mid-Winter Fair at San Francisco, which is now in the full tide of success, is a most potent attraction to the tourist and pleasure-seeker. The trip from Chicago to California is made via the North-Western Line in the marvelously short time of 3½ days. Palace drawing room sleeping cars leave Chicago daily, and run run through without change. Meals are served in dining cars. Daily Tourist Sleeping Car service is also maintained by this line between Chicago and SanFrancisco and LosAngeles, and every Thursday the party is personally conducted by an experienced excursion manager. Completely equipped berths in tourist sleepers are furnished at a cost of only $6 each from Chicago to the Pacific Coast, thus enabling passengers to make the journey in a most comfortable and economical manner. The North-Western Line has issued a number of illustrated pamphlets descriptive of the Mid-Winter Fair, and also containing detailed information concerning rates, routes, etc., copies of which will be mailed free on application to W. A. Thrall, General Passenger and Ticket Agent Chicago & North-Western Railway, Chicago, Ill., if you mention The Press and Constitutionalist.

From Plainfield to Europe.

A. V. D. Honeyman is planning to conduct a private touring party to Europe, starting July 3. The steamship from New York will be the Aurania. Holland, Belgium, France, Switzerland and England will be thoroughly seen. The trip will last 55 days, and cost only $250. All expenses are covered by that sum, including hotel charges, railway fares, and a coaching tour of northern England.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. It is insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

TWO HOUSES AND A BAGGAGE CAR.

No Sunday Rest for Plainfield Firemen.

A girder supporting the first floor of the house of Thomas C. Pollock, 538 West Seventh street, caught fire from a flue and filled the rooms with smoke yesterday afternoon at 1:30. An alarm was telephoned from W. T. Kaufman's, and the fire department responded. Box 32 was pulled by Assistant Chief Martin on the way down.

Several extinguishers were used in putting out the fire after the walls and floor had been cut through to locate the blaze. No water was used. The loss will not exceed $75. The house was insured.

Box 43 was pulled yesterday afternoon about 3 for a burning chimney in the house of Oysterman Kane on Second street near Plainfield avenue. But little difficulty was experienced in using the fire extinguishers successfully.

The baggage car of the Washington train due here at 2:14 this morning caught fire from an overturned stove. The flames were discovered near Evona, and the contents of the car were removed. At Grant avenue the passenger coaches were side-tracked. The burning car was brought to the North Avenue station and left on the track east of Watchung avenue.

A still alarm was turned in at the fire department headquarters by Policeman Cooney, and William Ross, George Feiring and Harry Bush went out with No. 2's hose wagon. Water was obtained from the hydrant at the corner of Watchung avenue and Fourth street. Chief Doane and Second Assistant Murray arrived and after an hour's work the train was able to proceed. The centre of the car was burned out. The clothes of the firemen were coated with ice.

SMASHED IN THE DOORS.

Music Hall's Capacity Strained to the Bursting Point.

1,350 people crowded into Music Hall Saturday night to see the final performance of the Waite Comedy Company. The crush was so great at the opening of the doors that the large open entrance was completely blockaded, and in spite of the efforts of Policeman Schimer the glass doors were forced inward and wrecked. The iron guard-rail meant to keep people in line at the ticket-office was carried away by main force. The attendance at the Saturday matinee was 960. The hall seats 880.

To Tell the Joy of Living.

The February meeting of the Plainfield Branch Alliance of Unitarian and other Christian women will take place in All Souls Church tomorrow afternon at 3. All women interested are invited to attend. The programme is as follows:

THE EVOLUTION OF FAMILY LIFE.

1. Different Forms of the Human Family.
2. Moulding Influences.
   - a Of Barbarism.
   - b Of Ancient Greece and Rome.
   - c Of Judaism and Christianity.
   - d Of Modern Life.
3. Domestic Animals.
   - a Their Value to us.
   - b Our Care and Treatment of them.
4. The College Woman in Family Life.
   - a The Uses of Culture.
   - b The Joy of Living.

Miss Jane M. Slocum, teacher and lecturer in the School of Economics in Union Square, New York, will probably read a paper on "The Origin and Growth of Government", treated historically, showing the Evolution of the State from the family.

Richard T. Ely says of Miss Slocum: "She is a careful student and an inspiring teacher". She studied law under Thomas M. Cooley, with a view to perfecting her knowledge of government and her examination was entirely satisfactory. She is is particularly successful and pleasing as a lecturer. All are welcome, as the meeting is free.

Education Superior to Wealth.

The debating society of Springdale held a meeting Friday night to decide whether it is better for a man to start in life with wealth or with an education. Louis P. Egar and Andrew Flammer thought that wealth was the requisite, while Christopher Herlick, A. Lupo and George L. Egar gave many good reasons why an education would be more beneficial.

Quite a number were present, and after each side had exchanged views on the matter a vote was cast and it was decided that an education would be better than wealth, the vote being 21 to 19 in favor of education. The subject next Friday night will be a discussion of Henry George's single-tax theory.

Christianity to Consolidate.

Dr. H. K. Carroll of Westervelt avenue has a valuable article on "The Stability of the Great Religious Sects" in The Forum for March. He predicts:

"Denominations are growing toward one another, and one thing certain to come is consolidation of branches of the same denominational name. Presbyterians, Baptists, Methodists, and Lutherans, will reduce their divisions and greatly increase their power and influence by unification."

Tributes to Their Fellow-Workman's Memory.

In accordance with the custom of the order, Master Workman S. E. Flower and E. M. Laing have visited the bereaved family of the late Charles P. Leggett and expressed the sorrow of their A. O. U. W. lodge over his untimely calling away. E. M. Laing and Wm. A. Woodruff chose the floral tribute of the Workmen, and Robert A. Meeker, E. M. Laing and Wm. A. Woodruff are preparing resolutions.

Let's Have the Sidewalks, Then.

A prominent property-owner says that Plainfield would have abundant low-rent and desirable houses if good sidewalks extended into the outskirts. His claim is that small, neat modern houses are not built where land is comparatively cheap, because to get there one has to wade through mud.

The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands can testify. Proper local treatment is positively necessary to success, but many, if not most, of the remedies in general use afford but temporary relief. A cure certainly cannot be expected from snuffs, powders, douches and washes. Ely's Cream Balm, which is so highly commended, is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power, with perfect safety and pleasantness to the patient. The druggists all sell it. 3 23 3y

DEATH OF JAMES T. WILEY JUDGE.

(Special to The Press.)

ELIZABETH, February 26.—Judge James T. Wiley died soon after midnight today. He was born in Ballston Spa, Saratoga County, N. Y., seventy-two years ago. He went to Elizabeth in 1859, was elected president of the City Council on the Democratic ticket, was elected State Senator in 1870, and served until 1872. In 1885 he was appointed postmaster by President Cleveland. He was appointed lay judge of Union County Court by Gov. Abbett, which position he held at the time of his death. He leaves a widow and two daughters. He has been a paralytic for twelve years, a constable being employed during sessions of the court to aid him to his seat on the bench.

BY THE WAY.

—Collector H. Newton Spencer had to tie his big tree together today to keep it from splitting.

—Consecration service of the Christian Endeavor Society will be held in the Trinity Reformed church tonight at 8.

—A summons returnable March 5 was issued by Justice Nash this morning in the landlord and tenant case of Hunter against Clum.

—The hackmen were busy this morning, and numbers of passengers arriving at the North Avenue station were compelled to wait for returning carriages.

—Twenty of the Alert members walked to Charles P. Leggett's funeral Saturday. They fortified themselves against the cold with hot coffee and sandwiches.

—The attendance at meetings of the Salvation Army last week was 2,804. That at the different meetings was: Monday, 845; Tuesday, 199; Wednesday, 175. Thursday, 320, Friday, 100; Saturday, 140; Sunday, 1,034.

—Grand Master Butts, of Camden, has sent word to the officers of Stone Square Lodge, No. 38, F. & A. M., that it would be impossible for him to be present at their meeting this evening, and the visit has been indefinitely postponed.

—The third annual ball of Court Pride, No. 8024, Ancient Order of Foresters of America, will be held in Saengerbund Hall Thursday night, April 5. The music will be by O'Reilly. The Committee of Arrangements consists of L. J. Coombs, Thomas Osment, S. Lunger, Peter Blimm, S. Flynn, John Neighbor, John Galbraith and Henry Windham.

—Grace P. Episcopal Church was filled last nigh in spite of the storm. Father Johnson preached a powerful sermon on "I thirst". The service was intoned by Mr. Grunnell. Next Sunday evening there will be full choral service, without sermon. These special efforts of the Men's Association are greatly appreciated.

—The citizens of Plainfield and vicinity are not slow to appreciate a good thing, as in the case of Edsall's great clearance sale, where hundreds of articles of the best quality the market affords are being purchased every day at a great saving to the purchaser. One reason why Edsall's advertising is so effective is, he always gives the people just what he advertises, so that after the purchase is made and the goods examined at home satisfation is sure to follow.

Site Chosen for Bicycle Track.

The Crescent Wheelmen have leased for 5 years 11 acres of the Deacon Wooden estate on Randolph road near Park avenue, and will spend $2,000 in laying out a bicycle track, a base-ball diamond, and general athlectic grounds. A fine grand-stand will be erected, and a high board fence. The people should help in making this a credit to the town. The best bicycle riders of the country will appear at the opening.

Who Stole the Wagon?

The wagon seized for debt and placed in charge of Henry Guerrier at Sheriff Kyte's stable in Fanwood disappeared yesterday morning. Aaron Brower and a colored lad named Jackson are said to have removed it, Mr. Brower claiming it as his property.

Mr. Kyte says all connected with the removal will be promptly arrested.

New Houses at Lincoln Gap.

The old Hillman property on Somerset street, near Lincoln Gap, has been staked out for a street and building lots. Several fine dwelling houses will be erected there as soon as practicable. Ex-Sheriff Codington is the prime mover in the enterprise.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is the best in the market. A single bottle will convince you of its excellence. Try it.

May Brooklyn's Body at Home.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The body of May Brookyn, the actress, who committed suicide at San Francisco, has been brought here.

Niagara's Ice Bridge

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Feb. 26.—The oldest inhabitants say that the present ice bridge is the finest ever known.

Not Dying—Not Even Ill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Senator Vance's son says the senator is not dying, as reported; in fact, is not ill at all.

Same Old Story.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 26.—It is said here that Mississippi's fruit crop has been ruined by the storms of last week.

Nothing Accomplished.

WHEELING, W. Va., Feb. 26.—The conference of the miners and operators in this city has accomplished nothing.

How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward or any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

West & Truax, wholesale druggists, Toledo, O.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. a bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free. 7 30 3y

OPPOSED BY THE PRESIDENT.

The Administration Not in Favor of the Bland Seigniorage Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—If any doubts have heretofore been entertained as to the president's attitude on the silver seigniorage question, those doubts seem to be entirely removed by conversation had with the president just before his departure for North Carolina. It is positively stated that one principal source of the disgruntlement which led the president to seek relief in this trip in the face of unusually inclement and threatening weather was the continued effort in the house to revive the silver agitation by the Bland bill for the coinage of the silver seigniorage. From those who have recently spoken to the president on this subject this information is derived. When the bond issue was determined upon, for the purpose of relieving the treasury of financial embarrassment, it was for the very purpose of avoiding the necessity for the coinage of the silver seigniorage. If the administration had seen its way clear to the coinage of the seigniorage, it could have raised almost as much money as by bond issue without increasing the public debt or the annual interest thereon. But the money the president wanted was gold, not silver. It is generally understood that Secretary Carlisle on his visit to New York to encourage the subscriptions to the bonds, gave assurances, either in his official or personal capacity, that the administration was and would be opposed to the coinage of the silver seigniorage. Up to that point the subscriptions to the bonds had lagged. When all the bonds were subscribed for, but before the money was paid in, intimations were received here from New York that if there was any prospect that the silver seigniorage bill, then emerging from the house committee, would become a law, some of the largest subscribers to the bonds would refuse to take them. It was then that Secretary Carlisle, it is said, reiterated his opposition to the silver seigniorage bill, both in the newspapers and to the committee on the judiciary of the house.

SIGNS OF IMPROVING TIMES.

Numerous Resumptions of Mills and Factories in Pennsylvania.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 26.—The business situation brightened up considerably last week, and the next six days will probably see a greater improvement. This week, for the first time since last June, the Carnegie steel works at Homestead will work on Saturday. It has been the custom to close down Friday evening. The company is receiving satisfactory orders. Nearly every department is on double turn this week.

Two more shops were put on at factory P of the United States Glass company. The plant would be running in full if the flint glass strikes were settled.

The American iron works of Jones & Laughlin have resumed in all departments. The works closed last July. A revival is reported in the iron trade among the southside mill owners.

The plant of the Oliver Iron and Steel company, which has been idle since June, is about to resume with 500 men.

The United States Tin-plate and Sheet iron company is increasing its capacity by building additional tinning stacks.

The Westinghouse company has just awarded the contract for 2,000,000 brick for their new shops at Branton.

H. Sellers McKee, the great glass manufacturer, is contracting for three twenty-pot continuous tank furances, to be added to his tableware plant at Jeannette.

Four thousand two hundred and fifty tons more coke were shipped out of the Connellsville region last week than the preceding week, and before April it is expected that fully two-thirds of the ovens in the region will be producing coke.

Industrial Revival Continues.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 26.—The industrial revival continues. The Clifton iron company has just blown in its two big furnaces after an idleness of two years. The Birmingham rolling mill, which resumed last week, has added 500 more men to its force.

Bomb in a Court of Justice.

BOULOGNE, Feb. 26.—A supposed bomb has been found in the court of justice. It consists of a glass tube containing gunpowder, pieces of iron, tin and bullets, together with some half burned wool and a liquid. The contents are undergoing analysis.

Mills Resume.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Feb. 26.—Five out of the six Wamsutta mills have started up on full time. This is the first time the mills have run on full time since the financial depression last August.

Woolen Mills Resume.

NORRISTOWN, Pa., Feb. 26.—The Norristown Woolen mills, which have been shut down since last August, resumed operations this morning withe 200 hands.

SHE STANDS A HOT FIRE.

The Aquidaban Hit By Many Shells From the Forts.

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RIO JANEIRO, Feb. 21, via Montevideo, Feb. 25.—The insurgent cruiser Republica, with Admiral Mello on board, was off the bar on Tuesday, Feb. 20. She exchanged shots with the government fort and signals with Admiral da Gama's flagship. At 3 o'clock this morning the insurgent warship Aquidaban sailed away. The government search light revealed her later about two miles from the forts. Rockets were sent up from the government positions, and within ten minutes a hot fire had been opened from all the guns along shore. As the Aquidaban advanced the firing increased. She returned the fire briskly and was assisted by Fort Villegaignon, which turned on all its guns as the warship was passing through the narrows.

The Aquidaban was struck with many shells, but apparently did not suffer any serious damage. After getting outside she shelled the military school on the neck of the peninsula opposite Fort Santa Cruz. Several shells fell in the city, but did no notable damage.

An insurgent officer told the United Press correspondent that the two insurgent vessels were going to Bahia to destroy the government fleet.

Admiral da Gama, with 500 men, is holding the bay and five islands against the government's 10,000.

UNDOUBTEDLY HE WAS ROBBED

But Mr. Low's Death Was Due to a Congestive Chill.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—The body of the man found dead Saturday evening on West street, has been identified as that of Benjamin Low, a shipping merchant, of Gloucester, Mass. He is said to have been worth $350,000. Mr. Low was about 65 years old, and lived on Prospect street, Gloucester. He owned a fleet of about a dozen fishing smacks and carried on a ship chandlery. He came to New York on the Fall River boat Friday night, on business, among other things being the collecting of certain moneys due. When he was found dying, he had but $1.76 in his pockets, his watch was gone, and his watch chain broken. His left hand trousers pocket was partly pulled inside out and blood was flowing from a wound on his wrist. It was thought at first Mr. Low was robbed and only dealt with, but according to the autopsy, the immediate cause of death was a congestive chill, inducing heart failure. He was undoubtedly robbed.

UNIMPEACHABLE TESTIMONY!

A WONDERFUL STORY BY AN IRVINGTON WOMAN.

Fearful Failure of Fifteen Physicians—Serious Surgical Operation Suggested.

For four years I have suffered from a complication of diseases which physicians said were dyspepsia, liver and kidney complaint, nervous prostration and womb disease. No words of mine can describe the terrible pains and distress I have experienced—the dizziness, trembling fears of evil, chills, fever, melancholy, restlessness and numerous other dreadful sensations which I am unable to describe. Have been treated by fifteen physicians, some of whom were sure they could cure me within two or three months, and all of whom have had from two months to three, four or more, as they said was needed. One I tried for a whole year until last May I found myself disappointed, discouraged and about ready to give up altogether, as, after treating me for a year my physician told me I would be obliged to undergo a surgical operation before I could commence to get better. Just at this time I was advised by friends to consult Dr. Starkweather of No. 105 Halsey street, Newark, as they knew of some very remarkable cures which he had performed.

I followed their advice and visited the doctor on May 5. How glad I am that I took this step no one can realize who has not been similiarly situated. The doctor gave me a complete history of my case, describing with surprising accuracy the conditions and symptoms which I had endured for years, but what gave me the greatest surprise and pleasure was when he assured me that there was no need of any surgical operation. Proper means, he said, would overcome my troubles without any surgery. I commenced at once to follow Dr. Starkweather's directions and treatment. Having gradually and steadily improved since that time, as he stated I would, until now I am the wonder of all my friends, while rejoicing in renewed health, strength and spirits. Am constrained by a sense of duty and gratitude to accord the praise due Dr. S. for his gentle, soothing and skillful treatment of my case, and advise all sufferers from whatever cause to consult this eminent physician. MRS. WM. R. MANSER.

Smith street, Irvington, N. J.

Thousands praise the day they came to us for treatment. There is no guess work, no experimenting, no painful operation. No matter how difficult the case, no matter how much of the physician's time it may consume the diagnosis will not only be thorough, it will be absolutely free. There is no taint of quackery or deception; no claim or statement is made that is not born out by facts and living witnesses.

Any person, rich or poor, old or young, is welcome here and receives examination and advice without charge. The rapidity with which this popular system has grown into public favor is without a parallel. The number of new applicants increases daily, and the remarkable results of the treatment they receive both surprise and gratify.

There is not a penny to pay for the fullest medical advice. Dr. Starkweather is a graduate of the Berkshire Medical College, Massachusetts, and of the Medico-Chirurgical College of Philadelphia; endorsed also by the College of Physicians and Surgeons and Bellevue Medical College of New York. We invite all sufferers from whatever cause to call at our office, No. 105 Halsey street, Newark, where Dr. Starkweather is in attendance daily to give examination and advice entirely free of charge. It matters not what the disease, or how many years you have suffered, in spite of means adopted in your behalf, a visit to this office and the privileges of the same will cost you nothing, and may be the means of saving your life. We prepare all our medicines and prescribe the remedies indicated. This plan enables the patient to receive directly from us such remedies as will produce the results promised.

Our office is open daily from to a. m. to 9 p. m. Sundays, 4 to 6 p. m.

Those living at a distance can consult the doctor by letter. Send or call for our book of testimonials.

DR. STARKWEATHER'S

HOME REMEDIES,

No. 105 Halsey street, Newark, N. J.

TARIFF BILL COMPLETED.

Numerous Concessions Made to Harmonize Conflicting Factions.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The tariff bill is practically completed, and will be laid before the full committee on finance some time to-day. Mr. Voorhees issued the call for the meeting, and the sergeant-at-arms telegraphed Mr. Allison, who was in De roit, that the call had been issued and requested his presence.

When the bill will reach the senate is not known, as much depends upon the action of the committee.

Mr. Morrill will endeavor to have the bill considered in committee by sections, and this may take two or three days, but at all events Mr. Voorhees and Mr. Mills confidently expect the bill to be reported before the week is over.

The condition of the bill when Messrs. Mills, Vest and Jones separated was of a tentative character, but the committee had very great hopes that it would prove to be final.

The element of doubt is caused by the attitude of the senators who have been objecting to the action of the house, and with the end in view of drawing to the bill the support of all conflicting factions, the committee has made numerous concessions, many of them greatly against the judgment of the sub-committee, and found to be absolutely necessary to secure the safe passage of the measure through the senate. If the senators, therefore, agree to the concessions given them, there will be smooth sailing; otherwise there is an ugly outlook for the pilot of the bill. The committee has yielded as much as they believe they can yield, and the disposition of the members is to go no further in the direction of concessions.

The coal people have, perhaps, gained more than anyone else, and say they have secured 50 cents a ton on that article.

Sugar has finally reached a stage where the committee may be said to be in accord with one another.

The Louisiana senators will not, though, get the cent and a half per pound they have held out for so strenuously, but will be content with a duty that hovers near one cent a pound with a probable graduated system on sugar standing a test of eighty degrees or more. This will give the refiners sufficient incidental protection from loss.

Another of the "600" Dead.

WHATCOM, Wash., Feb. 26.—Capt. W. C. H. Graham, a survivor of the famous charge of the light brigade at Balaklava, is dead.

Stone Cutters' Strike Not Settled

NEW LONDON, Conn., Feb. 26.—The settlement of the stone cutters' strike at Stoney creek is not yet completed.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell; 25c., 50c. and $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal. says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good. Price 50c. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North Ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station

Shiloh's Cure, the great cough and croup cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains 25 doses; price 25c. Children love it. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

Watchung Park Property.

Handsomely Situated

BUILDING LOTS

NOW OFFERED FOR SALE.

THIS PROPERTY is in the heart of the recently opened residence section of the city, being within a few minutes walk of the Central railroad station.

THE NEW WATCHUNG PARK, with its new streets and avenues, will be among the handsomest residence sections in this pretty suburban place.

ONLY HIGH GRADE RESIDENCES will be erected. The neighborhood will be restricted, making it as desirable as any in Plainfield.

ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS will be in force by early spring. The work of macadamizing the streets is now being pushed rapidly.

ELECTRIC CARS PASS the property. Electric lights, gas and city water will be introduced as soon in the spring as they are needed.

SCORES OF BEAUTIFUL HOUSES now fronting on Sandford and Westervelt avenues have been located on the old Crescent ball field.

JUST AS PROPERTY VALUES jumped in Sandford and Westervelt avenues, so will they also increase rapidly in Watchung Park. Those who buy now will reap the benefit of an early investment.

THE LOTS are about 50x150 feet in size and the map of the property printed in these columns on Wednesdays and Saturdays will give the public necessary information as to their location.

For further information regarding prices and terms, large copies of the map, etc., address or call upon

A. D. THOMPSON,

12 19 6m-m t th 147 North avenue, opp. Railroad Station, Plainfield, N. J.

VAN EMBURGH & SON

SAY.

Although they have taken the large ad out of the paper they are fully prepared to furnish every article as was advertised and others added.

25 Yards of Wash Embroidery Silk for 10 Cents.

A RETIRED BUSINESS WOMAN.

A Page From Her History.

The important experiences of others are interesting. The following is no exception: "I had been troubled with heart disease 28 years, much of that time very seriously. For five years I was treated by one physician continuously. I was in business, but obliged to retire on account of my health. A physician told my friends that I could not live a month. My feet and limbs were badly swollen, and I was indeed in a serious condition when a gentleman directed my attention to Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, and said that his sister, who had been afflicted with heart disease, had been cured by the remedy, and was again a strong, healthy woman. I purchased a bottle of the Heart Cure, and in less than an hour after taking the first dose I could feel a decided improvement in the circulation of my blood. When I had taken three doses I could move my ankles, something I had not done for months, and my limbs had been swollen so long that they seemed almost putrified. Before I had taken one bottle of the New Heart Cure the swelling had all gone down, and I was so much better that I did my own work. On my recommendation six others are taking this valuable remedy."—Mrs. Morgan, 569 W. Harrison St., Chicago, Ill.

Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, a discovery of an eminent specialist in heart disease, is sold by all druggists on a positive guarantee, or sent by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind., on receipt of price, $1 per bottle, six bottles for $5, express prepaid. It is positively free from all opiates or dangerous drugs.

Sold by A D Mallinson, 205 North Avenue, opp. station

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STATIONERY

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The Bronze Medallion

The people who drop into my studio and examine the various objects of art and virtu which a long life and a considerable success in my profession have enabled me to collect together would no doubt be very much surprised to hear that of all my treasures there is none so dear to me as the bronze medallion that lies enshrined within a crystal case on my mantelpiece. Many of my visitors have glanced at it and turned away to examine a rare bit of carving or an almost priceless example of some forgotten art. To them the bronze medallion suggested nothing. Possibly they thought—if they gave the matter any thought at all—that it was some medal won in my student days and therefore treasured with care. That it represented a whole life history and had the power to revive many strange memories they had no idea. Some people perhaps, seeing it in a place of honor among my knicknacks, may have fancied that it was something for which I had the same superstitious reverence that other men give to a horseshoe. The bronze medallion, however, is neither a fetich nor a memento of an early artistic success. It is simply an insignificant object, worth perhaps a few shillings, which has played no small part in my life and on one occasion saved me from sudden and violent death. Thirty years ago, when I was a young man of 26 and had fame and fortune still eluding me, I was attached to the artistic staff of The Illustrated Weekly, a journal which was just then beginning a career of great success. Black and white work was not then what it is now, but people thought highly of the illustrations we were able to give them for sixpence, and there was no lack of encouragement for proprietors or artists. My own special forte was animal life, as it always has been. From the time when I could first hold a pencil I had spent my happiest moments in drawing horses. To me a horse was a creature of infinite artistic possibilities. I had drawn him sitting in the ring of a circus and galloping at express speed over a race course, and it mattered little to me whether he was a high bred or a shaggy Shetland pony. I had already begun to paint him in oils, and my first picture, "Young Horses at Play," was considered worthy of a place in the academy. It was this success in depicting horses that led the editor of The Illustrated Weekly to suggest that I should go down to Doncaster and make a sketch of the St. Leger of that year. There was some famous horse running—I forget his name for the moment—and the public interest in the race was greater than usual. Consequently the proprietors determined to give a double page illustration to the scene, and I traveled to Doncaster a day or two before the event and began my work by getting an accurate idea of the race course and selecting a favorable standpoint from which to focus my sketch.

The day of the great race came, and during the morning I was busily occupied in interviewing the various horses engaged and in filling my sketchbook with bits that seemed likely to be useful. When the afternoon came round and the racing began, I made my way to a certain part of the course which had seemed to me very well suited to my purposes, and there I took my stand. There were two races to be run before the St. Leger, and while these were being got through and during the intervals between them I occupied myself in watching the doings of the crowd which filled the upper part of the town moor. There must have been 200,000 people present on the stands and in the rings and on the moor, and from them came a perfect bable of sound, above which the stentorian voices of the bookmakers blended with the shrill cries of catchpenny adventurers of all sorts. Here two or three members of the three card trick fraternity were endeavoring to gull a group of round faced rustics; there a similar gang were shouting the praises of a sort of roulette table; yonder a betting man had screamed himself hoarse and was reduced to shaking the money in his bag as a means of attracting attention. Beyond the shouting, swaying, bustling crowd stretched a long line of vehicles of all descriptions, from the lordly looking coach to the farmer's light cart, and on these men and women were eating and drinking and discussing the prospects of the favorite for the great race. Across the course rose the long line of stands, thickly packed with fashionable racegoers, and these made a dark background to the picture I had in my mind's eye.

I was noticing all these things and taking a sly sketch now and then of some face or figure that attracted my attention, when I caught sight of a little gentleman, evidently a Frenchman, who seemed very much out of place among the rough crowd. He was very neatly dressed from top to toe, but as he passed me I noticed that his black frock coat was somewhat shiny at the shoulders and that his carefully brushed hat had certainly seen better days. He went in and out among the crowd, staring at the bookmakers and glancing curiously at the three card fraternity. I thought there was something wistful about his eyes as he looked at the gold which those gentry displayed so lavishly. Presently I lost sight of him in the crowd, but about 10 minutes before the St. Leger was to be run I saw him again. He was engaged in confidential conversation with an individual whom I sat down at once as a betting man's tout and against whose wiles and blandishments I should have liked to warn the evidently innocent foreigner. Presently, however, there was a great cry of "They're off!" and I had to turn my attention to the race.

However great the excitement and however long it may have existed prior to the event which rouses it, it takes but a few very brief moments to allay it forever. Within four minutes of the cry of "They're off!" the horses had flashed past me and past the winning post, and the great race was over. I strolled round the crowd and amused myself by watching the faces of the people who had lost their money and the joyful manifestations of those who had bet successfully. I passed beyond the line of carriages and carts and walked across the moor to the slight hill at the bottom of the course, from where there is an excellent view of the crowds gathered before the stands. There were very few people about the hill or the furze bushes which cover it, and things were quiet there after the roar and bustle of the crowd. I turned away to the left, intending to go into the highroad and walk backe to the town, but I suddenly paused and hesitated, for there, close before me, was the little French gentleman, evidently in distress. He sat on the ground behind one of the furze bushes, with his hands hanging helplessly over his drawn up knees and his head drooping forward in abject fashion. It was evident that he had fallen among thieves. I went up to him and spoke, feeling that his distress warranted me in doing so.

"I am afraid you are in trouble, sir," I said.

He lifted his face from his hands and looked up. "Ah, m'sieur!" He spread his little fat hands abroad with a gesture that was half pathetic, half comical. "Helas! I have been rob—swindled—I have lose all my money."

"Do you mean that some one has picked your pocket," I asked. "If so, you should inform the police."

"Ah, but it is not zat zey have peek my pocket!" he answered quickly. "It is zat I am one big fool. I bet—I stake—I gives my money to ze meker of books, and, pho! it is gone!"

"Ah, you have been betting!"

"Helas! m'sieur, yes. You see, I am—ah, but I am poor. I am professor of langnages at seexty pounds a year. It is ver' leetle for madam, my spouse, and for Jules and myself, and I often zink of how I can make heem more. A young man say to me: 'You should bet. You should put your money on ze horses.' He talk to me, zis young man, of tens to one, of seex to one, and I listen. Zen yesterday comes, and zey pay ze salary at my school. Zey pay me £5, and I put heem in my pocket and say, 'Tomorrow I will go to ze horse race and win much money.' So I arrive here at ze course, m'sieur, and I walks round and see the makers of books, and I talk with a gentleman of sport who knows what he calls 'a sure teep,' and he tells me to put my £5 on Crocodile and takes me to a man who gives me a teecket and lays me seexty to one against ze horse Crocodile. Zen I say zat Crocodile will win me £300, and we will be happy, and my leettle Jules shall have a new coat, and madame, my spouse, will buy herself a new gown, and I shall have great joy. And zen zey run, the horses, and when zey have finish I go to my maker of books and request my money. And he say Crocodile is nowhere at all, and my £5 is lost, and ze man zat gave me ze 'sure teep' is gone, and—Helas! m'sieur—now I have no salary to take home."

And here the little man broke down and wept. Half amused as I was at his story, I felt sorry for him, for I could well imagine that the loss of £5 would mean a good deal to him and to madame, his spouse, and their boy Jules. When he had recovered himself a little, I talked further with him and found that he was a political refugee and that he taught French in a boys' school at Doncaster. Convinced that his tale was genuine, I determined to help him. I had a £5 note in my pocket for which I had no immediate need, and I made up my mind that he should have it. As I did not desire to pose as a benefactor, however, I resolved to adopt a little ruse. "Well, sir," said I, "these fellows have swindled you, of course. To begin with, you should not have talked with the man who professed to know of a sure tip. All he wanted was your money"——

"Helas! m'sieur, I am great fool—yes," he interrupted, smiting his forehead. "I have a head of wood. But it was the desire to carry home much money to my spouse and to cry, 'Behold a fortune!'"

"And have you really nothing to go on with, sir?" I inquired.

He blushed and hung his head. "Ah, m'sieur," he said, "not a centime. It is hard work to live on ze £5 a month. And now I have gambl'e heem away, my beautiful £5 note, and zere will be no money for ze baker, and ze butcher, and madame, my spouse, will weep, and—ah, wretched traitor zat I am!"

"Come, come, sir," said I; "don't give way. Here, you stay there awhile, and I'll go and see if I can't recover your money. Which of the betting men was it that you gave your note to?"

"The gertleman called Old Toby from London, m'sieur. He zatt stands near the refreshments, with a wonderful hat upon his head and a long white coat."

"Well, stay there," said I, "and I will see Old Toby and try to get your money," and away I went back to the crowd. But I had no intention of going near Old Toby from London, and after I had taken a turn through the people I returned to the furze bushes with my own £5 note in my hand. I held it out to the little Frenchman, who received it with extravagant expressions of relief and delight.

"There is your £5, sir," I said, "and I hope you'll never be tempted to bet again."

"Ah, m'sieur, indeed no! I promise you on my sacred word, and I beseech you to accept my"—— Here he broke off and looked fixedly from me to the note, which he had smoothed out. He turned pale, then red, then pale again.

"What's the matter, sir?" said I. "Isn't that right?"

"M'sieur!" He drew his little figure to its full height. "Zis is not my note. See, I take ze numbaire of heem—it is 200317. And, see, ze numbaire of zis note is 581683. Ah—m'sieur, I see how it is! Your generous heart weeps for my poor leetle Jules and for madame, my spouse, and you give me zis money out of your own pockeet. Ah, beautiful sympathy, it makes me weep." And he began to shed more tears. I turned to go, feeling somewhat confused. "Good day, sir," I said.

The little Frenchman seized my hand. "I zank you, m'sieur," he said simply. "I zank you from my heart." "You are very welcome," said I and hastened to leave him.

Before I had proceeded many yards he ran after me. "M'sieur," said he, "take zis leetle object as a memento. You will zink of Hector Malan and his gratitude when you see it. It is nothing—a leetle medal zat my son Jules win at ze school, m'sieur. I zank you again, and I pray ze good God to reward you."

I took the little bronze medallion which he put into my hands and went on my way again. That night on my way to town I looked at the memento of my somewhat amusing adventure. It was a bronze medal rather larger than a crown piece. One side bore a figure of Learning bestowing a laurel wreath on a kneeling child; the other informed me that the medal had been presented to Master Jules Malan for his proficiency in mathematics. I put the little token in my purse and thought no more of it until some weeks later, when I happened to be dining with a fellow artist at a restaurant and once more came across it amid a handful of loose change. I handed it over to my friend and told him the story as we walked away.

"If that medal were mine," said he, "I should attach a sort of superstitious reverence to it. I should look on it as a species of lucky penny and always carry it about my person."

I laughed at the idea, but I put the bronze medallion back into my purse, and there it staid. I attached no sort of value to it, but it seemed somehow to become a fixture and had an inner compartment of my purse all to itself.

Some years went by. I worked hard at my profession and began to be known as a painter of animal life and especially of horses. A battle scene of mine, "Horses In War," brought me an invitation from my old friends, the proprietors of The Illustrated Weekly, to go out as war artist during the Franco-Prussian campaign. I was disposed to go before the invitation reached me. I was unmarried, I had no ties, and there seemed no reason why I should not see something of war at first hand. Accordingly I accepted the invitation, and within a week I was with the Prussian forces near Saarbuck. I am not writing the history of that famous campaign, and I shall therefore pass over the preliminary events of the war and go on to the time when the Prussians, having easily recovered from their first reverses, poured over Alsace and Lorraine and began to besiege Strasburg and Metz. I, in company with several other English war correspondents and artists, was with the advance corps of the attacking army and had considerable difficulty in getting on at all. The Prussian military authorities had small love for special correspondents, and we were indebted solely to ourselves for whatever information we got. To me this official standoffishness did not so much matter as to my companions, the special correspondents. My business was to make pictures; theirs to find news. Nevertheless I found it hard work sometimes to get materials for my sketches, and the risks I occasionally ran were greater than those which I should have incurred had I mixed in the thick of the skirmishes, which went on continually.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 30, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 45, 4 55, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7 30, 8, 9 30, 9 45, 10, 11 30 P. M. 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 3 15, 4, 5 30, 7, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

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Leave Plainfield 6 28, 6 39, 6 49, 7 26, 7 40, 8, 8 48 9 23, 10 04, 10 37, 11 24, A. M., 12 05, 1 14, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 4 01, 4 50, 5 54, 6 54, 7 05, 8 49, 10 17, 11 39 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 28, A. M., 12 32, 1 42, 3 30, 5 28, 6 36, 7 05, 8 22, 9 22, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 18, 7 18, 7 56, 8 39, 9 08, 10 06, 11 35 A.M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 20 Saturday only, 2 50, 3 35, 4 05, 4 35, 5 08, 5 35, 6 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 30, 9 30, 11 35, A.M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 6 40, 7 30, 10 20, 11 30 P. M. Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

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Leave Somerville, 6, 8 30, 7 05, 7 26, 7 55, 7 48, 9 20, 9 05, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 30, 1 45, 2 05, 3 36, 4 25, 5 26, 6 25, 8 28, 9 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 26, 11 00 A. M., 12 08, 1 16, 5 05, 6 35, 8 08, 9 06, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 48, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 43, 2 09, 5 05, 5 14, 6 26, 8 17 P. M. Sunday—6 45, 9 28 A. M. 2 08, 6 26 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 06, 7 00, 8 53, A.M., 12 32, 4 04, 7 26 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

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WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

6 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown' Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 51 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Manticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 43 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 09 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Bangor Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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8 17 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 20 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin Williamsport, &c., 3 08 p. m. Sundays to Easton, High Bridge Branch, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6 38 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 2 27 a. m. 1 14p. m.

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For Perth Amboy, 2 27, 6 32, 8, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, 5 54, p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m.—3 30 p. m.

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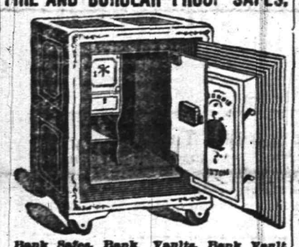

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ITHACA, N. Y., Feb. 27.—The executive committee of Cornell university has passed a resolution, that as it has been stated that the coroner is in doubt whether he has the right to incur any expense for the purpose of employing a special detective to ferret out the agency by which Mrs. Jackson met her death on the occasion of the freshman banquet on Feb. 20, he is authorized to draw on Cornell university treasury for any sum, not at present to exceed $500, for the employment of such detective.

President Schurman, commenting on the matter to a United Press reporter said that a crime had been committed and the university desired, whether the authors be students or not, that the guilty ones be punished.

The latest developments incidental to the tragedy are few and of little importance. Coroner Brown is still working earnestly to unravel the mystery, but declines to make public any further clues until after the sitting of the jury on Thursday morning. Private sessions will be held in the future.

Officers are still unable to locate C. L. Dingens, the missing Buffalo student.

The largest student mass meeting, within the recollection of the present Cornell seniors, was held in the basement of the library yesterday afternoon, to discuss the occurrences connected with the recent banquet. There must have been nearly a thousand students present. The meeting was called by the four class presidents. After organizing, and listening to an address by Mr. Weber, resolutions were adopted deploring the occurrences connected with the banquet, disavowing the acts as acts of individuals unauthorized by any class or body of students in the university, assuring the civil authorities of co-operation in bringing the offenders to justice, censuring the authors of the sensational press reports which have placed the university in a false light, tarnishing its name and fame; expressing the conviction that if freshmen are permitted to continue their banquets they should be held under the protection of the whole study body, that they should be exempt from molestation by any individuals or class, and that all irregular and unregulated contests between under-classmen—all so-called 'milking' affairs and other forms of personal collision—are extremely detrimental in their tendencies and effects to the welfare of the university, and will be discouraged in the future; empowering the student committee on discipline to issue this conviction; and recommending that the athletic council annually appoint a committee composed, preferably, of upper classmen, to arrange and regulate athletic contests between the sophomore and freshman classes, make decisions as to the winners thereof, and, if expedient, provide prizes for the same.

The following was also adopted.

Resolved, That we do strongly condemn attacks upon President Schurman that, directly or indirectly, impute to him any responsibility for these occurrences; and that we extend to him the assurance of our complete and perfect confidence in his ability and judgment, and of our hearty co-operation in his efforts to advance the interests of the university.

A motion that the chairman appoint a committee to investigate the sensational press reports that had gone out in connection with the recent events and to notify the publishers of the various papers of the exact quality of truth they were printing, was carried.

After an exciting session of more than one hour and a half, the meetind adjourned.

Another Lockport Bank Arrest.

LOCKPORT, N. Y., Feb. 27.—President Helmer, of the defunct Merchant's bank here, was arrested late yesterday afternoon on complaint of W. H. Higgs, a stockholder, charged with presenting falsely kept books and accounts to Bank Examiner Clark last September. He was let out on $2,000 bail. The arrest is due to the confession of the ex-cashier, J. J. Arnold.

Another French Duel.

PARIS, Feb. 27.—A duel was fought yesterday between M. Papillard, a writer on the staff of the Libre Parole, and M. Gustave-Adolphe Hubbard, member of the chamber of deputies for Seine-et-Oise, in which the latter was wounded. The duel was caused by an article, written by M. Papillard reflecting on Deputy Hubbard.

Salyards to Die Thursday.

CARLISLE, Pa., Feb. 27.—Next Thursday is the day fixed for the execution of Charles Salyards, the murderer of Policeman Martin, and the necessary arrangements are about complete. Salyards has been very ill for several days past, a general breaking down as the day of his doom approaches.

Jersey Senatorial Muddle.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 27.—The part of the attorney general in the quo warranto proceedings before the supreme court to determine which of the two senates of New Jersey is the constitutional body, has closed. The inquiry is still in progress to-day.

To Investigate Charges.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The secretary of war has sent an officer to Fort Wadsworth, N. Y., to investigate charges of intemperance against Lieutenant Colonel A. C. Wilbrick. Col. Wilbrick is now eligible for retirement under the 30 years service law.

Peach Buds Destroyed.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 27.—W. M. Britton, who has fifty acres in peaches, about 7,500 trees, in the town of Greece, says Sunday's cold snap destroyed the dormant peach buds.

Said to Have Been 127 Years Old.

FAIRPORT, N. Y., Feb. 27.—Miss Nancy Armstrong, colored, for many years a servant in J. W. Cook's family, who died Sunday, was, it is claimed, 127 years old.

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THE HAWAIIAN MATTER.

Majority and Minority Reports of the Senate Committee.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—A volume of nearly 800 printed pages, exclusive of maps, was laid before the senate, representing the testimony taken by the senate committee on foreign relations and their findings of facts thereon, under a resolution directing them to inquire whether any, and if so, what irregularities have occurred in the diplomatic intercourse between the United States and Hawaii in relation to the recent revolution.

The report of the majority of the committee was prepared by the chairman, Mr. Morgan of Alabama. It exhaustively reviews the facts, the laws and precedents, justifies Mr. Stevens' actions excepting in proclaiming a protectorate, and finds nothing irregular in the appointment of Mr. Blount, but in effect says the evidence taken by the committee under more favorable circumstances leads the committee to different conclusions than those which he formed.

This report is concurred in as to all its essential findings by the republican members of the committee, Senators Sherman, Frye, Dolph and Davis, making a majority of the committee. They characterize it as an exceedingly able document, but they dissent on several points:

First—They condemn the appointment of Commissioner Blount as unconstitutional.

Second—They say the executive orders placing the navy in the harbor of Honolulu under the orders of Mr. Blount or Mr. Willis were without authority of law.

Third—That the order of Blount to Admiral Skerrett to lower the flag was unlawful and susceptible of being construed as unfriendly to the provisional government, and they regard the intercourse of Mr. Blount and Mr. Willis with the deposed queen as violative of international law and unwarranted.

Fourth—They consider the president had no right to reopen the pre determined legality of the provisional government.

The report of the minority, signed by Senators Butler, Turpie, Daniel and Gray, without denying or conceding the correctness of other portions of the report, dissents from that portion of it "which declares that the only substantial irregularity in the conduct of Mr. Stevens, the late minister, was his declaration of a protectorate by the United States over Hawaii."

Senators Butler and Turpie file a supplemental report in which they say that while the question of annexation was not submitted to the committee, excepted incidentally, they think it not improper to say they are heartily in favor of the acquisition of these islands by the United States in a proper manner, but not by taking advantage of internal dissentions for which they believe the United States in some manner responsible.

WIMAN PLEADED NOT GUILTY.

His $25,000 Bail Continued Until His Trial.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Erastus Wiman, indicted for forgery in the second degree on two counts, pleaded not guilty before Judge Martine in the court of general sessions. The defendant did not utter a word when arraigned at the bar of the court. General Tracy, his counsel, who stood beside him, pleaded not guilty for him.

"We plead not guilty, of course," said Gen. Tracy in a matter-of-fact-tone. "I suppose," he added, after a moment, "that you consider the present bail large enough and will discharge him on bail."

"Yes," said Judge Martine, "I will discharge the defendant on bail until trial. I consider it large enough."

It has not yet been decided in the district-attorney's office when the case will come to trial, but it is expected some time during the April term.

Professor Phelps Much Better.

NEW HAVEN, Feb. 27. — Prof. Phelps of Yale, ex-minister to England, passed another restful night and is much stronger.

SNOW, SLEET AND WIND

Yesterday's Great Storm Was the Most Severe of the Winter.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Straight as an arrow down the northeast, with a savage retinue of bitter winds, vicious biting sleet and bewildering snow squalls, the storm that swooped down on the city Sunday night, and continued during all of yesterday and well into the night proved to be the storm of the season. Pelted by snow, assailed by dashing, scampering squalls of sleet, the city found it a day of tribulation and trial. Then along came a fog of unusual density. Ferries were delayed, and in some cases practically suspended; ocean traffic, so far as this harbor was concerned, was wholly abandoned; while in the city every method of transportation, from the lumbering, ramshackle horse car to the puffing and panting "L" trains, were run on whatever schedule the wild storm condescended to permit.

Down the bay and beyond the Narrows the high winds kicked the waters up into raging seas that made travel upon them unpleasant and not altogether safe. Tugs that have faced all kinds of weather remained discreetly tied up at their wharves in this city, and only the stoutest of them ventured out. Ships at anchor in the bay had a hard time and succeeded in riding the gale through only by desperate effort. All the schooners and barges anchored between Bedlos and Ellis islands dragged their anchors, but, though there were several narrow escapes, no serious accidents occurred. Only two steamships managed to reach port and no sailing vessel of any description entered or left port.

The wires between the Highlands, Sandy Hook, Quarantine and this city were so seriously embarrassed that no messages could be sent or received over them. The coast patrol was on duty every minute after the storm set in, and a message from them said no accidents had occurred.

The wind reached a velocity of 50 miles an hour along the Jersey coast last night and all wires in that direction were down.

From all parts of the east come reports of the intensity of the storm. Country roads are entirely closed in some quarters, wires are down and trains away behind time.

No fatalities have been reported yet.

REBEL SHIP VENUS SUNK.

Her Magazine Exploded By a Sailor's Carelessness Daring Engagement.

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RIO JANEIRO, Feb. 23, via Montevideo, Feb. 27.—The insurgent steamer Venus was off Engenho island early this morning, bombarding the government forts at Madama point. Her ammunition was stored in a magazine constructed with bags of sugar piled high from the floor and about seven feet thick on every side. A sailor who was taking a shell from the magazine dropped it on the floor. The shell exploded and the magazine was blown up. The sailor who dropped the shell was instantly killed and several other men were injured. Everything near the magazine was wrecked and a hole was torn in the side of the vessel. She began filling at once, rolled slowly to starboard, and soon afterward went to the bottom. The crew was saved by small boats from the insurgent steamer Jupiter.

Several newspapers published at once a story to the effect that a shell from the government fort at Madama point exploded the Venus's magazine. This falsehood was made out of whole cloth as the fort had not fired a shot during the half hour preceding the explosion.

WANTED AS A WITNESS.

McKane Safe From Sing Sing for a Day or So Yet.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Feb. 27.—John Y. McKane, the convicted Gravesend ex-political leader, whom Judge Cullen yesterday denied a stay of proceedings pending an appeal of his case, will not be taken to Sing Sing for a few days at least, even if his attorneys do not succeed in finding a judge willing to grant their appeal, and they are said to be hustling more than ever, if possible, to secure the coveted stay.

McKane is to be called by the defense as a witness in the case of Kenneth F. Sutherland, the indicted Gravesend justice, and before Judge Cullen it was arranged that he should be produced, Col. Lamb stating that the state would not oppose his being brought into court. The jury in Sutherland's case was secured last night, and the taking of testimony will begin to-day. Just when McKane will be called is not known, but it is probable that he may be put on the stand some time to-morrow.

Judge Dykman Refuses.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Feb. 27.—Late last evening Lawyer Jonchenson, on behalf of Colonel E. C. James, special counsel for Jonh Y. McKane, made application to Judge Dykman for an order to show cause why a certificate of reasonable doubt should not be issued, pending an appeal in the McKane case to the general term. Justice Dykman refused absolutely to grant the order and hear argument in the case. Mr. Joschenson made a most forcible plea to Judge Dykman, but it had no weight with the court.

Bessie Bellwood Held for Trial.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Bessie Bellwood, the well-known London music hall singer, has been held for trial in $300 bail on the charge of assaulting her maid, Lizzie Crook. The singer, according to the maid's testimony, slapped her face, struck her several times with a shoe and afterward with a satchel.

Passed Money to the Coughlin Jury.

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—Bailiff Newland, formerly in charge of the Coughlin jury and latterly of the defendant, has been suspended by Sheriff Gilbert pending an investigation of his action in transmitting money to the jurors from their friends.

James A. Garfield.

"If the power to do hard work is not talent, it is the best substitute for it." If you are not talented, don't fret, you can obtain power by eating

H-O Hornby's Oatmeal

It is easily assimilated and delicious in flavor. I heartily recommend it to athletes.
GEO. GOLDIE,
Director Athletics,
New York Athletic Club.

THE H-O COMPANY, NEW YORK.

PUSHING THE TARIFF

Democratic Senators Will Confer Again To-day.

Considerable Progress Expected to Be Made—Sugar Still the Bone of Contention — Louisiana Men Demand Too Much—Precious Stones On the Free List, it is Said.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The democratic senators met in conference twice yesterday without reaching a positive conclusion in any matter connected with the tariff bill. They did, however, take a long stride in the direction of getting together and it is probable that at the meeting to-day, much progress will be made.

The discussion was on general lines and was freely participated in. No proposition of any sort was put to the conference and no vote was taken, but before the bill is laid before the finance committee, every disputed schedule will be disposed of and action taken that will insure the united support of the party.

Sugar to-day, as it was in the past, was a bone of contention, and while the committee has gone some distance to meet the sugar men, they have not, as those senators look at it, gone far enough. The terms of but few schedules have been made public. This committee offered a duty of one cent a pound on raw sugar and an additional one-eighth of a cent on refined. Louisiana senators made vigorous efforts for more duty. The democratic senators are convinced they must give a duty but are opposed to yielding the cent and a-half the Louisiana men demand.

It is definitely settled that coal will have a duty of fifty cents a ton. A number of other changes have also been made by transfers from the free to the dutiable list of such articles as will raise revenue. Some very important changes have been made, however, to the free list, and it is said that diamonds and other precious stones uncut, which have given a revenue of a million dollars a year are stricken from the dutiable list. The lead men derive little satisfaction from the situation, for it is now said that lead of all descriptions and lead ore together with all lead products, are to be put on the free list.

HIS CONDITION UNCHANGED.

Mr. Wilson Holding His Own and as Comfortable as is Possible.

MEXICO, Feb. 27.—Congressman William L. Wilson, who is still ill with typhoid fever in Guadalajara, is holding his own. His physician says that he is as comfortable as could be expected at the present stage of the disease. Mr. Wilson's condition has not changed since yesterday.

Coming East for an Alleged Murderess.

RACINE, Wis., Feb. 27.—Sheriff Beatty, of Racine county, left for Brooklyn, N. Y., at noon armed with a warrant for the arrest of Mrs. Margaret Groenke-Maier for the murder of her husband, Herman Groenke. He has secured extradition papers from Gov. Peck.

BROOKLYN, Feb. 27.—Michal Maier and his wife, formerly Mrs. Herman Groenke, of Racine, Wis., who is said to be wanted in Racine for the alleged poisoning of her first husband, are still attending to business in their Glenmore avenue butter shop. The Maiers laugh at the poisoning story, and Mrs. Maier even seems anxious to be arrested.

Church Difficulty Settled.

PASSAIC, N. J., Feb. 27.—The dispute between Bishop Wigger and the congregation of St. Mary's Slavonian church has been amicably settled. The church members claimed that the bishop tried to force Father Kviatkowsky upon them as their pastor. He punished them for their refusal to accept him by locking up the church funds. As a new building was being erected this inconvenienced them greatly, so they concluded to accept Father Kviatkowsky on the understanding that it will be a temporary arrangement. The bishop will send them a priest of their own race as soon as possible.

A Very Black Sheep.

BALLSTON SPA, N. Y., Feb. 27.—Henry W. Heartt, of Waterford, has just been sentenced to five years in Dannemora prison, having pleaded guilty in the court of sessions to grand larceny in the second degree. He is the only son of the late Dr. P. T. Heartt, a wealthy and respected citizen of Waterford, but in early youth developed traits that later confirmed him as a criminal. He has served terms in Illinois and Tennessee prisons. He has been suspected of numerous crimes and in one or two instances evaded conviction through compromise. He is 24 years old.

Bosham Changes His Flagship.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The state department has received a cable message from Rear-Admiral Benham, at Rio, reporting that he has transferred his flag from the San Francisco to the New York. The reason for this change in flagships is not given by the admiral, but it is apparent at the navy department that he wishes to allow the San Francisco a chance to go outside the harbor while the yellow fever exists here.

An Entire Village to Be Sold.

FINDLAY, O., Feb. 27.—The village of Harris City, ten miles west of this city, is bankrupt and will be appraised and sold at sheriff's sale. Nearly the entire village is owned by the Exchange bank of Ottawa, which recently failed.

Big Spoke Factory Resumes.

GALLATIN, Tenn., Feb. 27.—The Gallatin Manufacturing company, the largest spoke and handle manufacturing company in the south, has resumed operations on full time after an enforced idleness of six months.

Mr. Quincy Not to Be Appointed.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—It is authentically ascertained that the rumor that Mr. Josiah Quincy was to be appointed collector at Boston is without foundation.

Kearsarge Investigation.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Feb. 27.—The board of inquiry investigating the matter of the wreck of the Kearsarge began hearing witnesses at the navy yard this morning.

A RUN ON THE BANK.

HOW ABOUT THE DAILY BALANCE OF NERVOUS ENERGY!

From January to May a Serious Period—The Necessity of a True Food for the Nerves and Blood—What Paine's Celery Compound Has Done—The Case of Mr. Glaze.

From January until May there is a fearful demand made on one's stock of health—fevers, pulmonary troubles and the host of cold weather ills quickly bring down the vitality and expend the nervous force. Those with an insufficient reserve of vigor and nervous energy fall winter vic-

MR. GLAZE.

tims to contagious diseases and to special diseases of liver, stomach and kidneys.

Weakness is an element of all diseases. Faulty nutrition of some important part the United States and Canada, in every village and town where there is a good physician.

Little blood is sent to the tired organs, and nutrition and strength alike fail.

A grateful sense of activity comes after a few days' taking of this remarkable remedy, and one feels again fit for every duty, mentally and bodily.

"The danger of thus overtaxing the centres which manufacture the nervous energy is impossible to estimate," said a wise physician. One longs to hear some authoritative voice call out: Stop! Stop!"

Paine's Celery Compound is prepared to exactly meet the urgent needs of an overworked, feeble system. People with feeble circulation who habitually have cold hands and feet, people who are never well the aged and the young, feel at once that celery compound is the effete of an increased power.

Salisbury's Amendment Rejected.

LONDON, Feb. 27.—A division was taken on the lords' amendments to the parish councils bill in the house of commons last night enabling parishes of from 200 to 300 inhabitants to dispense with parish councils, and it was rejected, 312 to 161. This is the amendment offered by Lord Salisbury last Friday in the house of lords. Concessions made by the commons virtually complete the accord between the houses. The sitting was adjourned until Thursday when parliament will be prorogued.

Pugilist Costello in Canada.

TORONTO, Feb. 27.—Martin Costello, the pugilist, who fled from Chicago to escape punishment for engaging in a prize fight at Hobyland in this city. He says that when he went to Chicago recently, he found that his case would not come up for a rehearing for some weeks and decided to return to Canada. He will remain here for a few days and then go to Montreal.

Maggie Bennett Suit Appealed.

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 27.—The Clark Thread company has obtained a writ of error to carry the Maggie Bennett suit to the supreme court. Miss Bennett is the young woman who had her arm torn out by being caught in the machinery of the factory, and who obtained a verdict for $15,000 damages against the company.

Want the Vote Delayed.

DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 27.—The house has adopted a resolution asking a postponement of the final vote in congress on the Wilson bill until after the next election, to give the people a chance to decide the question.

Back to Jacksonville to Stand Trial.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—After the close of the performance of his theatrical company last night, Champion Corbett and party and Charlie Mitchell and Billy Thompson left on the Richmond & Danville short line for Jacksonville where the pugilists are to stand trial for prize fighting.

Mr. Harrison Off for California.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 27.—Ex-President Harrison and party have started for the Pacific coast. They occupied a special car—combination and sleeping car—exquisitely decorated for their accommodation and comfort.

Boston Prepared for Trouble To-day.

BOSTON, Feb. 27.—All the reserve men of the police department are on duty to-day at their respective stations as a precaution against possible trouble which may arise from the demonstration of the unemployed.

An Heiress Located.

BOSTON, Feb. 27.—Miss May L. Rhodes, who is said to be an heiress to a $10,000 interest in the Mirror Saloon block on Kearney street, San Francisco, has been located in Lowell, Mass.

Iron Works Start Up.

WEST CHESTER, Pa., Feb. 27.—The Parkesburg iron works have resumed work, employing 300 Hungarians. The works have been idle all winter.

No More Furloughs for Cadets.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Secretaries Herbert and Lamont have issued orders forbidding football matches between military cadets of West Point and the naval cadets at Annapolis, on the grounds that trips from one place to another to play ball seriously interfere with study and discipline. The cadets may play among themselves on their home grounds however.

THE DAILY PRESS.

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CIRCULATION EXCEEDS THAT OF ALL OTHER PLAINFIELD DAILIES COMBINED.

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY.

The Democratic voters of North Plainfield Township and Borough are requested to meet in the basement of the School House on Friday, March 2, 1894, to elect candidates for Township and Borough offices. By order of

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Building and Loan Associations.

Building and loan associations have become very popular in late years and have been the means of teaching people of moderate means lessons in economy and enabling them to become owners of their homes instead of paying rent. Directed and managed with business prudence, they are great factors in promoting the growth and adding to the wealth of a town or city. No sooner were their usefulness and popularity demonstrated than their idea was seized upon by speculators throughout the country, and so called "national" associations sprang up thicker than mushrooms after an autumn rain.

The conservative and safe methods of the local associations were improved upon to such an extent that, according to prospectuses of the "nationals," the money of the investor would double and treble itself in an incredibly short time, while the borrower could procure loans at rates that were much more liberal and the payments a great deal easier to meet than those of his home organization. And they produced figures to prove it too. But practical experience has proved to the investor that figures will lie on some occasions.

These national concerns are managed by high salaried officers who are housed in elegant quarters. They advertise in costly periodicals and deluge the country with circulars and pamphlets printed in the most expensive manner. A local agent in almost every town receives a liberal compensation for soliciting membership, and yet many unthinking people allow themselves to be convinced that they are able to profitably make larger returns for their investment than the home association, the entire expense of which is less per annum than the salary of the janitor who cares for the offices of the national concern.

Hundreds of these corporations have gone to the wall in the past few years, entailing the loss of thousands of dollars to those who could ill afford to stand it. Yet there are still many more in existence, some of them financially sound, it is true, which are annually taking thousands of dollars out of the community where it belongs and wasting it elsewhere. These companies have been well named "rich men's companies." They are promoted and fostered by capitalists, who use the monthly stipend of the workingman and man of moderate means to augment their own bank account.

Saying nothing of local pride and the advantage to be gained by keeping one's savings in his own community, business sense should teach any one that these expensively conducted companies, with their costly payroll, cannot honestly offer the inducements for a safe investment that the local association, with its economical methods of management, can.

Tit For Tat.

The parson was complimenting the tailor on some mending which he had done for him. In the course of the conversation he, however, incautiously observed: "When I want a good coat, I go to London. They make them there." Before leaving the shop he inquired, "By the way, do you attend my church?"

"No," replied the tailor. "When I want to hear a good sermon, I go up to London. They preach them there."

BY THE WAY.

—Butcher Connolly of Watchung avenue, drove a tandem today.

—The beautiful snow and ice effects brought out a number of photographers this morning.

—The funeral services of the late Henry Crugier will be held in New York Thursday afternoon.

—Warrants are out for Aaron Brower and a Negro named Jackson, for stealing a wagon in Scotch Plains.

—Justice Nodyne today adjourned for one week the case on contract of Frank L. C. Martin against Charles C. Lister.

—In the livery stable of D. S. Roberts a new carriage, made by an Iowa firm, is being fitted up to convey Chief Doane to fires.

—Tomorrow noon at 12, H. Hand, the auctioneer, will sell at auction the entire contents of Swalm's paint store, 108 North avenue.

—The case on contract of Schwertz, Mansbech & Co. against John E. Beerbower will come up in Justice Nodyne's court March 5.

—John Bicknell again engaged in a runaway this morning, his horse becoming frightened at the trolley and throwing him from a sleigh.

—Street Commissioner Meeker ordered the Street Railway Company this morning to level the banks of snow piled up by the use of the scraper.

—Rev. Dr. Richards, who has just returned from Mexico, has kindly consented to address the Women's Home Missionary Society of the Park Avenue Baptist Church March 8, at 8 p. m. All are invited.

—A public line of four-in-hand coaches is to be run between Philadelphia and New York by swagger young Quaker City swells. The coaches will pass through Trenton, Princeton, Elizabeth and Newark.

How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward or any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

West & Truax, wholesale druggists, Toledo, O.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. a bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free. 7 30 3y

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—E. R. Collins of Westfield is a candidate for the lay judgeship.

—The South Plainfield stage did not run yesterday afternoon because of the storm.

—On the Board of Trade alleys tonight a ten-men team will bowl with the Americas, of Newark.

—Two carts were employed today in carrying snow from Park avenue to Stiger's alley, near the brook.

—The degree team of Somerset Council, No. 104, Jr. O. U. A. M., practised initiation on a dummy last night.

—The Epworth League will hold its regular monthly meeting in Vincent Chapel Friday evening, March 2.

—A leaky roof is causing dissatisfaction among the occupants of the rooms of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P.

—At the meeting tonight of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., a report on the re-union day exercises is expected.

—Justice Mosher this morning issued a summons, returnable March 7, in the case on contract of Moore against Smith.

—The telephone service, so badly crippled by the storm, is being restored to its normal excellence as rapidly as possible.

—Through the agency of Van Buren & Timpson, John Weir's house on Rockview avenue has been leased to a New York party.

—At the regular monthly meeting of the Independent Fife and Drum Corps this evening one new member will be received.

—Manager Charles Runyon of the telephone service had a glove burned on his hand by contact with the trolley current yesterday.

—Justice Nash this morning issued a summons in the case, demand on premises, of French against Mattis. The trial will be held March 5.

—Communion services will be held in the First M. E. Church next Sunday, during which time a number of persons will unite with the church.

—The awning in front of the hardware store of Zimmerman & Bumpf, West Front street, was smashed by snow falling from the roof this morning.

—The large smokestack on Brown's Woolen Mills in Somerville was blown over by the wind yesterday morning, and the works were shut down for repairs.

—Delay in delivering coal, caused by the difficulty of unloading it from automatic wagons when frozen, added to the discomforts of the cold weather and storm yesterday.

—The State League shooting teams will meet in Marion tomorrow. The Climax Gun Club will send D. H. Terry, Charles Smith, Neaf Apgar, T. H. Keller and Thomas Brantingham.

—In the game tonight on the Dunellen alleys the ten men who will bowl against the Pioneers of Elizabeth will be Giles, Neal, Krewson, Young, Case, Waters, Sanford, Voehl, Sheppard and Taylor.

—A road scraper drawn by horses was used on the tracks of the street railway all night, and the cars were run every two hours to keep the way clear. The cars ran on regular time after 6:30 this morning.

—Pastor T. A. V. Henry announce that Mt. Zion A. M. E. Church, which formerly met on West Third street, will meet hereafter in the Republican Headquarters, East Front street, opposite the post-office.

—A young woman who was waiting for a cab she had ordered yesterday, afforded amusement by mistaking a private carriage for the expected hack, clambering in and giving haughty instructions to the astonished driver.

—Hackman Dennis O'Brien started from the North Avenue station after the arrival of the 4:31 train yesterday afternoon, and was stopped by the breaking of the harness. His passengers walked back and obtained another carriage.

—Central Railroad Engine 385 left Jersey City at 1:32 yesterday afternoon drawing a special train with railroad officers. It passed Plainfield at 2:08. The run from Bound Brook to Wayne Junction, 55 miles, was made in 50 minutes.

—Herbert Chamberlain had a tough time caring for the fire-alarm wires yesterday. He was frequently attacked by cramps while climbing poles, and at one time was so exhausted at the top of a pole that he was in great danger of falling. He kept pluckily at work, however, and thanks to his excellent work the circuits are all in fine condition again.

—Plainfield, snowclad and icebound, was a glorious sight under the bright sun today. The trees were a mass of glistening crystal, and the glasswork shimmering and crackling in the breezes made one dodge involuntarily from the anticipated fragment-bath. But 't was too tough to break, and it remained for the sun to dissolve the enchantment in vapor.

—The poor people of Dunellen and Greenbrook take it as a great hardship that Detective Corsa singles them out and arrests them for taking the leavings from empty coal trains when persons who actually take coal from loaded cars are left unpunished. They think it significant that Detective Corsa is in the wrong when he was afraid to take to jail one man for whom commitment was made.

A SURGEON'S KNIFE

gives you a feeling of horror and dread. There is no longer necessity for its use in many diseases formerly regarded as incurable without cutting.

The Triumph of Conservative Surgery

is well illustrated by the fact that **RUPTURE** or Breach, is now radically cured without the knife and without pain. Clumsy, chafing trusses can be thrown away. They never cure but often induce inflammation, strangulation and death.

TUMORS Ovarian, Fibroid (Uterine) and many others, are now removed without the perils of cutting operations.

PILE TUMORS, however large, **Fistula** and other diseases of the lower bowel, are permanently cured without pain or resort to the knife.

STONE in the Bladder, no matter how large, is crushed, pulverized, washed out and perfectly removed without cutting.

STRICTURE of Urinary Passage is also removed without cutting in hundreds of cases. For pamphlet, references and all particulars, send 10 cents (in stamps) to World's Dispensary Medical Association, 663 Main St., Buffalo, N. Y.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Louis Kline, of Craig place, is quite seriously ill.

Garrett VanWinkle, of Madison avenue, is still improving.

Miss Berkshire, of New York city, is visiting Miss Nettie Kreitling, of West Front street.

Miss Hattie Polhemus, of Jersey City, is the guest of Miss Nellie McGinnis, of Somerset street.

Mrs. Edia I. Kelley of Newark has been visiting her mother, Mrs. John C. Smalley, of Maple avenue.

The infant daughter of E. E. Vail of Elmwood place was much improved in health this morning.

Miss Mabel Schenck, of Somerville, who has been visiting friends in Plainfield, returned home yesterday.

D. A. Bowman, superintendent and candy maker for B. T. Barnes, was out today after a few-days illness.

Walter S. Gibson spent Sunday at his home on West Second street, but returned to Hoboken in the evening.

Rev. S. P Simpson, rector of the Church of Our Saviour, Netherwood, will preach in All Saints Church, Fanwood, Wednesday evening at 8.

Carl Kaerth of East Second street came on from Brooklyn yesterday to attend to legal matters and returned today to remain till April 1.

Rev. Edward Klonka preached with such gratifying success to the Bound Brook German Lutherans in the Congregational Church chapel Sunday that he is encouraged to continue the services each Sunday.

Telegrams were received in Plainfield last evening and this morning, telling of the sudden serious illness of Mrs. Avis Mosher Laing, who is visiting at the home of her son, A. M. Laing, 60 I street, N.E., Washington, D. C.

Sunday afternoon, March 18, at 4, Miss Louise Myer, daughter of Henry Myer, will be married to Peter Burnett by Rev. George Bowers. The ceremony will take place at Mr. Burnett's home in Washington Valley. A number of Plainfielders will attend. The couple will spend two weeks on a wedding trip and then settle in the Valley.

Superintendent John Adelman, of the Street Railway, contemplates a short sojourn at the Lake Hester Hotel, Emporia, Volusia County, Florida. The hotel is kept by a friend of Mr. Adelman named Mr. Taeterow. With hunting deer and quail, and good fishing, and good company, Mr. Adelman will spend a few weeks in this healthy country.

Rowland M. Stover was stricken with heart trouble yesterday, and for a time his condition was so serious that his sons in New York were telegraphed for and three physicians were summoned. Thanks to the good offices of the Doctors Hedges and Dr. Murray he has rallied from the attack and is now resting comfortably. His wife, who fell from a stepladder in the bath room and severely bruised her side against a bath tub, is still in bed, but improving.

MR. COKEFAIR WHOLLY INNOCENT.

He Repudiates Utterly the Slanders of the New York World.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Permit me to denounce as wholly false and libelous the statements of the New York World referred to in your issue of last evening associating my name with a so-called syndicate of individuals and corporations engaged in floating questionable paper and securities among various banks and financial institutions throughout the country. I have been a resident of Plainfield for the past twelve years, and trust I am sufficiently well and favorably known among my neighbors to defend myself against these false statements of the World newspaper by a simple yet absolute denial of them on my part. Suffice it to say that there is no such syndicate in existence and never has been; that a number of the individuals and business concerns named as being associated with it I have never even heard of before; while those whom I do know are engaged in various business enterprises which are entirely legitimate and above any possible suspicion.

C. C COKEFAIR.

Plainfield, Feb. 27, 1894.

Death of Dr. Duncan Vail.

The death of Duncan P. Vail, M. D., occurred in New Market this morning. He was 65 years old. The funeral will be Thursday morning at 10:30

Dr. Vail was son-in-law of the late Peter C. Onderdonk of Plainfield, and his father was one of New Market's oldest residents.

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1

Runaway Boys.

Chief of Police Grant was notified by telephone last night that the authorities in Elizabeth held two boys who claimed to be runaways from Plainfield. They said they were brothers named Traynor living at 400 Franklin place. Benjamin Bowers lives at the number mentioned, and with them a Mrs. Traynor. She has a son who was placed in an East Orange orphan asylum, and this afternoon she went to Elizabeth to see if one of the boys were he.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

SCRUB and WASH as you will, it is not easy to keep the hands smooth and white in winter time. In fact, the more you scrub and wash, the rougher seems the skin, and you find that the best of soap fails to whiten it. Now if, after washing, you will moisten your hands with LEMON JUICE AND GLYCERINE, the effect will be to soften and whiten the skin, even in the worst weather. Used by hundreds of the "best people" in Plainfield. Originated and sold only by H. P. REYNOLDS, Pharmacist, Park and North avenues.

Shooting at Fanwood.

A twenty-five live-bird match for $50 a side will be shot on the Climax Gun Club grounds, at Benner's Fanwood Road House, Thursday, March 1, at 1 p. m., between Frank Henry, of Newark, and Charles Scott, of Woodbridge. There will be sweepstake shooting immediately after the match, with plenty of good live birds. Charles Smith will have charge.

The healing and purifying qualities of Salvation Oil render it the best article for the speedy cure of ulcerated sores. 25c.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1 00

DEATHS.

AYERS—In this city Feb. 25, 1894, Pearl E., daughter of Alonzo S. and Ella Ayers, aged 1 year, 4 months and 2 days.
Funeral services from the residence of her parents, No. 219 Grant avenue, Wednesday, Feb. 28, at 5 o'clock. Interment private. 2

LOYD—In North Plainfield Monday, Feb. 26, 1894, Elizabeth S., wife of the late Isaac Loyd, aged 93 years, 6 months and 12 days.
Funeral services from her late residence, 65 Washington avenue, Thursday, March 1, at 2:30 p. m.

VAIL—At New Market, N. J., on Tuesday morning, Feb. 27, 1894, entered into rest Duncan P. Vail, M. D., in the 65th year of his age.
Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral service on Thursday, March 1, at 10:30 a. m. 2

VAIL—At his home, Greenbrook, Somerset Co., Monday, Feb 26, 1894, Edward R. Vail, aged 74 years, 2 months and 7 days.
Friends and relatives are invited to attend his funeral from the Friends' Meeting House, Watchung avenue, Thursday afternoon, March 1, at 2 o'clock. 2

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

WANTED—Girl for general housework; two in family. Apply 817 First place. 2 27 2

FOR SALE, rent or exchange for a farm; the place where I live at Evona, 2 blocks from depot, consisting of 5 acres, house 8 rooms, large barns, stalls for 20 horses and cows. Wallace Vail. 2 27 tf

DOG LOST—Small white bull terrier; name of owner, S. S. Guion, on collar. Reward given if returned to 319 Carlton avenue.

WANTED—A child to board; good home; reliable person. Address D., care Press. 2 27 2

SERVANTS wanting the best situations apply to Mrs. Corwin, 315 Park ave.

FINE young cow and calf for sale. Apply to W. H. Rogers, above Washington ville. 2 27 6

STABLE to let on East 4th street. Apply Quinn's blacksmith shop. 2 27 tf

GIRL wants a situation to do general housework or upstairs work and waitress. Apply 75 Grandview avenue.

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THE GREY MARE.

THAT'S THE PLAY CHOSEN TO BE ACTED BY PLAINFIELD THESPIANS.

Early in April the Ambitious Amateurs Will Hold Forth in the Casino—Favorites in the Leading Roles—Gossip of Society.

After confining themselves to Bronson Howard's dramas for a number of years, with an occasional entree in the shape of a farce, Plainfield players are about to attempt pure comedy, and propose to give, if everything goes well, one of the charming plays that have lured so many large audiences to the Lyceum Theatre in New York. After some wire pulling, Mr. Frohman gave permission—for a consideration, of course—to have "The Grey Mare" produced in the Casino this Spring. The parts have already been cast, and unless something unforseen happens the performance will certainly take place after Easter. There has been so much theatrical dry and so little wool that one almost hesitates to announce any proposed venture until it is an established fact, and in truth no less than three other plays have been proposed and have progressed up to the stage of casting the piece before going out in a puff of smoke. However, everyone sincerely hopes that there may be nothing in the way of this newest Thespian departure, as we have had by far too little in the theatrical line this winter. The date of the performance has been placed in the second week in April, as there is hardly time to prepare an ambitious play by Easter week. As to the cast, it is interesting to note that Mrs. Joseph Parker Mason and Mrs. William L. Saunders will take the principal feminine parts. The men are, for the chief parts, W. R. Cock, Constantine P. Ralli and some imported friends of the propagators of the scheme. As to coach and manager, since Harry Blake has decided not to favor Plainfield again his brother John has consented to fill the position. John Blake has acted before Plainfield audiences many times, but he has never managed here. He was seen in "Esmeralda", and as "Mr. Winthrop" in "Young Mrs. Winthrop", in the Casino, and as "Mr. Bristowe" in "The Prompter's Box" at Mr. and Mrs. Ralli's last Winter. If he succeeds as a coach as well as his brother did it will be surprising, as his chief characteristics as an actor seem to lie in absolute self-possession and a tendency to take liberties with his lines. His brother is an actor of no small merit, and showed Plainfield what he could do even in the small parts that he essayed while coaching plays here. The Comedy Club of New York, of which John Blake is a prominent member, gave "The Grey Mare" a while ago with great success, and Plainfield Thespians should reap the benefit of their experience in reproducing it here.

By far the most important reason that so many of the plays planned failed to come off is that there has been no organization among Plainfield amateurs. What activity there has been is all owing to the enthusiasm of a few individuals who came forward one or two at a time with their plans and projects. When it has happened that two separate factions brought their plans forward at the same time it has resulted naturally in all sorts of workings at cross-purposes. Over a year ago there were two performances given in one night, one at Netherwood and one in the Casino. As the Netherwood theatricals were entirely private, and admission was by invitation only, the attendance was not injured by the simultaneous performance in the Casino; and while the Casino held a good audience it would undoubtedly have been larger had there been but the one attraction, as the guests who attended the Ralli entertainment were from those who are most conspicuous in their patronage of the Casino theatricals. Only this year much labor was lost, and trouble and thought were caused, by a similar occurrence which luckily did not go as far as having the performances arranged for the same date, but only caused some bad feeling between those interested. It is obvious that organization would do away with all such trouble, and while there would undoubtedly be much schism and contention in such an aggregation of talent it would at least burn itself out within the confines of the club and have no worse results than discussion among the members.

The Netherwood Thursday evening card club that was spoken of in these columns a week or two ago is torn with internal contention. It seems that there are two factions in the club, but the division did not occur until the organization had been in existence some time. The subject of the contention is said to be noise, and the factions may be called for convenience the howlers and the anti-howlers. The anti-howlers are those who are fond of the games of whist and bumblepuppy (both are played, I am told, and sometimes at the same table); while the howlers believe that more real joy can be extracted from the games of "speculation", "old maid" and "tiddledi-winks" than from the more intellectual operation of trumping one's partner's trick. The trouble arose in the first place on account of the noise made by the howlers in the pursuit of pleasure in the playing of the above-mentioned games. The whisters said they could not play intelligently with such a bedlam around them. Accordingly, their tables were placed in a room by themselves and the whisters say that the movement was made in a spirit of irony. But the simple movement of the tables did not suffice, as the wild screams of delight that followed the basketing of an obstinate and elusive tiddledi-wink would go through any ordinary door. "Stone walls do not a prison make, nor iron bars a cage" in the case of these screams, and the result has been that those who play whist and partake of the limited refreshment afterward have been staying at home of late, and not enjoying the small and earlies that form really the only break to the monotony of the season.

There has been some talk of a Lenten sewing class and a series of informal teas to be given consecutive Mondays at one of the large houses on Belvidere avenue, but as yet the plan has not matured. The idea is to have the women sew for charity in the afternoon and the men drop in after the sewing is put away and the teacups are brought out. Music and conversation are to be the features, and the series would be altogether charming could they be carried to a successful issue. The woman whose idea it is, is one of the most charming of hostesses, and everyone hopes that the series may become an accomplished fact.

A propos of the company that was playing in Music Hall all last week, a man well-known in Plainfield society remarked the other day that he was inveigled much against his will into attending one of the matinees with his young son and was prepared to be thoroughly bored. "And do you know"—he said—"there was not a bad actor in the company, and many of them were better than those forming the support of some of the great stars." This criticism was entirely just, and the facts show the condition of the finances of the average theatre-goers all over the country when really good actors are obliged to take positions in cheap companies or go without employment entirely. Seldom during the season in Plainfield does Music Hall hold an audience like those that filled the theatre every night last week. People do appreciate a good "show" when it comes.

THE LOUNGER.

GOSSIP IN THE BOROUGH.

What the Stroller Picks up in His North Plainfield Rambles.

Last day to register, Tuesday next.

More new houses are being erected in Watchung Park.

There is no hope for the recovery of John Bremmer, Sr., of Somerset street.

Henry Rodgers of Wolf Hill, Washingtonville, is soon to take the fourth degree in the Royal Arcanum.

The cost of the coming elections will exceed $700. Under the old law the same would cost less than $200.

E. A. Vermeule and family, of Duer street, will soon occupy the Shepherd homestead on Emily street.

A favorite pastime for some mischievous persons is shooting away the electric light shades in the western end of the borough.

It is acknowledged hereabouts that there has been a serious mistake in placing Jeptha Wagener in the Trenton Insane Asylum.

The elections for borough and township statesmen takes place two weeks from today. The winners are all picked. No books will be made on either election this year.

A theatre party from Warrenville, consisting of the Misses Austin, Bornman, Casanove and Newmiller, with their escorts, attended the Saturday matinee in Music Hall.

The borough speedway is to be rolled, and those who have any kind of roadsters can get a brush anywhere along Mountain avenue while the snow lasts. There's room enough for four abreast all the way from Somerset street to Raymond avenue, over one and a half miles in length. Bring along your trotters.

The article in these columns last week calling attention to the condition of Stephen Marsh, the aged colored citizen whose home is underneath Washington Rock, has been the means of furnishing him with an overcoat and a suit of clothes from Mr. Buel of Manning avenue, besides other donations of a useful nature.

THE STROLLER.

HE'S A PRESS GRADUATE.

Reporter Sykes Winning New Honors in Princeton College.

W. B. McCready Sykes of Scotch Plains, and of the Senior Class at Princeton College, has won new honors from his Alma Mater. Mr. Sykes has already distinguished himself during his college career by winning numerous prizes, and by his success in intercollegiate debate, etc.

On Washington's Birthday he was chosen by his classmates to deliver what may be considered as the oration of the day—albeit of a decidedly humorous character. Mr. Sykes fully justified the choice of his comrades, and kept the audience in a roar of laughter for nearly an hour. He is evidently very popular in college.

A party of Mr. Sykes's friends, from Plainfield and elsewhere, went to Princeton to hear him speak. They were much gratified at the honors paid him, but somewhat surprised at the manners and customs of the collegians, which seemed a trifle free and easy to those accustomed to the dignity and decorum of similar occasions at Harvard College. JUDEX.

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure only 1c a dose; 25c, 50c, $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North ave., opp. station.

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Signed for a Big Shoot.

Wm. Bender, of Tremley, in company with his friend, Aaron Woodruff of Elizabeth, visited Charles Smith yesterday. Mr. Woodruff will shoot Mr. Smith a 100 live-bird match on Al Heritage's Marion Gun Club grounds for $100 a side, March 22. The papers were signed last night.

His First Upset.

Ex-Postmaster Wallace Vail has driven horses all his life, and had the first upset in all his experience this morning. He was passing the corner of Somerset and Front, forgot about the street-car rails, and in turning quickly was overturned. His good horsemanship prevented damage.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY—"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75c. Sold by H. F. Rogers, druggist, Plainfield. 12 6 6m

ADVERTISERS, REFLECT!

COUPON JOURNALISM DISCUSSED.

(Clark W. Bryan in The Paper World.)

The gift-enterprise feature in journalism is a confession that the newspaper employing this method to water its circulation cannot stand on its own merits. The logic of this is so obvious that the gift newspaper loses more on its permanent standing than it gains in temporary circulation by coupon cutting. Advertisers ask what benefit can accrue to them from copies of newspapers purchased in bulk for the sake of the coupons and then sent to the junkman. Readers who are saluted every time they open a paper with the announcement of votes for the most popular policeman, or of alluring gifts of valuable articles, turn from them in weariness and disgust, and sigh for the time when the fakir and cheap jack were not the controlling power in journalism.

In the same line, a prominent New York State paper, which has never felt the necessity for resorting to such means uses pertinent language which is worthy of thoughtful reading. It says: "It is reasonably safe to conclude that there is something wrong with a newspaper which cannot be sold upon its merits. It is not necessary to offer premiums to people to induce them to buy something that they really want and need."

And there is another phase of the matter which is tersely treated by a writer who aims his remarks especially at the newspapers of large circulation which resort to these questionable means. "The newspaper"—he says—"wrongs its public by adoption of the premium offer to gain subscribers and increase its circulation. The charges of its wrongdoing are direct and plain. It adopts premiums that, in a greater or less degree, misrepresent and deceive with false promises of quality and utility and of inexpensiveness: every reader being led by its advertisements to invest *money with the belief that he will receive* something better and more than his money bought reasonably to bring. It adopts premiums that for the past twenty years have been used regularly, in one form or another, by the weekly press, and were run by it until the whole country, outside of the cities and large towns, refused them because of their deceit. It adopts premiums and advertises itself as a seller in its own columns in competition with sellers of other goods whom it invites and who pay for its columns. It sells books, photographs and music today, but it may sell dry goods and groceries tomorrow; it adopts premiums in dishonest competition with all journals, whether of large or small circulation, that seek to build and establish circulation and prosperity on the pure superiority of their news and literary enterprise. The gift-enterprise newspaper is becoming rascally dishonest in this respect."

These are strong words, almost to the border of harshness; but there can be no doubt that they are spoken from a conscientious and an honest motive.

Four Kings of Minstrelsy and a Fascinating Soubrette.

Primrose & West have secured some great artists for their spectacular operatic comedy play, "Monte Carlo", which will appear in Music Hall next Monday night, introducing that peer of all comedians, George Wilson, and the famous Gorman Brothers. Among them is a fascinating little woman of modest disposition. With sparkling eyes, a sweet sympathetic voice, pretty arms, nimble feet, and a charming figure, gifted by nature with a bountiful supply of versatility both musical and dramatic, she is a footlight picture. Miss Annie Suits, who was comparatively unknown a few years ago, has by close application and perseverance grown steadily in her fame and popularity, until today no soubrette has achieved a better reputation. Her efforts are peculiarly her own, and all her movements and manners, besides being artistic, are models of grace and beauty, and place her on the list among the highest of famous comediennes. She will be seen to great advantage in "Monte Carlo", a play particularly well adapted to display her spirited and captivating manners.

Death of E. R. Vail.

Edward R. Vail died yesterday afternoon at 3, in Greenbrook, where he had always lived, at the age of 74, after three-months illness. His birthplace was on the farm adjoining that which he occupied at his death. He was one of Plainfield's old hatters, and for many years worked in Coriell's hat factory in Evona. He leaves a wife and five children, one of whom is Charles Vail of Doane's jewelry store. Decedent was a member of the Hicksite Society of Friends on Watchung avenue. He lived a quiet, unostentatious, useful life—bringing happiness to himself and to those about him. The funeral will be from the Friends Meeting-house Thursday afternoon at 2.

Death of Mrs. E. S. Loyd, Aged 93.

Mrs. Elizabeth S. Loyd, widow of Isaac Loyd, died at her home, 65 Washington avenue, yesterday, aged 93. She had lived in Plainfield for twenty-five years and was well beloved for her gentle disposition and her religious spirit.

Mrs. Loyd lived with two unmarried daughters and a son, Thomas Loyd. A widowed daughter, Mrs. Clapp, lives near her mother's home.

The funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon from the house, Rev. T. Logan Murphy, of Holy Cross Church, officiating.

Death of Henry Cregier.

Henry P. Cregier died at his home on Park avenue at 11 Sunday morning at the age of 38. He had been confined to the house since November by a disease of the liver. He was a contractor in New York for city work and a member of Tammany Hall. Mr. Cregier moved to Plainfield in the Fall of 1888. He leaves a wife and two young sons.

Profit Enough to Pay the Debt.

The fair which was held under the auspices of the Methodist Sunday-school last week, proved so successful that the debt which has been standing since last year against the Sunday-school will be cancelled and a small balance left.

—The last league game on the Park alleys will be played against the Elizabeth Athletic Club tonight.

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GLORIOUS HARVEST OF LITERATURE.

Col. Higginson Gives a Delightful Lecture to a Cultured Plainfield Audience.

Thomas Wentworth Higginson lectured in the Casino last night under the auspices of the Monday Afternoon Club on "The Growth of American Periodical Literature". The storm interfered with the size of the audience, but did not lessen the interest shown by those present in the address of the gifted writer.

The lecturer said that there was no country on the globe where literature and writers were more highly appreciated than in the United States, but that the development of this feeling had not started immediately after the early settlements.

Grecian literature had a foundation of poetic tradition while the Roman arose in apparently the most unfavorable surroundings, as did the American. A certain feeling of distrust was associated with early American authors.

In New England's colonial life the ministers were the pick of the graduates of England's best colleges. In Harvard's first library, founded to foster religious education, the books were the best of the ancient classics.

Literary development was retarded by the concentration of the intellect on other lines of work. The sciences received special attention, to the detriment of letters, as the colleges were founded for the instruction of the clergy, who needed scientific knowledge for their use as learned men of their communities. They were the lawyers, the doctors and the judges of the land, and the first books were by ministers on law and religion. Mr. Higginson called the diary of Samuel Sewell, the old "witch judge", "the most entertaining book ever written in America", showing as it did the public information at the time.

In 1812 it was prophesied that American literature would never rise until a military despot seized the Government and established a "brilliant" court. In 1817 the North American Review was founded, in 1819 Bryant's "Thanatopsis" was written, 1825 J. Fenimore Cooper's "Spy" was published.

The speaker called the early prose works "a dreary waste", but offered in excuse for them the fact that the country had to be occupied, controlled, cultivated and civilized. All this work took its quota of intellectual development away from the advancement of literature. Political activity absorbed the best products of the colleges.

With patriotic pride Mr. Higginson said that no writer now not for many years past in England had the hold on the world, as shown by widespread appreciation and quotation, as great as Emerson's. London and Paris combined could not produce a single page liable to be mistaken for one of Hawthorne's.

In one department of literary effort, and that not the easiest, Americans had taken the lead, periodical literature reaching its highest form in this country. There are now two magazines which have a higher circulation in England than that of the English monthlies combined. Mr. Higginson's reminiscences of magazine development in his younger days were very interesting. He also showed the different effects on writers of our democratic system and the aristocratic rules of England.

Without a monthly chronicle of literary thought, beauty would have no memorial, heroism no record, and passing emotion no permanent evidence. The true standard by which to measure a people is the quality and timeliness of its literature. America courts a contemplation of its advancement in writing.

The Puzzle Solved.

Perhaps no local disease has puzzled and baffled the medical profession more than nasal catarrh. While not immediately fatal it is one of the most nauseous and disgusting ills the flesh is heir to, and the records show very few or no cases of radical cure of chronic catarrh by any of the many modes of treatment until the introduction of Ely's Cream Balm a few years ago. The success of this preparation has been most gratifying and surprising. No druggist is without it.

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A BREAK AT TRENTON

Miller Deserts the Democratic Senate.

Not Willing to Longer Remain a Party to a Race Track Organization—Says He Will Vote to Seat Republican Members—Other Desertions Expected—Viewed With Interest.

TRENTON N. J., Feb. 27.—Senator Miller of Cape May threw a bomb, figuratively speaking, into the democratic senate last night and produced no little consternation. The democratic senate had just convened and, as is its habit, was about to adjourn at once for want of a quorum, when Senator Miller arose to a question of privilege, saying that in what he had to say in connection with what has happened in the past few days he did not care to indulge in personalities. Regarding the publications concerning him in a New York paper he wished to enter a denial and denounce them as contemptible lies.

He went on to say that he and others who had joined in the democratic organization had but one motive and one incentive and that was not to protect race-track legislation. He was willing to assert that this democratic senate was kept up for the purpose of aiding the race-track people. The people of New Jersey had come to that conclusion and so had he most positively. He did not care to be a party to this organization any longer. He was willing to be connected with it notwithstanding it was unpopular with his constituents and with nearly all the citizens of the state so long as it was not controlled in the interest of race-track men. He felt certain that that was the controlling power—therefore, after due deliberation, he had positively concluded that he would not be a party to any such organization. If the republicans would come into this chamber he would vote to seat their senators. His own colleagues had acknowledged that that would be only right. He was no lawyer, knew nothing about the law and wanted to know nothing about it, and, without intending any disrespect to the court, his own opinion was that the quo warranto proceedings were only a farce. He did not propose to go into the republican senate or make himself any more conspicuous than was necessary, but before he would see the republicans adjourn sine die, he would invite them into this chamber and assure them of his support.

Without waiting an instant after Senator Miller finished his remarks Senator Daly, of Hudson, moved to adjourn until to-day and the motion was carried, as there was an impression that one or two other senators, notably Perkins, of Burlington, might want to make a speech in a similar vein, and to-day's session will be anxiously watched by the democratic leaders.

The bond of state treasurer-elect George B. Swain was the feature of last night's proceedings in the house. In the republican senate the bond had the smoothest sort of sailing and was almost instantaneously approved, but in the house the democrats fought for delay in action. Two resolutions were offered by democrats that the bond be rejected because it had not been approved by the "legal senate." One was tabled, the other declared out of order.

A committee of five members of the house was appointed to examine the bond. It is for $300,000 and is signed by a number of the wealthiest citizens of Newark, Orange and Jersey City.

The republican senate passed the bill repealing the act which allowed persons at race tracks to be arraigned before magistrates of their own choosing.

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A Page From Her History.

The important experiences of others are interesting. The following is no exception: "I had been troubled with heart disease 25 years, much of that time very seriously. For five years I was treated by one physician continuously. I was in business, but obliged to retire on account of my health. A physician told my friends that I could not live a month. My feet and limbs were badly swollen, and I was indeed in a serious condition when a gentleman directed my attention to Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, and said that his sister, who had been afflicted with heart disease, had been cured by the remedy, and was again a strong, healthy woman. I purchased a bottle of the Heart Cure, and in less than an hour after taking the first dose I could feel a decided improvement in the circulation of my blood. When I had taken three doses I could move my ankles, something I had not done for months, and my limbs had been swollen so long that they seemed almost putrified. Before I had taken one bottle of the New Heart Cure the swelling had all gone down, and I was so much better that I did my own work. On my recommendation six others are taking this valuable remedy."—Mrs. Morgan, 569 W. Harrison St., Chicago, Ill.

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The Bronze Medallion

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It was a cold, damp afternoon in October, and we were lying half way between Bonzonville and Gravelotte, about nine miles from Metz. The Prussians were slowly advancing upon that city, and the air was continually disturbed by the vibrations of their cannon. A regiment near which I had remained all day was engaged in skirmishing operations with a French battalion, and from the top of a slight eminence I was endeavoring to make an effective sketch of the scene. Suddenly a white fog rolled over the valley and wrapped both bodies of combatants in its thick folds. I endeavored to regain my quarters, but the fog increased in density, and I soon found it impossible to make headway against it. For some time I remained motionless. The noise of cannon and musketry died away, and I heard the bugles sounding a retreat on both sides. Then I determined to go slowly back to my quarters near the village of Bonzonville. Unfortunately I found it impossible to decide which was east and which west. I had been stationed on a round knoll or eminence, and I had walked about its crown so many times during my observations that I was now unable to decide on the exact spot at which I had ascended it. At last, however, I came to a tree of which I seemed to have some recollection, and I descended the hill and walked, as I thought, toward Bonzonville. By that time the plain was quiet, and I heard nothing save an occasional faroff bugle note. I walked on for an hour through the thick white fog, seeking for some *familiar landmark. None came.* I began to realize that I was lost. I stood and wondered what to do. Then I went forward again. A church clock struck the hour, 6, close by. Clearly I was near a village. I came to a road and hastened along it and presently fell into the hands of a French picket. I had walked west instead of east. I was at Gravelotte.

The picket marched me into the village and led me before their colonel, a fierce looking militaire, who glared at me from behind a table at which he was evidently writing dispatches. "What's this?" said he. "A spy?"

Now, unfortunately for me, I cannot speak French, but my knowledge of German is extensive. I replied to the colonel's question in English. He shook his head. I then spoke in German, and his face grew dark. A soldier interpreted my answer.

"So!" said the colonel. "A pretty story indeed! He speaks German like a native and professes to be an Englishman. Everybody knows that an Englishman can speak no language other than his own. An English artist, eh? See what papers he has."

I drew all my papers from my breast pocket voluntarily and handed them over. As ill luck would have it, I had that morning made a plan of the surrounding country in my sketchbook. The French colonel looked at this narrowly and nodded his head. "As I thought," said he. "What is this but a map? Come, Mr. Spy, what have you to say!"

"Tell the colonel," said I to the interpreter, "that I am no spy, but the special war correspondent of a great English newspaper, and that what I said before is true. These are my credentials—bid him look at them."

The colonel tossed the papers aside contemptuously. "What of them?" said he. "They may have been stolen, forged—how do I know? He speaks German—he looks like a German—he has maps, charts, drawings on him—enfin, he is a spy. Take him out and shoot him."

A corporal tapped me on the shoulder and motioned me toward the door. I was so surprised at the colonel's last words that I stood motionless, but when I realized their full meaning I suddenly found tongue, and rated the whole group in forcible English. The colonel shrugged his shoulders and repeated his commands, and the file of soldiers began to hustle me out. Before we reached the door, however, he stopped us. "Spy," said he, "we will give you a chance. Tell us all you know of the Prussian movements, and we will consider your case."

"I shall do no such thing," said I, "I am a English gentleman, and I will not do dirty work for either French or Prussian."

"Take time," said he. "Think it over. Corporal, call in a sous lieutenant and two men."

A young officer and two privates entered the room of the farmhouse in which we were standing and saluted.

"You see this man?" said the old colonel, pointing to me. "Keep him safe till daybreak. Then bring him to me." He turned to me again. "Think over my offer, Mr. Spy. If you accept it, well; if you don't, you will be shot in the morning."

The young officer and the two men marched me out into the fog again and took me to a cottage close by. I was placed in a room where a fire burned on the hearth and an oil lamp shed some little light on a plain deal table. My guardian signed to me to sit down, and then one of the soldiers, after a whispered colloquy with the lieutenant, left the cottage and presently returned with food and drink, which he set before me. Desperately placed as I was, I ate my supper and when I had finished filled and lighted my pipe. I thought things over and could see no chance of escape. "Monsieur," said I, addressing the young officer, who sat near me on the hearth. "I shall certainly have to die tomorrow morning if your colonel persists in his foolish conduct, and I should like to write a last letter to my friends. Will you have the goodness to provide me with writing materials?"

The lad responded in the affirmative and bade one of his men fetch pen, ink and paper. While he was gone the young officer, who was certainly not more than 18 or 19 years of age and had a frank, open face, looked at me curiously and presently inquired if I was really an Englishman. He spoke English so well that I was surprised.

"Certainly I am," I answered. "And anybody but your colonel would have recognized as much. I am an Englishman and what I represented myself to be when questioned."

"I am sorry for you, sir," said he. "I wish I could help you."

"Then promise to forward this packet for me," said I. "You can show it to your colonel if you like."

He replied that he would do his best to oblige me, and I set to work at my letter. I wrote out a full account of my afternoon's adventures and addressed it to the *proprietors of my journal.* Then I took off my watch and chain and rings and laid them on the letter, intending to wrap them all up together. I had another ring in my purse, and I drew the letter from my pocket and opened it. As I did so the bronze medallion escaped and fell from the table to the floor. The young officer stooped, and picking it up laid it by my hand. The light from the lamp shone full on the inscription. He uttered an exclamation and picked the medallion up again. I looked at him in astonishment. His face was flushed and eager. He stared at me with wide open eyes.

"Monsieur!" he gasped—"monsieur! For the love of heaven, tell me—this medal, where did you get it?"

"The medal?" I said. "Oh, I got it some years ago in England."

"But where?" he said. "Where, monsieur? Ah, do not trifle with me—tell me where. For, see you, monsieur, I am Jules Malan!"

I looked at him wonderingly. This, then, was the Jules over whom the little Frenchman had waxed so eloquent on the race course at Doncaster.

"So you are Jules?" I said. "Then you are the son of the man who gave me that medal."

"And you are my father's benefactor," he cried. "It was you of whom he told us that day when he came home from the race."

"Well, this is strange!" said I. "But, come, tell me something about your father. Is he back in his native France? Is he well? I have often thought of him."

"Alas, sir, my father is dead and my mother also. But let me tell you—we prospered in England, for my father had money left soon after your meeting with him, and he secured free pardon for his political offenses, and we returned to Paris. We were very happy, monsieur, until last year, and then my parents died. They never saw me in my uniform," he added, with a broad smile, as he turned the bronze medallion over and over in his fingers. "Ah, monsieur, how well I remember winning this at the school in your foggy England! My father used often to talk of you and wonder if you preserved his memento. 'See, thou, Jules,' he would say, 'if ever thou shouldst meet my benefactor and canst serve him, do it for my sake.' And now I have met you, monsieur, and I would help you—and I cannot."

"Never mind," said I. "Perhaps your colonel will see reason in the morning."

He shook his head at that and relapsed into silence. For a long time no one spoke. The two soldiers nodded on the long settle, but Jules and I were wide wake. He kept looking wistfully at me; I for my part found it impossible to sleep. Somehow I could not think the fierce old colonel meant to shoot me, but the mere idea was bad enough to howl over.

Morning came—gray, cold, cheerless. As the bugles sounded outside Jules and his men marched me into the colonel's presence. The old militaire was as stern and unbending as on the night before. He eyed me keenly.

"Well, Mr. Spy," said he, "do you accept my offer of last night?"

My heart began to thump violently. "No, sir," I answered.

"Then you will be shot at once, Lieutenant"——

But Jules suddenly interrupted him. "No, no, no, my colonel!" he cried, throwing his arms about me. "No—no—it is my father's benefactor. Behold!"

He held up the bronze medallion. The colonel stared at us as if we had gone mad. "What's this?" said he. "Speak, Jules—here is some mystery."

Jules told the story as only a Frenchman could tell it. When he finished, the old militaire shook my hand, embraced me and bade me go my way. "We are not ungrateful—we French," said he naively. I said farewell to him and to Jules and within an hour regained my quarters at Bonzonville. Well, that is a long time ago, and since then I have often called on Jules Malan and his pretty wife in Paris. We are great friends, for there is a tie between us which nothing can break. I shall never forget it, nor will those of my friends who know the history of my carefully treasured bronze medallion.—Chambers' Journal.

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Leave Plainfield 3 28, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 30, 8, 8 48 9 22, 10 04, 10 27, 11 24, A. M., 12 06 1 14, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 4 01, 4 50, 5 54, 6 54, 7 05, 8 48, 9 28, 10 17, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—9 01, 8 48, 11 28, A. M., 12 28, 1 42, 2 30, 5 28, 7 03, 8 32, 9 02, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 12, 7 55, 8 39, 9 08, 10 05, 11 35 A.M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 20 Saturday only, 2 50, 3 35 4 05, 4 35, 5 05, 5 35, 6 05, 6 35, 7 05, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 50, 11 35, A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 7 20, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 6 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 43 2 09, 3 23, 4 45, 5 45, 6 14, 6 54, 8 20, 8 35, 9 13, 7 34 9 17, 10 26, 11 08, P. M. 12 38 night Sunday—6 45, 8 28, 9 54, A.M., 2 08, 3 28, 5 14, 6 55, 10 15, 11 14 P.M.

Leave Somerville, 6 30, 7 00, 7 26, 7 35, 7 48, 8 20, 9 05, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 25, 4 28, 5 28, 6 25, 8 28, 8 45, 11 08, P. M. Sunday—8 26, 11 00 A. M., 12 08, 1 15, 5 05, 6 35, 8 08, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 8 45, 8 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 43, 2 09, 5 05, 5 14, 6 38, 8 17 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 8 28 A. M. 2 08, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 53, A.M., 12 32, 4 04, 7 25 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 53, A. M., 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a m 5 05, 5 14 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Fotterville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua,

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 51 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 49 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 09 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Bangor Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 30 P. M. for Flemington.

8 55 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

9 17 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin Williamsport, &c., 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, High Bridge Branch, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 9 37 a. m. 1 14p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 9 37, 6, 11 24, a. m. 1.14, 4 01, 5 54, p. m. Sundays — (except Ocean Grove 8 03, a. m., 2 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 9 37, 5 38, 8, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, 4 50, 5.54, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 32, a. m., 8 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 9 37, 8, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, p. m.

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For Trenton 3 43, 8 44, 9 48, 10 45, a. m., 12 43, 2 09*, 5 34*, 6 38* 8 17*, p. m., 1 17, night, Sunday—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 05*, 8 17 p. m., 1 17 night.

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From 24th and Chestnut—3 55, 8 12, 11 14, a m. 3 30, 6 12, 9 18, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—3 55, 11 14 a. m., 3 30, 6 12, 9 18, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 4 58, 9 07, 10 25, a.m. 12 12*, 2 10, 4 10*, 5 54, 9 12 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 58, 10 27 a. m. 12 13*, 4 32 6 49*, 9 15 p. m.

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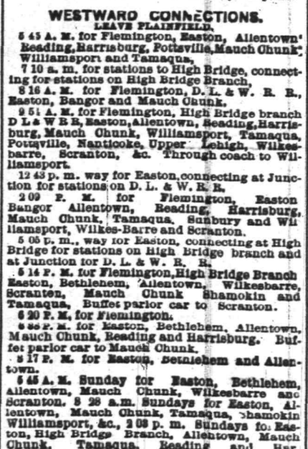

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For Newark and New York—3 02, 5 34, 5 46, 6 17, 6 45, 7 01, 7 30, 7 48, 7 57, 8 06, 8 38, 8 56, 9 47, 9 15, 9 41, 9 46, 10 20, 10 38, 10 49 11 07, 11 54 a. m., 1 13, 1 20, 2 03, 2 16, 2 40, 2 45, 3 47, 4 44, 5 15, 5 36, 5 48, 6 08, 6 22, 6 48, 6 58, 7 07, 7 25 7 59, 8 17, 9 07, 9 50, 10 08 11 05 and 11 55 p. m. Sundays 3 02, 5 34, 7 54, 8 45, 9 20, 9 47, 10 12, 10 38, 10 49 a. m., 12 25, 1 46, 2 32, 2 45, 3 45, 4 45, 5 34, 5 48, 7 05, 7 12, 7 35, 7 58, 9 15, 10 16, and 11 46 p. m.

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For Woodbridge—1 38, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59 a. m., 12 36, 3 20, 4 48, 5 44, 6 12, 7 18 and 9 54 p. m., 12 26 night, week-days. Sundays, 1 38, 10 25, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

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For South Amboy—6 08, 8 06 a. m., 12 46, 5 44 7 37 p. m. Sundays, 8 53, 10 26 a. m., 5 44 p. m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 1 05, 3 39 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 00, 5 47, 7 10, 7 59 9 05, 9 41, 10 08, 11 43 A. M.; 1 05, 1 37, 2 48, 5 08, 6 37, 7 46, 8 42, 9 09 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05 9 41 10 08, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 03 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 a. m., 2 48 and 6.37 p. m., and 5.41 p. m. Sunday, 9 49 A. M.; 2 48 P. M.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 48 P. M.

For Bordentown, Burlington, Camden and Philadelphia via Trenton, 7 59, 9 41, 11 43 a. m., 1 37, 2 48, 5 08, 7 46 p. m. Sundays 10 43 a. m. and 7 47 p. m.

For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m., 4 38, 5 08 p. m., via Monmouth Junction, week-days.

For Jamesburg, via Monmouth Junction—7 59 and 11 43 a. m., 4 38 and 5 08 p. m., week-days.

For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, and points on New York and Long Branch R. R.—9 45 a. m. 12 36, 4 11, 8 44 p. m., 12 24 night, week-days. Sundays, 10 25 a. m., and 8 44 p. m.; do not stop at Asbury Park on Sundays.

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JAMES T. MACMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 20, 1894.

AN ORDINANCE

to repeal certain ordinances relating to the permanent improvement of certain streets.

The inhabitants of the city of Plainfield, by their common council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the ordinances entitled as follows, that is to say:

(1.) "An Ordinance providing for the repairing and permanent improvement of certain portions of the roadbed of East Fourth street and certain other streets in the City of Plainfield", approved Oct. 9, 1893.

(2.) "An Ordinance for the repairing and permanent improvement of Woodlawn Avenue", approved Dec. 8, 1891.

(3.) "An Ordinance for the repair and permanent improvement of a portion of West Third Street", approved Dec. 6, 1892, be and the same are hereby repealed.

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J. T. MACMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 20, 1894.

AN ORDINANCE

An ordinance to regulate and establish the centre-curb and sidelines, and the grade of West Front street, from Grant avenue to a point 1283 feet westerly therefrom.

The inhabitants of the City of Plainfield by their Common Council do enact as follows:

Section 1. That pursuant to the petition of Ida F. Rocap, Margaret M. Rocap, Mary C. Moore, Mary C. K. Randolph, the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey, Sophia J. Lawson Charles E. Rocap, dated February 5, 1894, on file with the City Clerk, said persons being all the owners of property on either side of that portion of West Front street, hereinafter mentioned, the centre, curb and *side lines and grade of that portion of West* Front street between Grant avenue and a point one thousand two hundred and eighty-three feet westerly therefrom, be and the same are hereby established as follows:

The centre line shall begin at an iron monument in the centre line of West Front street as the same is now laid out, established and opened, at its intersection with the centre line of Grant avenue, and running from said point in a magnetic course of S. 49 degrees, *20 minutes W., a distance of 155.31 feet to a* point of curve, thence, curving to the right with a radius of 2500 feet, a distance of 458.15 feet to a point of tangent, thence S. 59 degrees 34 minutes W., a distance of 670.47 feet to a point in line of properties owned by Ida Rocap and others, and Christian F. Sprech, and in the centre line of West Front street as now established; said point being distant 233 feet at right angles from the northwesterly line of the right of way of the Central Rail*road Company of New Jersey.*

The side lines of said street shall be distant 30 feet on each side from the above described centre line, and parallel therewith.

The curb lines of said street shall be distant twenty, (20) feet on each side from the above described centre line, and parallel therewith.

That the grade of that part of West Front street, above described be established as follows:

Beginning at the westerly curb line of *Grant avenue at the established grade of* 16.-05 feet above the city base on the northerly curb and 16.35 feet on the southerly curb, thence going west from Grant avenue as follows:

Grade per 100 feet, Rise	Fall	Distance	Elevation
1.35		400	21.45 North / 21.95 South
2.275 North / 2.025 South		200	26.00
1.11		150	27.66
0.47		430	29.68
Level	Level	40	29.68
	0.33		to easterly line of

property owned by Christian Sprech.

Section 2. That all ordinances and parts of ordinances as far as they conflict with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same are hereby repealed.

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A WONDERFUL STORY BY AN IRVINGTON WOMAN.

Fearful Failure of Fifteen Physicians—Serious Surgical Operation Suggested.

For four years I have suffered from a complication of diseases which physicians said were dyspepsia, liver and kidney complaint, nervous prostration and womb disease. No words of mine can describe the terrible pains and distress I have experienced—the dizziness, trembling fears of evil, chills, fever, melancholy, restlessness and numerous other dreadful sensations which I am unable to describe. Have been treated by fifteen physicians, some of whom were sure they could cure me within two or three months, and all of whom have had from two months to three, four or more, as they said was needed. One I tried for a whole year until last May I found myself disappointed, discouraged and about ready to give up altogether, as, after treating me for a year my physician told me I would be obliged to undergo a surgical operation before I could commence to get better. Just at this time I was advised by friends to consult Dr. Starkweather of No. 105 Halsey street, Newark, as they knew of some very remarkable cures which he had performed.

I followed their advice and visited the doctor on May 5. How glad I am that I took this step no one can realize who has not been similiarly situated. The doctor gave me a complete history of my case, describing with surprising accuracy the conditions and symptoms which I had endured for years, but what gave me the greatest surprise and pleasure was when he assured me that there was no need of any surgical operation. Proper means, he said, would overcome my troubles without any surgery. I commenced at once to follow Dr. Starkweather's directions and treatment. Having gradually and steadily improved since that time, as he stated I would, until now I am the wonder of all my friends, while rejoicing in renewed health, strength and spirits. Am constrained by a sense of duty and gratitude to accord the praise due Dr. S. for his gentle, soothing and skillful treatment of my case, and advise all sufferers from whatever cause to consult this eminent physician. MRS. WM. R. MANSER.

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Any person, rich or poor, old or young, is welcome here and receives examination and advice without charge. The rapidity with which this popular system has grown into public favor is without a parallel. The number of new applicants increases daily, and the remarkable results of the treatment they receive both surprise and gratify.

There is not a penny to pay for the fullest medical advice. Dr. Starkweather is a graduate of the Berkshire Medical College, Massachusetts, and of the Medico-Chirurgical College of Philadelphia; endorsed also by the College of Physicians and Surgeons and Bellevue Medicel College of New York. We invite all sufferers from whatever cause to call at our office, No. 105 Halsey street, Newark, where Dr. Starkweather is in attendance daily to give examination and advice entirely free of charge. It matters not what the disease, or how many years you have suffered, in spite of means adopted in your behalf, a visit to this office and the privileges of the same will cost you nothing, and may be the means of saving your life. We prepare all our medicines and prescribe the remedies indicated. This plan enables the patient to receive directly from us such remedies as will produce the results promised.

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TO SAVE THE PARTY

Question for Democratic Senators to Decide

So Said Mr. Brice in a Vigorous Speech at the Tariff Caucus—Other Interests Must Be Considered Besides Those in the South—The Bill May Be Reported Back to the Committee—Sugar Men Persistent.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The democratic senatorial caucus on the tariff bill, which adjourned last night, was rich in talk, but poor in action, and the members are again in session to-day struggling to reach a final agreement. Some plain and rather emphatic English was spoken, but no action was taken on an item in the bill. This morning a member of the finance committee said it was hoped that now that the speeches had been made all round, action would follow and something definite be accomplished before another day had closed. It was thought by this senator that the conference would send the bill back to the committee with instructions to amend in certain particulars as the result of the conference on disputed schedules. Under this plan the details of the arrangement of the changes agreed upon would be left to the finance committee and two or three days would elapse before the corrected bill could be laid before the full committee on finance. It is doubtful, however, if the caucus can reach any conclusion before to-morrow or Friday.

Sugar was not the only topic commanding attention yesterday, although much depends upon the action taken on that schedule. The committee offered the caucus what might be called a "flat" rate on sugar of one cent a pound, based upon pure saccharine matter. This would fix the duty on sugar testing but 80 degrees at 8-10 of a cent, and would therefore show the refiner a very slight favoritism. The sugar men believe, however, that they will be able to get the one-eighth clear they have claimed, and some go so far as to claim a quarter of a cent. It is understood that the majority of the democratic members of the finance committee expect to see refined sugar get the extra one-eighth for which the friends of sugar have been contending.

No expression as to how senators stood was heard in the caucus sufficient to indicate what the result will be. There appears to be no further uncertainty as to coal and it is conceded that fifty cents a ton will be given it.

The action of the caucus shows that that body is possessed of a changeable mood. Up to within the last half hour there seemed to be a spirit of concession abroad, but after that time the committee and its followers stood out more firmly for the bill as laid before the caucus.

It is understood, a scene somewhat sensational in its features took place during the morning session. Monday, Senator White, of Louisiana, made a very vigorous speech while on the subject of sugar, in which he bitterly denounced the attitude of some senators. No reply was made until yesterday, when, it is said, two or three senators replied in language that was decidedly personal and unpleasant. It is also said that Mr. White has declared *that he would not* send his resignation as senator to the governor of Louisiana until he knew what was to be done with sugar.

Senator Brice, of Ohio, who was the prime mover in calling the caucus, made a forcible and vigorous speech. He is said to have criticized the wisdom that placed the construction of the tariff bill in the hands of three senators, whose status as a sub-committee had been attacked on the floor of the senate and gone unchallenged, and who were not, apparently, in sympathy with any of the manufacturing centres of the country which were most affected by the bill. It was evident, he said, that the party was rent by dissensions and the question for the conference to decide in connection with the tariff bill was, what should be done to save the democratic party. "If," said Mr. Brice, "you are going to frame this bill in accordance with the platform of the democratic party as adopted at Chicago, that is one thing. If, on the other hand, you intend to frame it on the line of the platform that was not adopted, an entirely different view of the case is given us. But if you intend to frame it so that you protect the sugar interests alone, at the expense of the great industries of the north, and you intend to ignore them entirely, then I propose, for one, to have something to say."

Mr. Brice, it is understood, called attention to the fact that there must be more done than to merely conciliate the sugar senators whose constituents would be injured by prospective legislation, and that a very important question for democrats to consider was what they should do to keep in the party the great states of New York, New Jersey and Maryland, which were full of industries that, he asserted, the bill sought to cripple. There could also be in his state, Mr. Brice added, if this congress acted with wisdom, ten doubtful congressional districts. The great states of Ohio, New York and New Jersey with their representation in congress, aggregating many times more than any southern delegation, should not be ignored.

Mr. Brice spoke freely and his remarks had much weight with the senators. He is counted as one of the six "conservatives," in whose hands the fate of the bill appears to rest. These men are Senators Brice, Hill, Smith, Murphy, White (La.) and Caffery.

A. U. O. W. in New England.

BOSTON, Feb. 28.—At the 16th annual session of the grand lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, New England jurisdiction, now in session in Odd Fellows hall, it was shown that 36 lodges have been instituted the past year. Twenty-three new lodges have been established in Massachusetts. The order has 337 lodges in New England with a membership of 37,442, a net gain of 5,194.

Five Children at One Birth.

KITTANNING, Pa., Feb. 28.—The wife of David Rossberger, a farmer living near here, has just given birth to five children, three girls and two boys. All the children appear to be strong and healthy and likely to live.

To Improve Canals.

ALBANY, Feb. 28.—The senate canals committee has decided to report favorably Senator Person's bill appropriating $1,000,000 for improving the state canals.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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STUDENT DINGENS RETURNS.

Explains the Cause of His Absence and Says He Can Prove an Alibi.

ITHACA, N. Y., Feb. 28.—Carl L. Dingens, suspected of complicity in the freshman banquet poisoning case, has returned to the city, after having been absent since last Wednesday morning. He claims to have been called home on that day by a telegram from his folks. While returning to Ithaca the following day he says he was taken sick and went to Syracuse for medical attendance. He was not allowed to see the newspapers and, consequently, did not know of the charges made against him. When he learned of the charges he came at once to Ithaca. Dingens claims that he will be able to prove an alibi. He will appear before the coroner's jury to-morrow.

Mackaye's Remains Leave Chicago.

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—The remains of Steele Mackaye lay in state all last night before the footlights on the stage of the Michigan Avenue Scenitorium, on the very spot where, but four weeks ago, the future of a dying man, he discussed to a distinguished audience the story of Columbus. All throughout the night friends of the departed dramatist came and went, and they numbered many personages of high stations in life. At daybreak the remains were conveyed to the depot by the same delegation that met them on their arrival here from the west, and put aboard a special car tendered by the New York Central railroad. Another car, tendered by the Central, was occupied by those accompanying the casket.

Milk Cans and Women.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Susan B. Anthony addressed the Woman's Suffrage convention last evening, and her remarks abounded in clever flings at the men who refused to grant woman's enfranchisement. Taking up a pamphlet headed "A Woman Suffrage Catechism" Miss Anthony came to the following question and answer, which evoked much mirth: "If women were milk cans, would they be properly protected?" A dead silence followed, and then Miss Anthony read the answer, amid laughter—"They would," the whole being an argument to show that even inanimate objects had almost more rights than women.

Not an Accuser Present.

BOSTON, Feb. 28.—When the informal charges recently made that Hon. Frank W. Jones, superintendent of prisons, had used his public station to increase his private income came before the committee on prisons from the legislature yesterday, not an accuser was present to submit allegations against Mr. Jones' integrity.

Celebrated His 85th Birthday

SARATOGA, N. Y., Feb. 28.—Ex-Congressman James M. Marvin yesterday celebrated the 85th anniversary of his birth. He is as vigorous as a man of 50 years. Last evening an informal reception was tendered him by the Saratoga club, of which he is the president, at their North Broadway club house parlors.

Sale of Municipal Loans.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Feb. 28.—The city of Fall River municipal loan of $190,000 (10 years at 4 per cent.), has been sold to the treasurer of the commonwealth, Henry M. Phillips, at $103. The $25,000 sewer loan (20 years at 4 per cent.), was sold to M. W. Harris of Boston at $104,281.

Week of Self-Denial.

READING, Pa., Feb. 28.—The anti-Bowman Evangelical conference here decided to set apart a week for self-denial in June, funds so saved to be devoted to the missionary society. It is believed that thousands of dollars can be saved in this manner.

An Old Dry Goods Merchant Dead.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 28.—Samuel Conard, for years the head of the late extensive dry goods house of Cooper & Conard, is dead at his home at Sharon Hill. His death was due to a gradual breaking up of his physical powers.

Meeting of Boston's Unemployed.

BOSTON, Feb. 28.—The meeting of the unemployed yesterday in Faneuil hall, the mayor having denied permission for the meeting to be held on the common, was orderly and without incident. Leader Swift and others made addresses.

Paul Jones Still in Custody.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Feb. 28.—Paul Jones has not been released by taking the poor debtors' oath. He was examined by Lawyer Barnes, representing the creditors. The only assets revealed was a claim of $37 against the city of Cambridge for Jones' services in teaching a night school. He will appear before Judge Bosworth again to-day.

Super-Abundant and Exciting Foods

Produce a morbid bodily condition.

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Restores vitality, brightens the eyes, and sweetens the temper.

HARRISON'S JOURNEY WEST.

He Talks for a Few Moments to a Big Crowd at Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 28.—The Santa Fe train bearing ex-President Harrison and party pulled into the depot promptly at 12:30. Awaiting to greet the distinguished visitor was a crowd of more than 1,000 people, composed of well known republicans and a generous sprinkling of democrats. Mr. Harrison started in to hold a public levee, but after shaking hands with numbers of the pushing, struggling crowd for ten minutes, he responded to frequent calls for a speech, from the steps of his car.

After thanking the people for the friendly reception he said: "You know I am traveling now as a school teacher. (Laughter) and I am glad to notice by your presence here the great interest which the citizens of Kansas City take in education. I cannot talk to you about public affairs, not, I hope because, I don't know anything about them. (Laughter) nor because I do not care anything about them. I do care a great deal about everything that affects the happiness, prosperity and comforts of my fellow citizens. Experience is making an argument in support of the American policy and experience is the most forcible speaker I know of. I hope you have here the great interest somewhat those depths of depression which are now prevailing throughout the country."

A voice: Oh we've a few soup houses here.

After a few more words in a similar strain Mr. Harrison entered his car, and the train pulled out.

BLAND IN THE WAY.

No Money to Raise the Kearsarge Until His Bill is Disposed of.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Secretary Herbert laid before the house naval committee a letter in which he stated that he had one bid from a responsible wrecking company which requires only $10,000 for making the attempt to raise the Kearsarge and $35,000 additional if successful. The secretary suggested that, as the matter was urgent, immediate action should be authorized, without advertising for bids.

In compliance with the secretary's suggestion, Mr. Geissenhainer of New Jersey was authorized to report a bill appropriating the amounts above named.

When the bill was presented to the house, Mr. Cummings, the chairman of the committee, asked unanimous consent for its immediate consideration. Mr. Bland quietly remarked that no doubt this and other important measures demanded immediate consideration but he would object to its consideration until the pending business was disposed of.

MR. WILSON IMPROVING.

Temperature Nearly Normal, Pulse Strong and Appetite Good.

CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 28.—Congressman William E. Wilson, who is lying ill with typhoid fever in Guadalajara, is making favorable progress. Last night his temperature was nearly normal, pulse strong and appetite good. The climate of Guadalajara agrees with him.

The Lucy Gardner Case.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 28.—The court of errors has decided the case of the state against Lucy Gardner, who in December, 1890, purchased goods valued at $21.15 at the store of Stern Bros., in New York city, and when they were sent to her home in East Orange, N. J., C. O. D., it is alleged she took the package from the expressman, entered the house and then returned to the expressman with the package opened, saying it was empty and that she would not pay the bill. She was prosecuted and convicted. Her counsel appealed to the supreme court, which sustained the conviction, and now this opinion is affirmed by the highest court. Miss Gardner stood high in society.

Reported Russian Frontier Skirmish.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 28.—Rumors of a battle between Russian and German troops on the frontier have been current in military circles in Moscow for several days. One version of the reported fight is as follows: A squadron of Russian dragoons saw a party of Prussian Uhlans making a target of a frontier post on which the Russian arms were displayed. The Russian commander requested the Prussians to stop firing at the post. The Prussians ignored the request. A skirmish followed in which several men on both sides were killed. The Russians pursued the Prussians for some distance after the fight.

Denounce Secret Societies.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 28.—The Pennsylvania Christian Reform convention, which is being held in the First United Presbyterian church, this city, has adopted resolutions denouncing "Free Masonry," "The Society of Jesuits, and "all societies which impose on their members an oath or other obligation to keep secret and obey a code of unknown laws and regulations," as unscriptural, unchristian an un-American and a threatening danger to free republican government.

For a Pension Office Investigation.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Mr. Taylor (dem., Ind.) has offered in the house a resolution directing an inquiry into the conduct of the medical bureau of the pension office. A preamble to the resolution recites that there is reason to believe that certain officials and employes in the bureau have been making false reports of evidence in pension cases.

Smallpox in Sing Sing Prison.

SING SING, N. Y., Feb. 28.—There are three cases of smallpox in Sing Sing prison among the convicts. The patients have been isolated to prevent the disease from spreading. No visitors are allowed in the prison and every precaution is being taken to prevent the disease from spreading.

HE HAS NOT RESIGNED

Official Denial of the Rumor About Gladstone.

His Retirement, However, Cannot Be Much Longer Delayed—Soon to Undergo an Operation for His Eyes—The Edinburg News Still Maintains That He is to Retire at Easter.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—The rumor that Mr. Gladstone has resigned the premiership is officially denied.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—The Edinburg Evening News says, unqualifiedly, that Mr. Gladstone has resigned and that his resignation will go into effect at Easter. The paper says that the premiership was offered to Lord Rosebery, but he declined it. The position was then offered to Earl Spencer and he accepted it.

Inquiries made by representatives of the United Press send to confirm the report that Mr. Gladstone's resignation is inevitable within a few weeks. Since Mr. Gladstone's return from Biarritz the cataract which has been forming in his eye has ripened fast, and Dr. Bend, Dr. Grainger and other physicians whom he has consulted consider an early operation advisible. The treatment will necessarily involve seclusion in a darkened room for a long time, probably three months, with complete cessation of all work attended by brain strain or worry.

Mr. Gladstone's colleagues will plan to postpone his resignation of the premiership until the latest possible moment, and keep a secure seat in the cabinet, such as taking the office of lord privy seal. Liberals are divided in opinion as to whether Mr. Gladstone's retirement will be temporary or permanent. Mr. Gladstone himself freely tells his friends that his hearing is going with his eye sight. His health otherwise, however, is still vigorous.

The Daily News denies that Mr. Gladstone has resigned. In discussing the possibility of his infirmity compelling Mr. Gladstone to retire—an event which it hopes is far distant—the news says there is no doubt that Lord Rosebery will succeed to the premiership and that Sir William Harcourt will become leader of the house of commons.

LOSS OF THE VICTORIA.

Three Officers and Thirty Sailors Killed By the Explosion.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—A dispatch from Buenos Ayres confirms the report of the explosion of the magazine of the insurgent steamer Venus at Rio Janeiro. The commander, two other officers and thirty sailors were killed and fifty were wounded.

Weathered the Storm All Right.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The lighthouse tender Violet with the president and Secretary Gresham on board was compelled to seek shelter from the violent storm in an inlet below Mount Vernon soon after leaving here Sunday afternoon. She proceeded to the naval gun proving grounds at Indian Head, Monday afternoon and continued down the river, making a stop late in the evening at the Cedar Point light. Some attempts to create alarm on account of the failure to hear of the Violet's arrival at Norfolk, fell very flat at the white house, where the president's plans were known. It is understood that the boat will go in and out of the numerous coves and rivers along the Potomac and, if sport was found, the president would stay there as long as the birds kept him company.

Big Suit Against Waltham.

WALTHAM, Mass., Feb. 28.—Clement Brothers, of Cleveland, O., have served legal notice upon the city of a suit for $250,000. The Clements had the contract three years ago for building the Waltham sewer system. As there seemed to be a probability that they could not finish the job within the contract time the city withdrew the contract, finished the work itself and charged the expense to Clement Brothers, making them nominally $19,000 in debt to the city. On the other hand, Clement Brothers claim that they could have finished on time had not the city interfered.

An Ex-Judge Assigns.

CHESTER, Pa., Feb. 28.—Ex-Judge John M. Broomall has made a general assignment for the benefit of his creditors. Mr. Broomall was taken seriously ill last December and has since been entirely unable to transact business. His assets, in excess of his liabilities, are something over $200,000. His investments in houses and land are estimated at a half million dollars, but for the past few months he has been unable to collect rents and his only alternative was to make an assignment.

France's Crusade Against Anarchists.

PARIS, Feb. 28.—The police continue their search of the houses of known anarchists. Since yesterday morning 20 or more anarchists have been arrested, and the police believe that among the number are some whose examination will disclose their identity with recent outrages and lead to important revelations.

Cable Left of the Fair.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Collector Clark of Chicago reports to the treasury department that the work at the World's Fair, so far as custom matters are concerned, is practically ended. All abandoned goods will be sold at public auction early in March, thus closing up all goods employed at the great fair.

Emily Spencer's Will.

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 28.—The will of Emily Spencer of East Hartford distributes an estate valued at over $100,000. One thousand dollars is left to the Raymond Library association of East Hartford, and $150,000 is distributed in legacies of from $1,000 to $25,000 to relatives.

Suspected Cholera Near Hamburg.

BERLIN, Feb. 28.—A dispatch from Wandsbeck, three miles from Hamburg, says that two cases of suspected cholera have been found in the Poor House in that town, and that the patients have been removed to the hospital.

Life Sentence for Anarchist Marpeaux.

PARIS, Feb. 28.—The anarchist, Marpeaux, has been sentenced to penal servitude for life for murdering Police Inspector Cros on November last.

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DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY.

The Democratic voters of North Plainfield Township and Borough are requested to meet in the basement of the School House on Thursday, March 1, 1894, to elect candidates for Township and Borough offices. By order of

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

In order to avoid conflicting with the Republican primaries of Friday night, the date of the Democratic primaries in North Plainfield has been changed to Thursday.

PATTERNS FOR PLAINFIELD.

Energy and Enterprise as Exemplified Elsewhere for Local Business Benefit.

The town which is built on a great waterway or has other extraordinary transportation facilities, or those situated contiguous to coalfields, iron regions, lead mines or in districts rich in other natural resources, have a great advantage over those which are not so fortunate in this respect. But experience teaches us that a possession of natural advantages is not indispensable and an unfavorable location does not prevent a city from attaining greatness and success if the citizens who inhabit it are made of the right kind of stuff.

Chicago, the wonderful city which has made such strides in the past few years, is located on a tract of land which was at one time a swamp. A more forbidding spot for the site of a city could hardly be imagined. But the indomitable spirit of its early settlers, which still characterizes the citizens of that metropolis, overcame all obstacles and built a city that is at once the pride of the American people and the marvel of the world. Kansas City, the name of which is a synonym for western grit and enterprise, outdoes Rome for a rugged location. Rome was built on seven hills, but Kansas City boasts of being located on 70. The stranger who saw Kansas City in its early days and who visits it now can see an example of what energy and determination will do when put in practice. Bluffs have been blasted away, hills graded down, valleys filled up, and the Gate City has not only become beautiful, but is now the commercial center of the great west.

We have in our mind's eye a fine city in one of the western states which was laid out about 15 years ago on the raw prairie. This village had not one natural advantage to recommend it. It was many miles from navigation, and not even a streamlet sufficient to furnish water for domestic purposes flowed within several miles of it. It was remote from timber or coal, and if one had prophesied in its early days that a city would be built on that spot he would have been ridiculed. But what the embryo city lacked in natural resources was more than balanced by the pluck and persistence of the citizens who first took up their residence within its borders. "Hustle" has been their watchword from the day they secured a cross railroad up to the present time.

Four mammoth canning factories send their pack all over the United States and foreign countries, and the product of their overall and shirt factories are worn from Maine to California, and their foundries, machine shops and cigar factories furnish employment for hundreds of men and women, while a flourishing college is annually attended by a large number of young men and women, who contribute in no small measure to the volume of the city's trade. The farms for miles around present the appearance of vast market gardens, and their tillers reap a rich harvest, furnishing vegetables for the canneries and produce for consumption by the operatives in the various industries.

The city continues to grow and bids fair to become one of the most important manufacturing centers in the west. All this has been attained solely by the exercise of energy and enterprise of the citizens, directed and encouraged by three or four leading spirits. A paid secretary keeps himself informed of the movements in the commercial and industrial world, and no sooner does a manufacturing enterprise, state or charitable institution intimate that it contemplates a change of location, or there is an inquiry for a suitable place for the establishment of a new industry, than a committee of business men from this city at once besieges the management with data and evidence to convince them that no place on the footstool can offer such inducements as the city they represent.

The promoters of the city we have referred to have no monopoly on enterprise, and their methods are not copyrighted. They have no exclusive privilege to make a desert bloom like a rose or build cities where but a few years ago tall weeds nodded in the wind and the gopher dug his hole unscared. That which they have accomplished under disadvantageous surroundings we who have so many natural advantages that they have not may also accomplish. It is only a matter of making the attempt and persevering in it. Industries that will employ labor will enhance the value of our property, make business for our merchants and furnish a home market for the products of our farms. All classes of people will profit by it. Energy and enterprise, backed by brains and common sense, will accomplish all this, and more.

A Good Word For the Newspaper.

At a recent business convention Governor Francis of Missouri, who is in a position to know whereof he speaks, paid tribute to the local newspaper as follows:

"Each year the local paper gives from $500 to $5,000 in free lines to the community in which it is located. No other agency can or will do this. The editor, in proportion to his means, does more for his town than any other 10 men, and in all fairness with men he ought to be supported—not because you like him or admire his writings, but because the local paper is the best investment a community can make. It may not be brilliantly edited or crowded with thought, but financially it is of more benefit to the community than the teacher or preacher. Understand me. I do not mean mentally or morally, but financially, and yet on the moral question you will find most of the local papers on the right side. Today the editors of the home papers do the most for the least money of any people on the face of the earth."

OBITUARY.

Avis Mosher Laing.

A telegram was received in Plainfield this morning announcing the death, in Washington, D. C., at 6:45 a. m., of Mrs Avis Mosher Laing, who went to the Capitol City Saturday, Feb. 10, to visit her stepson Augustus M. Laing at 60 I street, N. E. She had been suffering from a cold, which developed into pneumonia.

Mrs. Laing's maiden name was Miss Avis Seaman. She was a native of New York city, and while a resident of that city was married to James H. Mosher, a brother of Justice J. E. Mosher of this city. Her second husband was Edward Laing.

Decedent had seven children, of whom five are living, as follows: Mrs. Eugene Lorton, Mrs. Joseph Morrison, Mrs. Arthur Stryker, Mrs. Edward Vail, and John P. Mosher of Alfred Centre, N. Y., manager of The Sabbath Recorder. Besides these she had an adopted son, Robbie Goldsack. Mrs. Henry Bogert of East Second street is a sister of the decedent, as is also Mrs. George Brinkerhoff of Jamaica, L. I., and she had a widowed sister in Chappaqua, N. Y. A brother, Henry Seaman, lives in Long Island.

For many years Mrs. Laing lived at Watchung avenue and Fourth street, and was a member of the Hicksite Friends. She was in her sixty-second year.

All who knew her, loved her for her motherly qualities and the sunshine of her nature. She was a noble woman, and her memory is a blessed heritage for her children and friends.

The body will be brought to this city for funeral and interment.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

M. Koller of Somerset street is suffering from a bad attack of rheumatism.

Mr. Wilson of New York has succeeded Mr. Howe as instructor in Leal's School.

Mrs. Frank Morse, nee Miss Minnie Bird, is quite ill at her home in Westfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sebring, of Emily street, are visiting friends in Orange.

A. W. Waldron has gone on a western business trip, Kansas City being the central objective point.

Miss Daisy Dunn of Sandford avenue, who dislocated her elbow some time ago, is able to be out again.

Mrs. James A. Stewart, of Chatham street, is suffering from a badly sprained instep caused by a fall from a stoop.

Miss Nancy Randolph, of West Second street, and Miss Jessie Utter of East Sixth street are spending a few days in the Quaker City.

Mrs. Taylor, of East Fifth street, widow of ex-Councilman Taylor, went to Philadelphia today on business. She will soon return to visit friends.

The Social Eight will have a dance in Berkeley Heights Hall in March, when Nathan Guttman will furnish music and a number of Plainfielders attend.

Ex-Clerk and ex-Councilman James K. Arnold is a candidate before the Republican caucus to be held Friday evening for the office of Collector of North Plainfield Township.

The condition of Voorhees VanFleet, who is confined to his home on Duer street by illness, is such as to give little hope of his recovery, paralysis of both limbs having occurred.

A sleigh load of twelve merry Cranford people visited this city last night. H. P. Reynolds's pharmacy being one of the stopping-places. They had a jolly time with John Powers, and refreshed themselves on soda.

The pupils of the seventh grade of Irving School, with their teacher, Miss Van Deusen, went to Westfield by sleigh last night. Capt. William Hand was the driver and added materially to the pleasure of the party.

Louis Bond, so well and favorably known to the people of Plainfield, has accepted a position in Mr. White's dry-goods store as manager of the house-furnishing department, where he will be pleased to see his friends.

A reception will be given in Hotel Waldorf March 8 by the New York Alumni of Union College to the new President, Rev. Dr. A. V. V. Raymond, formerly of Plainfield. The formal inauguration of President Raymond will take place next June.

The funeral of the infant daughter of Alonzo T. Ayres has been postponed from this evening till tomorrow afternoon at 2. The change was made with the expectation that Mr. Ayres might return from Texas in time to attend. News was sent him Sunday before the storm, but no reply was received, as communication by telegraph has been cut off since. He arrived home this morning, however, accompanied by Alonzo Townley.

Arrested for Assault.

Michael Conley was arrested by Constable W. R. Mattox today on a warrant issued by Justice Nodyne. He is charged with assault and battery on Wm. Pangborn at the Babcock Building yesterday. John Chandler furnished $100 bail for his appearance before the grand jury.

How doth the snowflake soft and small
The wheelman's pleasure spike:
He cannot turn the wheels at all,
Nor runners put on bike.

Persons who live in the country should keep Salvation Oil, the infallible antidote for the poisonous stings of bees and wasps.

—Chris Kelzel has succeeded R. Speigel as clerk and bartender in Caspar's Hotel.

—An executive meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held this morning, preparatory to the business meeting at 4 tomorrow afternoon.

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street Price $1.

LITTLE JOHNNIE'S ERROR.

(From *The Boston Traveler.*)

Little Johnnie took a mirror,
And he licked the back all off,
Thinking, in his childish fancy,
It would cure his whooping cough.

But on the morning of the funeral
The neighbors said to Mrs. Brown:
'Twas a chilly day for Johnnie
When the mercury went down.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The street cleaners carted snow from East Front street today.

—The weather profits are now fighting to decide whose storm it was.

—Crescent Division, No. 13, K. of P., met for drill in Hulett's Hall last night.

—The police are looking for a fellow who struck a woman with a snowball yesterday.

—An important business meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in their rooms tomorrow afternoon at 3:30.

—Forty cars filled with ice were sidetracked at Grant avenue yesterday for the Plainfield Ice and Cold Storage Co.

—The liquor dealers are pouring their $750 fees into Clerk MacMurray's hands today, it being the last day for payment.

—The most valuable sleighing outfit seen on Front street yesterday afternoon carried no bells as required by ordinance.

—Policeman Giese was engaged today in informing residents of the principal streets in regard to the fine for failure to clean sidewalks.

—While Park avenue was put in excellent condition by the removal of surplus snow yesterday, the crosswalks all over the city were neglected.

—The C. Y. M. L. Jr's won the second game of the second series with the Coachmen on the Lyceum alleys last night, thus making a tie.

—The damaged dry goods in J. Goldstein's burned-out store, 128 East Front street, were removed yesterday afternoon. An adjustment will soon be made.

—Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson talks in Elizabeth this afternoon, at a temperance meeting, on the need of work to oppose the liquor traffic in Union County. Tea follows the talk.

—A sleigh containing two men and two women was overturned at the corner of Richmond and East Fifth streets yesterday afternoon. The runaway team was caught near Westfield.

—C. E. Hungerford gave an interesting talk on Coal Mining before the Young Men's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. at their meeting last evening. Five of the boys gave extemporaneous talks.

—At a regular meeting of Howell Division, No. 197, Sons of Temperance, last night, visitors were present from Welcome Division, of New Brunswick. Two candidates were nominated for membership.

—A string of shoes was stolen from the shop on Park avenue opposite North avenue yesterday. The person under suspicion of the theft was sought for by three policemen with a dark lantern in his usual haunts last night, but was not found.

—The steam from the electric-light stations last night gave the impression that fires were breaking out simultaneously in city and borough. A number of men ran some distance towards the supposed conflagrations before they found they were fooled.

—Capt. Hand's son Frank has just returned from the Indian River in Florida. While there he arranged to have all the fruit from the celebrated Dixon grove shipped in weekly installments. The fruit is very fine, and cheaper than apples. Ask your grocer for some.

—A number of amateur musicians of the Pond Machine Tool Works have formed a musical society, and are desirous of having other young men join them in perfecting a clever organization. Those interested should communicate with Frank Williams, care of the Company.

—The stormy-day experiences of Chief Doane and Inspector Chamberlain, truthfully told of in these columns, have been the subject of exaggeration by New York papers, one of which contained an exciting story this morning which Chief Doane indignantly refutes as being a lie out out of the whole cloth.

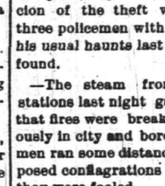
—The great variety and uniform excellence of the Huckins soups have won for them unstinted praise wherever they have been introduced. Not only the best materials, but also care, cleanliness, skill and experience enter into their composition. Nineteen different varieties are prepared. Try a can, at Rockfellow's.

—Doane's safe-deposit vault has become very popular. Heretofore it meant a trip to New York when a deed, bond or policy was wanted, or jewels required for an evening's entertainment. The lock boxes rent for from $3 50 to $10 a year, and packages are stored for from 25 cents to 50 cents a month. The vault is fireproof.

—The question of uneven sidewalks is again being discussed. Suit has been begun by Mrs. Mary McCann against Salmon C. Baker, of 444 West Fifth street, for $3,000 damages cause by a fall in front of his house, where there is a difference in the grades. W. M. Stillman is Mrs. McCann's lawyer.

AFTER THE GRIP,

pneumonia, fevers, or other debilitating diseases, your quickest way to get flesh and strength is with Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. That gives purity to your blood, and rapidly builds up lost flesh and strength.



MRS. NEAL.

Mrs. NEAL, of Crockett Mills, Tenn., had an attack of measles, followed by bronchitis and pneumonia. Her husband writes: "I feel gratified with the effect of your wonderful medicine. I can recommend it to anybody, and feel I am doing them justice. My wife was not able to perform her household duties for six months. She has used two bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and is now able to do all her work. I think it the finest medicine in the world, and I am, gratefully, your life-long friend, J. B. NEAL."

PIERCE GUARANTEES A CURE OR MONEY RETURNED.

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SCRUB and WASH as you will, it is not easy to keep the hands smooth and white in winter time. In fact, the more you scrub and wash, the rougher seems the skin, and you find that the best of soap fails to whiten it. Now if, after washing, you will moisten your hands with LEMON JUICE AND GLYCERINE, the effect will be to soften and whiten the skin, even in the worst weather. Used by hundreds of the "best people" in Plainfield. Originated and sold only by H. P. REYNOLDS, Pharmacist, Park and North avenues.

THE WEATHER.

For New Jersey: Fair and Colder Tomorrow; High Northeasterly, Shifting to Northwesterly Winds.

New Hustlers in the Grocery Trade.

Jeremiah Moore and Henry Wise, two young men in the employ of R. W. Rice & Co., grocers, corner of Duer and Emily streets, North Plainfield, are negotiating for a share of the business, and with their large circle of acquaintances and friends they will no doubt be successful in their venture. The Press takes great pleasure in recommending them to the public as honorable young men who deserve success. Their advertisement will appear in The Press in a few days. They will be "Co". of Rice & Co., Mr. Rice retaining an interest.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure For sale by L. W. Randolph 21 West Front street Price $1 00

CLAIRVOYANT.

By urgent request of her former patrons,

MRS. DR. EDWARDS,

Will remain one week longer, until Thursday morning, March 8, at 7 o'clock. Will leave positively on that date.

CITY HOTEL, ROOM 2, ONE FLIGHT UP.

See sign upstairs. Office hours 9 to 9.

Ladies 50c. to $1. Gentlemen $1.

The lady wishes to state that she stopped here by urgent request on her way west, and it is positively your last opportunity to see her. Call at once and consult the most gifted medium on earth. 2 23 1w

DEATHS.

AYERS—In this city Feb. 25, 1894, Pearl E., daughter of Alonzo T. and Ella Ayers, aged 1 year, 4 months and 2 days.
Funeral services from the residence of her parents, No. 219 Grant avenue, Thursday, March 1, at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

VAIL—At New Market, N. J., on Tuesday morning, Feb. 27, 1894, entered into rest, Duncan P. Vail, M. D., in the 65th year of his age.
Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral service on Thursday, March 1, at 10:30 a. m. 2

VAIL—At his home, Greenbrook, Somerset Co., Monday, Feb. 26, 1894, Edward B. Vail, Aged 74 years, 2 months and 7 days.
Friends and relatives are invited to attend his funeral from the Friends' Meeting House, Watchung avenue, Thursday afternoon, March 1, at 2 o'clock. 2

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ade.

WANTED—Girl for general housework; two in family. Apply 817 First place. 2 27 2

FOR SALE, rent or exchange for a farm; the place where I live at Evona, 2 blocks from depot, consisting of 5 acres, house 8 rooms, large barns, stalls for 20 horses and cows. Wallace Vail. 2 27 tf

FOR SALE or to let; Plainfield avenue near Front st; new house, 11 rooms, all improvements, electric light, open fire places; also small house, 8 rooms, all improvements. Inquire 129 Plainfield ave.

TO LET—5 rooms West 2d street, near Plainfield ave. Inquire 129 Plainfield ave., corner 2d st.

WANTED—A child to board; good home; reliable person. Address D, care Press. 2 27 2

$3,000, $1,200, $1,700 to loan on 1st mortgage at 6 per cent. Mulford, broker. 2 28 tf

TO LET—7-room house in North Plainfield; excellent location; reasonable rent. Address North, care Press. 2 28 2

WAGON wanted; to hire a light business wagon for about a month. Address Business, care Press.

FINE young cow and calf for sale. Apply to W. H. Rogers, above Washingtonville. 2 27 6

STABLE to let on East 4th street. Apply Quinn's blacksmith shop. 2 27 tf

SMALL place at moderate rent wanted in outskirts of Plainfield. Address C. W., care Press. 2 27 tf

WANTED—Desirable house in good neighborhood; moderate rent. Address "No Agents", care Press. 2 26 tf

FOR SALE or to let, house nearly new; 6 rooms; lot 40 feet front; price $2 100, rent $200. Mulford, broker. 2 26 tf

WHAT landlord has a house to rent for $20 or $25? Address with full particulars, Tenant, Lock Box 707, Plainfield, N. J. 2 26 tf

ROOM, with or without board, 145 W. 2d st. 2 24 1s

TO LET—3 rooms on first floor, 4 rooms on second floor. Apply 404 West 3d st., cor. Central avenue. 2 23 6

WANTED—Two furnished rooms, 1st floor and located on Park avenue preferred. State place, price and particulars to Emack, care Press. 2 20 tf

SITUATION wanted by young woman; office work preferred; what have you to offer? Address Good Writer, care of Daily Press. 2 26 tf

HOUSE wanted for $30 or less; improvements. Send details to Economy, care Press. 2 26 tf

MONEY wanted to invest on gilt-edge Plainfield mortgages. Chas. A. Reed att'y, National Bank Building. 10 29 tf

PLEASANT rooms with board. 212 Watchung avenue. 2 15 1m

TO LET—10 room house; modern improvements; 127 East 5th st. Apply Wm. H. Brower, 432 Watchung avenue. 1 31 tf

FOR SALE—"The Medical and Surgical History of the Late War"; 4 rare vols. Address Books, care Press. 1 20 tf

You Want the BEST.

HUCKINS SOUPS

They Have No Equal.

Highest Award. Gold medal and diploma at Wold's Fair.

Geo. W. Rockfellow,

THE GROCER, Park ave. & 4th st. 1 27 tf

FIVE ROOMS FURNISHED FOR $165.50!

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LIMITED

PRICES FOR FURNISHING ROOMS:

KITCHEN.		PARLOR.	
Range and fixtures	$13 00	Plush parlor suit	$30 00
Table	1 00	25 yards Brussels carpet, made and laid	16 25
Two chairs	80	Mirror	5 00
Oilcloth	3 00	Table	3 00
	$17 80	Parlor stove	8 00
			$62 25
DINING ROOM.			
Extension table	$5 00	BEDROOM No. 1.	
6 dining chairs	3 00	Antique bedroom suit	$19 50
12 yards ingrain carpet	6 00	16 yards ingrain carpet	6 40
Mirror	2 00	Mattress, spring and bedding complete	8 50
Lounge	6 00		$34 40
Rocker	1 75		
	$23 75		

BEDROOM No. 2.

Bedroom suit	$15 50
12 yards ingrain carpet	4 80
Mattress, spring, bedding, etc	7 00
	$27 30

Note the name Amos and No. 73 before entering the store.

Estimates cheerfully given for furnishing more or less rooms or houses with more or less expensive goods for cash or credit. Telephone 5?0. Goods delivered free of charge to any part of the State.

Amos H. Van Horn, L't'd.,

73 MARKET STREET,

Furniture store nearest Plane st., Newark. N. J. 10 10 3

59c.

A small lot of 24 Mother Hubbard night gowns, full length and width, well made, of good muslin, locked stitch, 30 small tucks and Hamburg inserting in front, Hamburg collars and Cuffs, clean, nice goods, but they are an odd lot, and you can buy them for 59c; they ought to bring 75c. Also 1 lot of Corset covers that we are overstocked with and we would rather turn them into money. You can have them for 33c, good value at 43c. They are well made, V shape in front, hemstit hed insertion and Hamburg edging. ALL WOOL (when we advertise "all wool" we don't m an half cotton) dress goods are selling well at our "Clearance Sale" prices So is our Merino Underwear, as well as hundreds of other articles that people are saving money on by buying at this sale.

In connection with this great money saving sale we are showing the finest assortment of dainty Hamburgs and wash dress fabrics we have ever shown, and that is saying a good deal, for we have always taken the lead in these goods in the past. If you want to get good goods and save money too, buy at

EDSALL'S

Great Clearance Sale of Boots & Shoes

—OVER—

8 THOUSAND PAIRS

Marked down in price. This is your opportunity if you want to get good reliable Footwear at manufacturer's prices.

DOANE & EDSALL.

OUR METHODS

AND

OUR REWARD

As to the former we would say that they are ours. Imitation is only a form of flattery and we never flatter; we make the price and it always goes, and you will notice our prices are never cut under. The people are wise enough to know where they can save money, and the amount of business we are doing tells a truthful tale.

ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE.

Our Linen Sale—Remarkable values we will offer in towelings, table linen, napkins and towels; 54 in. table linen 23c; 60 in do. 38c; fine Damask towels knotted fringe 23c; extra heavy Turkish towels 16c; dinner napkins, full size, $1.18 dozen; do., extra fine, $1.41 dozen.

Belding Black Silk—100 yds, 69c dozen, regular price $1.00.

Indigo Blue Prints—You can almost hear the prices drop on certain fines of goods. Indigo blue prints 4½c.

You see that immense pile of Amoskeag and Lancaster ginghams. Forty-seven hundred yards, and they go for 4½c per yard.

Muslins—Same price on Fruit, Dwight, Anchor and Lonsdale, 7c. per yd.

Dress Gingham Specials—About 50 pieces fine Scotch ginghams made to sell for 25c per yard; our price 15c. Almost a yard wide they are.

Wool Dress Goods—In fancys, plain and black. Special inducements we are offering in black cashmere, serges and whipcords. Have you seen those 50c. black goods we are offering for 38c?

Hosiery—You want the best stocking your money will buy. That's the kind we sell and Hermsdorf dyes them.

Housefurnishings—When you want crockery, tinware, woodenware or anything in the housefurnishing line come and see us. The best assortment and the lowest prices.

Magic City—A portfolio of original views of the Great World's Fair and its treasures of art. No. 2 now on sale. Price 10c

WHITE, of Plainfield.

F. MARGENTINO,

Retail and wholesale dealer in all kinds of CHOICE FRUITS, CONFECTIONERY, ETC. IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC CIGARS, Cider, Sodawater, Ginger ale, etc.

No. 10 Park Ave., Plainfield, N. J. Close on Friday night and open on Saturday night. 4 22 y

J. T. VAIL,

Real Estate and Insurance.

177 NORTH AVENUE.

Blue Stone Flagging, &c. 9 2 tf

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THE MODEL GROCER.

Their Watches

FLORIDA ORANGES

25, 30 and 35c. dozen.
Messina Lemons, 25 for 25c.
Tangerines, Bananas, Grape Fruit.

By His Clock.

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REDUCED FROM $3.00.

Park Avenue, Packer's Block.

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Fine China Glass

and Dinner Ware.

THE BELGIAN LAMP.

Economical Women

Understand the wisdom of cleaning and coloring. Even in good times, if the price of one dress can be made to cover two, it's certainly worth trying for.

In times not quite so good, when it is hard to spare the price for even one gown, dyeing solves the problem. It's a heap better and cheaper to pay two dollars for coloring the old blue dress than it is to pay ten dollars for a new black one.

The principle—and the practice too—is the same in men's clothes—try it.

Hillier & Co. 175 NORTH AVE.

"Seeing is Believing."

Simple, Beautiful, Good—these words me in much, but to see "The Roche ter" will impress the truth more forcibly. Its marvelous light is purer and brighter than gas light, safer than electric light, and more cheerful than either. The choicest bric-a-brac in the palace of a Vanderbilt reveals nothing finer. We have 2,700 artistic varieties, in brass, bronze, silver and black iron.

Ladies often like to go down among the large wholesale houses and buy of first hands. They will find at our salesrooms (the largest in the world) a rare collection of Art in lamps. A catalogue to send you if you cannot come.

THE ROCHESTER LAMP CO., 42 Park Place, New York City. 237 Barclay St.

"The Rochester."

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Vocal and Instrumental Instruction.

Walter A. Hudson (of New York), Voice Culture, Etc.
W. H. Miner, Piano, Boy-voice Training and Theory.
STUDIO—29 & 30 STILLMAN BUILDING, NO. 12 W. FRONT ST., PLAINFIELD, N. J.
10 8 tf

WHEN? NOW. WHERE? PARK AVE. WHO? WILLETT'S.

SPECIAL

Ladies' $2.50 Hand Welt Button reduced to Two Dollars ($2.00.)
Do you wear 2½, 4 or 7? It doesn't make any difference, we have your size.

107 PARK AVENUE.

LOTS ON THE INSTALLMENT PLAN.

J. F. MACDONALD

Has a few left over from his two auction sales

At Netherwood

There is no better time to build a house than now. Men want work; you can build cheaply and at the same time help others. 2 9 tf

HATTER HALLOCK,

109 West Front Street,

Will be pleased to show you the latest styles in Hats, whether you wish to purchase or not.

EMULSION COD LIVER OIL

WITH HYPOPHOSPHITES.

Trial size only 35c. Full pint bottle 65c. Be sure you get

LEGGETT'S, Front Street and Park Ave.

International Fur Store,

114 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J.

FURS

REPAIRED, ALTERED AND STORED.

A SONG OF THE DAY.

The horses speed on the glittering snow,
The sleighbells jingle a glad Ho Ho,
Oh happy the hearts of the double load
As they glide along o'er the county road.

Past curves romantic of Fanwood hill,
Past Westfield, Springfield, and on, on still;
No need tonight to apply the goad—
The hoofs bound eager o'er county road.

A break in the harness, impatient wait;
The moon comes up, and the hour is late;
The earth is carnival elves' abode,
And fairies romp on the county road.

The woodland, all in its ice-clad mass,
Is a jeweled forest of glistening glass;
What blessing to man that it rained and [snowed—
What blessing to him on the county road.

I can see her blushes, can read her smiles;
The horses walk on the homeward miles;
Oh, fie, Sir Cupid, their gait you've slowed;
You've played highwayman on county road.

12,000 BOOKS, FREE TO ALL.

Plainfield's Greatest Blessing the Free Public Library—A Great Thing Now, a Greater When Its Financial Fetters Are Removed.

Comparatively few of the users of Plainfield's Free Public Library have taken advantage of the opportunity offered them of knowing its resources. Many who have been living in the city for a long time are surprised to find a well-selected library of over 12,000 books. These have been carefully catalogued so that by means of this catalogue the library is now more directly available to the public than ever before.

The printed catalogue contains not only an alphabetical list of all the authors represented in the library, with their works, but the second part has the books arranged by their subjects in such a way that by consulting the index one can readily see just what the library has on every subject. There is also included an alphabetical list of the books of fiction and romance, as well as a full list of books especially suitable for the younger readers, making a book of over 370 pages.

To publish this list cost the library over $750, or a little over $1. As the amount received by taxation is but $3,000 for the whole support of the library, including salaries, fuel, gas, new books, periodicals, binding, insurance, printing, repairs, and various incidentals, it will readily be seen that the library is not in a position to give away its catalogues. This extra expense then must be met by those who use and appreciate the library. The price has been fixed by the Board of Trustees at $1 a copy, or with the half-leather binding at $1.50.

Beside the advantages and convenience in owning one's own catalogue, there is also a great saving of time, in being able to select from one's list at home what is wanted to read, rather than to wait the turn at the library for the reading-room copies.

But apart from these considerations, public-spirited citizens of Plainfield owe to the institution their hearty support in any measure tending to increase its usefulness. The library is undoubtedly doing a good work in Plainfield as its statistics show. Each year the circle of its influence is wider than the preceding year. No other institution, the public schools not excepted, has it in its power to reach so varied a class as a free public library, when it is heartily supported. For the library is for all, for the grown man as well as the child, the workingman as well as the student.

How well it fulfills its mission, however, depends not only on its administrators, but on the public generally. A free public library means not only that it is free to the public, but that it is supported by the public. And therefore if in answer to the demand of the public the library administrators decide on a measure intended to increase its usefulness, they ought certainly to receive the hearty support of its constituents and the public generally.

Those who would like to see various changes in the Plainfield Library, more new books, longer hours, Sunday opening, etc., must remember that none of these things, however desirable, can be done without money, and each one should see that he has done his or her part in supporting the library in what it is already doing before he proposes changes which cannot but necessitate a greater outlay of money than the small income of the library warrants.

RARICK'S ROLLICKING RIDE.

The Popular Central Conductor Comes to Grief, But He Makes His Train and Smilingly Lifts the Tickets As Though Nothing Happened.

Conductor Rarick thought to take advantage of the fine sleighing yesterday, and he did it. Accompanied by his wife and Rev. A. L. Martine and daughter, he drove from Dunellen to Plainfield with Mr. Martine's horse and sleigh. Mr. Rarick being a noted "whip", was intrusted with the ribbons, and well did he fulfill his mission, until the car track on Grant avenue was intersected, and then —alas—

Horse fell—sleigh fell—
Horse, he had the best of it;
They all fell together—
Rarick very hard.
Man got the coat tail
Car-track had the rest of it,
And he left his natty uniform
Between the switch and guard.

Fortunately, no one but the driver was seriously injured, so after Mr. Rarick had collected what remained of the sleigh he borrowed a wagon from the Pond Machine Tool Works, and, loading the derelict thereon, drove back to Dunellen silently and alone. The other members of the party returned on the train.

Mr. Rarick, being obliged to be in Jersey City to bring out the 5:15 train, hurried the horse homeward, and it is said that the animal nearly upset him again, but by excellent horsemanship the rig in its entirety was finally brought to Mr. Martine's stable in safety.

When asked for an explanation of the accident, the reply was: "I am accustomed to handling all kinds of horses, but having such a precious load I was naturally nervous, and that's how it happened—tickets!"

WOMEN TALK ON EVOLUTION.

Growth of Government Discussed by the Plainfield Branch Alliance.

A monthly meeting of the Plainfield Branch Alliance of Unitarian and Other Christian Women was held in All Souls Church yesterday at 3 p. m. Much interest was show in the subject under discussion, "The Evolution of Family Life".

Mrs. D. W. Pond read a paper treating of the different forms of the human family. Miss M. B Brown and Mrs. H. B. Wells followed with selections relating to the moulding influences of barbarism and various institutions of ancient and modern life. Mrs. S. B. Krom presented an essay on domestic animals, discussing their value to us and our treatment of them. Articles were read concerning the college woman in family life and the joy of living. "The Uses of Culture" was the subject of an excellent paper written and read by Miss Emily Sandford.

Miss Jane M. Slocum, of New York, then gave her lecture on "The Origin and Growth of Government" and treated the subject historically, tracing the evolution of the State from the family.

The lecturer started with John Fiske's definition, "Government is the directing or managing of such affairs as concern all the people alike".

Among the points she brought out were:

History tells us that the government was first established in the family, the father acting as a priest and king. Evolution into the house and tribe followed, and from a union of tribes came the ancient State. At that time religion exerted an important influence in the managing of affairs of State.

A man's birth determined his station in life, in much the same way as caste does in India. A ruler in ancient times had power over a people, his kingdom not being defined by geographical limits as at present. Cities began as centres where the king or priest lived, and where the people gathered for worship.

At first by mutual consent some efficient warrior wielded the power over consolidated tribes; but jealousies arising it finally became necessary to use the ballot to choose a leader.

The history of the development of the government of our Anglo-Saxon ancestors is a repetition of the growth of a family to a common wealth. A settlement of a clan made a township; of a tribe, a shire or country; of a number of united tribes, a state or kingdom.

The influence of the feudal system tended to produce several changes. Under this system warlike chiefs gathered marauding bands and broke up neighborly relationship by their trips through Europe, conquering, dividing and settling. It evolved a new centralizing force, for conquering chiefs settled on captured territory and by the natural course of evolution became dominating powers. Two radical changes were brought about: land became property by feudal tenure, personal allegiance took the place of family ties.

Thanks for Plainfield's Hospitality.

At a meeting of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., last evening, the regular business was transacted. The special committees asked for more time to consider their subjects. Interest in the proposed camp of Sons of Veterans is increasing.

The following resolutions were received from Secretary A. S. Hill, of Trenton:

WHEREAS: The fourth annual reunion of the Veteran Association Second Regiment, New Jersey Volunteer Cavalry being held in the city of Plainfield, N. J., February 22, 1894.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Association are hereby extended to Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., of Plainfield, for their kindness and hospitality, and the generous manner in which they received and entertained the Veteran Association Second Regiment, New Jersey Volunteer Cavalry.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., of Plainfield, N. J.

A Loving and Devoted Husband.

WHEREAS, Our Heavenly Father in His infinite wisdom has seen fit to call to final rest while yet in full vigor of his manhood and amidst the active duties of life our beloved officer and dear friend Charles P. Leggett; therefore be it

Resolved, That while we, the members of Alert Hose Co. No. 1, bow in submission to the Divine Will, we with tender hearts extend to the bereaved wife and children of our departed friend our deepest sympathy for their great loss, that of a loving and devoted husband and father.

Resolved, That these resolutions be placed upon the minutes of our company, a copy engrossed and sent to the bereaved family, and published in the Plainfield daily papers.

A. SALTZMAN,
E. E. ANTHONY,
JOS. L. MOORE,
Committee.

Parks Lose Their Last.

The final tournament game of the Park Club was lost last night to the E. A. C's as follows:

E. A. C.		PARK.	
Fleming	151	Lyman	144
Davis	129	Sandford	130
Russ	161	McCutchen	149
Barber	130	Hegeman	147
Lane	152	Randolph	201
Pepin	150	Chapman	161
Morrell	179	Brown	159
Hellner	157	Worth	196
Kline	161	Thiers	153
Dimock	198	Matthews	158
	1557		1505

Laugh and Retain Your Self-Respect.

Primrose & West's "Monte Carlo", which will be presented to Plainfield theatre-goers next Monday night, in Music Hall, is not a feast of reason, but, as the author states, a feast of fun, prepared for those who insist that they shall not be asked to laugh at the price of their self-respect. The entertainment embraces the rollicking fun of minstrelsy, the pretty faces of burlesque, the melody of grand opera and the handsome stage settings of a Parisian spectacle. The company is a large one.

For biliousness and all other conditions resulting from constipation, go by the book on Beecham's pills.

Book free, pills 25c. At drugstores, or write to B F Allen Co, 365 Canal st, New York.

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A WAIL FROM WASHINGTONVILLE.

(*By Little Brother.*)

Sister Mary's been a-sleighin',
With her cousin Joe,
He'd been courtin' her sence hayin'—
Sech a bashful beau.

Plainfield to, they druv—not back—
Fur his cake's all dough:
Got caught in the trolley track,
Dumped her in the snow.

EVENINGS IN GRACE.

Special Choral Services Planned that Will Delight and Refresh the Multitude.

Grace P. E. Church is sure to be thronged next Sunday night. The full choral vesper service, without sermon, will attract a multitude. Father Staunton of the Church of St. Mary the Virgin, New York, will be the officiant, and the service will be beautiful and impressive.

The following Sunday, March 11, a sermon will be given at the evening service by Rev. David H. Greer of St. Bartholomew's, New York. Palm Sunday evening, March 18, the choral litany will be sung by Father E. C. Johnson, assistant priest of the Church of the Redeemer, New York. A Sunday-school festival will be given Easter Sunday.

A LYCEUM THAT IS ALIVE.

It Will Exhibit Its Talents Saturday Night.

The High School Lyceum will hold its third annual public meeting next Saturday evening at 8. Of the societies connected with the school the Lyceum is the most enterprising and useful. It was founded in December, 1890, by a few of the members of the upper classes of the High School. New members were added and the society gradually grew, until, early in '92, the idea of a public meeting was suggested, the suggestion was carried out and the meeting proved very satisfactory. Encouraged with this success a mock session of the United States Senate and a mock trial were held in the spring and both were much enjoyed.

In the next year another public meeting was held which was even more successful than the first and in March of the same year a second mock trial was given. This winter the third anniversary was celebrated with appropriate exercises, and on Feb. 16 a largely attended St. Valentine's Day meeting was held, original valentines by a large number of the members were read and illustrations to some displayed. A mock trial, to be held sometime in April, is now in preparation. This year the Lyceum intend that their public meetings shall surpass those of previous years.

The programme for Saturday evening's meeting will consist of an essay by Champlain L. Riley, '94, a declamation by Fred W. Goddard, '94, and a discussion on the influence of Literature and Science upon Civilization, by John C. Whiting, '93, and C. Minturn Smith, '95. The Lyceum Quartette, composed of S. N. Marsh, '95, Edward Clark, '95, T. D. Blair, '95, and H. B. Drake, '95, will render several selections, while the Symphony Orchestra, led by P. Ludwig Conde, will also assist. Admission is by ticket, which may be procured from the members or at the Public Library.

Trade Temple Team Winning Fame.

The ten-men-team of the Board of Trade won new fame by defeating a celebrated club, the Americus, of Newark, last night. Five of the visitors composed a team which scored 935 in a game Monday evening. For three frames it appeared as if the Newark club would sustain their reputation, but the home team went ahead in the fourth. The game started late, as the trip from Newark was made by sleigh.

The score:

BOARD OF TRADE.		AMERICUS.	
Teel	175	Heltzman	149
Titsworth	106	Woodland, A. J.	118
Petrie	145	Booth	139
Stephenson	142	Slee	166
Maltby	163	Erandoff	125
Barnes	222	Woodland, W. V.	146
Buckle	149	Cook	150
Kenney	158	Kolb	159
Davis	128	Manners	142
Doane	137	Hoffman	153
	1525		1447

BY FRAMES:

B. of T.....121,266,406,542,707,854,1037,1204,1367,1525
Americus.137,276,412,536,670,811, 972,1141,1290,1447

Sixth Street Social Sleighing.

Members of the Sixth Street Social Club made up a merry sleighing party last night. Scotch Plains, Fanwood and New Market were visited, refreshments being enjoyed at the home of the Misses Coriell in New Market. The party included the Misses Giles, the Misses Jenkins, Miss Henrietta Cummings, the Misses Hockridge, Miss Lottie Messerschmidt, the Misses Coriell, Miss Mabel Darling, Miss Mabel Moore, and William Moore, William Morrison, Edward Laing, Bert Demarest, Jud Giles, Charles Smith, Frank Clarkson, Harry Jenkins, Bert Steiner, William Haven, and Messrs. Stimpson and Randolph.

Opera singers and public speakers can keep their voices clear and strong with the family remedy, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

President Thompson.

The officers elected at the meeting of the Young Men's League in Hope Chapel Monday night were:

President—David Thompson.
Vice-president—Fred Schomp.
Secretary—William Vreeland.
Treasurer—Walter Mague.

No Operation Advised.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—As Mr. Leggett's physician I make the following statement to correct a false rumor.

Mr. Leggett, in his delirium, had conceived the idea that an operation was to be performed on him; but no operation was advised by Dr. Endicott, nor was any performed. D. C. ADAMS.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell; 25c., 50c. and $1. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by J. D. Mallinson, 205 North Ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

Shiloh's Cure, the great cough and croup cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains 20 doses, only 10 cents. Children like it. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North ave., Plainfield, N. J., opp. railroad station.

JUNIORS RALLY.

Union Meeting Held in the Rooms of Somerset Council, No. 104, by the Councils of This District and Other Members.

A union meeting of the Councils of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics, of this district, was held in the rooms of Somerset Council, No. 104, West Front street, last evening. The district includes Plainfield, North Plainfield, Dunellen, New Market, Bound Brook and Westfield. Councils from Somerville, Raritan, Neshanic and New Providence were also represented by delegates.

District Deputy State Councilor James D. Anderson, of Somerset, No. 104, presided, the State and National officers occupied seats on his right, and the Past Councilors present on his left. Rev. J. W. Richardson made a very appropriate address of welcome.

Among the prominent members of the order present were State Vice Councilor P. Hall Packer, of Seabright, Deputy National Council Dr. J. J. Reed, of Seabright, Dr. J. S. Smith, President of the Board of Directors of the New Jersey Funeral Benefit Association, of Long Branch, and District Deputy State Councilor William B. LaRue, of Bound Brook.

Two candidates were initiated during the evening by a well-equipped and well-trained team under the command of District Deputy State Councilor James D. Anderson. Candidates Viegard and Benedict were the victims.

After the initiation speeches were in order and a representative of each Council responded, after which the three hundred members present were invited to the banquet room where a bountiful repast was served.

On exhibit in the room was a model school-house, with a Bible placed therein, and the Stars and Stripes waving from a flag staff upon it.

STUDENTS DO SHAKESPEARE.

High School Chapel the Scene of Clever Impersonations.

The Senior Class of the High School held Shakespearean exercises in the school chapel this morning, at which the following programme was given:

Singing—"Hark, Hark, My Soul".....School
Singing—"Morning Invitation."

From Merchant of Venice.
Act 1, Scene 1—A Street in Venice.

Antonio.....J. W. Kirkner
Salarino.....Walter Raynolds
Salanio.....Albert Woltmann
Bassanio.....F. W. Goddard
Lorenzo.....Nathan Lane
Gratiano.....H. C. Wells

Selection—"Ocean".....Quartette
Miss Mabel Mitchell, '94; Miss Alice Thompson, '96; Henry B. Drake, '95, Thomas D. Blair, '95.

From Merchant of Venice.
Scene 2—Portia's House.

Nerissa.....Miss Mabel Mitchell
Portia.....Miss Phebe D. Lovell

Singing—"Sleep, Lady, Sleep".....School

From Merchant of Venice.
Act 4. Scene 1—Portia's speech before the Court.....Miss Elsie Horne

Selection—"The Zephyr".....Chorus
Miss Mabel Mitchell, '94; Miss Alice Needham, '94; Miss Alice Thompson, '96; Champlain S. Riley, '94; Henry B. Drake, '95; Thomas D. Blair, '95.

Julius Cæsar.
Act 3. Scene 2—Antony's Tribute to Cæsar, Miss Florence Smith

Singing—"Their Native Land".....School

Julius Cæsar.
Act 4. Scene 3—Within the Tent of Brutus in the Camp near Ardis.

Brutus.....Albert Woltmann
Cassius.....C. S. Riley

Singing—"The Watch on the Rhine".....School

All, including the visitors, enjoyed the exercises thoroughly, and gave especial praise to the "Portia's House" and the "Tent of Brutus" scenes.

Ask Your Druggist for It.

Such strong proofs of the cures made by Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy have been brought to public notice by the various newspaper investigations, that it has become the standard medicine for the diseases for which it is prepard.

Dr. G. H. Ingraham, of Amsterdam, N. Y., states where the regular prescriptions used in a case of kidney disease and gravel utterly failed, he prescribed Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, and it cured the patient.

Dr. W. Smith, of Jewett's Heights, N. Y., prescribed Favorite Remedy for Mrs. Casper Brooks, of Athens, N. Y., who was suffering from kidney disease, ulceration of the stomach; after the second day, steady improvement was noted and final permanent recovery.

Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy acts directly upon the kidneys, liver and blood in cases of nervousness, dyspepsia, rheumatism and Bright's disease; it has made most pronounced cures, after all other treatments have failed.

Funeral of George F. Cannif.

The funeral of the late George F. Cannif, of Duer street, took place this morning at 10:30 from Grace M. E. Church. The services were performed by Rev. Mr. Randolph, pastor of the church, who preached a very touching sermon from the last clause of the 20th verse of the 28th chapter of St. Matthew: "Lo, I with you alway, even unto the end of the world". The floral tributes were very handsome. Sepulture will be made in Elizabeth.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY—"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 25c. Sold by H. P. Reynolds, druggist, Plainfield. 12 6 28m

2,000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from G. W. Mason, Fartus, Ills., says: "I consider your Bronchial Syrup one of the best cough remedies on the market. I have been in the drug business fourteen years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal satisfaction." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents.

Cut Roses, Carnations, Violets.

Flowers furnished for weddings, funerals, etc., in bunches, bouquets or design.

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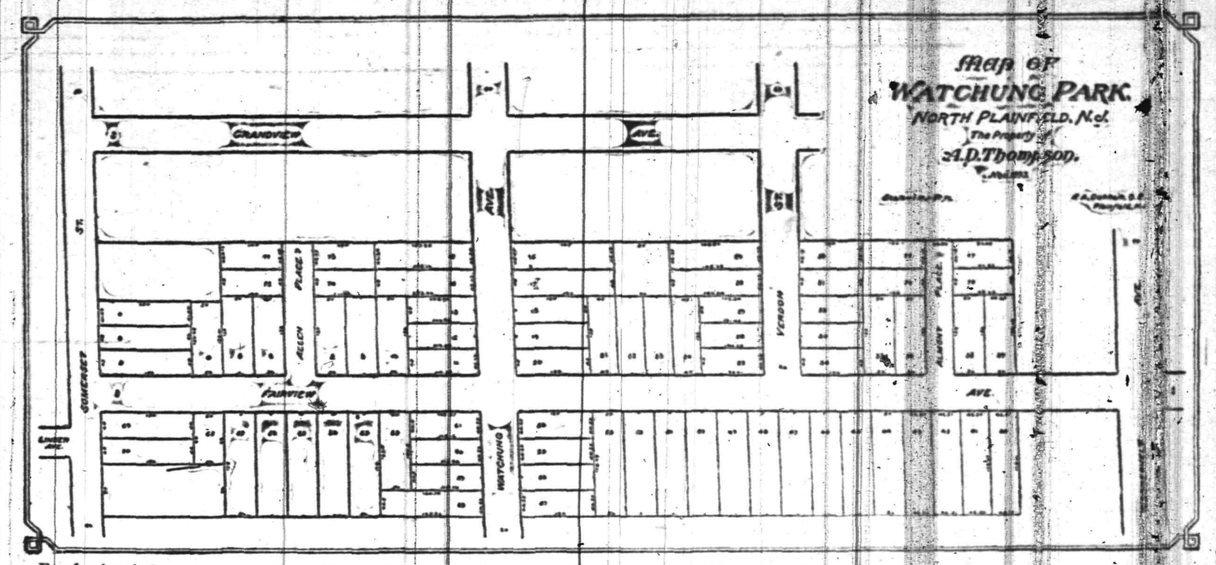
THE NEW WATCHUNG PARK, with its new streets and avenues, will be among the handsomest residence sections in this pretty suburban place.
ONLY HIGH GRADE RESIDENCES will be erected. The neighborhood will be restricted, making it as desirable as any in Plainfield.
ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS will be in force by early spring. The work of macadamizing the streets is now being pushed rapidly.
ELECTRIC CARS pass the property. Electric lights, gas and city water will be introduced as soon in the spring as they are needed.
SCORES OF BEAUTIFUL HOMES now fronting on Sandford and Westervelt avenues have been located on the Crescent's ball field.
JUST AS PROPERTY VALUES jumped in Sandford and Westervelt avenues, so they will also increase rapidly in Watchung Park. Those who buy now will reap the benefit of an early investment.
THE LOTS are about 50x150 feet in size, and the printed map of the property will give the public necessary information as to their location.



For further information regarding prices and terms, copies of the above map, etc., address or call upon

A. D. THOMPSON,
147 North avenue, opposite railroad station, Plainfield, N. J.

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BY THE WAY.

—A new German singing society was organized in Somerville last week. F. W. Steins of this city was chosen as leader. The society has thirty active members.

—The newly-organized class for beginners in applied mechanics will meet in the Y. M. C. A. rooms tomorrow evening. Walter S. Timmis, who is the instructor in the advanced class, is in charge.

—The promissory-note case of Charles Bock against Henry Ruppert was tried in Justice Nash's Court yesterday afternoon. W. L. Hetfield was counsel for the plaintiff, and W. R. Codington for the defendant. Decision was reserved for a week.

—Headaches in eight cases out of ten are caused by eye strain. This can be removed in nearly every case by properly-fitted glasses. To obtain these is generally a difficult matter. In order that the people of this vicinity may secure the services of a competent person, Messrs. Leech, Stiles & Co., the Philadelphia eye specialists, have arranged for one of the firm to visit this city at regular intervals. Consultation and examination are free. He will be found at 7 East Front street tomorrow, from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

To Drape Their Charter.

At a regular meeting of Queen City Lodge No. 226, I. O. O. F., held the 26th day of February, 1894, the following resolutions were adopted by the Lodge:

WHEREAS, It hath pleased Almighty God in His all-wise Providence to remove from our midst our Brother, Charles P. Leggett, therefore be it

Resolved, That as we bow in humble submission to the will of Him who doeth all things well, we will remember He does not willingly afflict the children of men, but rather that this affliction shall work for them a far exceeding and greater weight of glory.

Resolved, That we extend our affectionate sympathy to the widow and family, and commend them for strength and support to Him who has promised to be the God of the widow and a father to the fatherless, and be it further

Resolved, That as a token of respect to our deceased brother we drape our charter for a period of thirty days; that these resolutions be published in the Plainfield daily papers and a copy be sent to the family of our late brother.

LEWIS R. BLACKFORD,
JOSEPH E. MOSHER,
L. S. POCOCK,
Committee.

A YOUNG GIRL'S FORTUNE.

AN INTERESTING SKETCH.

Nothing appeals so strongly to a mother's affection as her daughter just budding into womanhood. Following is an instance: "Our daughter, Blanche, now 17 years of age, had been terribly afflicted with nervousness, and had lost the entire use of her right arm. She was in such a condition that we had to keep her from school and abandon her music lessons. In fact, we feared St. Vitus dance, and are positive but for an invaluable remedy she would have had that terrible affliction. We had employed physicians, but she received no benefit from them. The first of last August she weighed but 75 pounds, and although she has taken only three bottles of Nervine she now weighs 108 pounds; her nervousness and symptoms of St. Vitus dance are entirely gone, she attends school regularly, and studies with comfort and ease. She has recovered complete use of her arm, her appetite is splendid, and no money could procure for our daughter the health Dr. Miles' Nervine has brought her.

When my brother recommended the remedy I had no faith in patent medicines, and would not listen to him, but as a last resort he sent us a bottle, we began giving it to Blanche, and the effect was almost immediate."—Mrs. R. R. Bullock, Brighton, N. Y.

Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is sold by all druggists on a positive guarantee, or sent direct by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind., on receipt of price, $1 per bottle, six bottles for $5, express prepaid. It is positively free from opiates or dangerous drugs.

Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 205 North Avenue, opp. station

The Puzzle Solved.

Perhaps no local disease has puzzled and baffled the medical profession more than nasal catarrh. While not immediately fatal it is one of the most nauseous and disgusting ills the flesh is heir to, and the records show very few or no cases of radical cure of chronic catarrh by any of the many modes of treatment until the introduction of Ely's Cream Balm a few years ago. The success of this preparation has been most gratifying and surprising. No druggist is without it.

—Frank Hand and Harry Carey were made members of the Independent Fife and Drum Corps at their meeting last night. There are now thirty enrolled, eighteen active, and twelve associate. The annual report of the treasurer showed that all bills had been paid, and that $61 remained in the bank, besides the money in the treasury.

How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

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Monday, March 5.

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Although they have taken the large ad ous of the paper they are fully prepared to furnish every article as was advertised and others added.

25 Yards of Wash Embroidery Silk for 10 Cents.

Allen Will Give Every Customer 50c. Worth of Goods Free.

You pay $1 and receive $1.50 worth of the following standard selected wares:—1 large ink or pencil tablet 10c; 2 bottles best black ink, 5c., 10c; 1 bottle Bixby's Royal Polish, ladies' shoes, 10c; 1 package 1,000 sheets toilet paper 10c; 1 bottle best mucilage 5c; 1 can Royal Tooth Powder, nothing better, 10c; 1 good tooth brush 10c; 1 patent lamp chimney cleaner, revolving kind, 10c; 1 bottle good cologne 10c; 1 box 2,500 tooth picks 5c; 1 crystal glass sugar bowl, a beauty, 25c; 1 Heather sink brush 5c; 2 Japanese lamp shades very pretty, 5c. each, 10c; 2 packages lead pencils, 5c. to package, 1 with rubbers, 5c. each, 10c; 1 wire meat fork, very useful, 5c; 3 Japanese straw mats for hot dishes or lamps 5c; total $1.50. Take the whole lot for $1.00.

The 5 & 10c. Store, 202 West Front Street.

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Profanity Won't Prevent It.

All the "cuss-words" you can think of won't improve your laundry work if you take it to a second-grade place. "Language" won't keep the linen whole, when the washer uses alkaline soap and harmful bleaches.

Satisfaction and economy await you in our Laundry Department. We know the faults of others and avoid them. Work called for and delivered.

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Paint, Oils and Varnishes, Fine Stationery, Artist's Materials. Agent for Remington and Ariel Cycles. Prices for all goods are as low as can be made and pay for goods. Work done in a first-class manner. Call and see the new wheels. Agent for J. & J. Dobson Carpets. A full line of fine Smyrna and Saxony Rugs.

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—ELY'S CREAM BALM—Cleanses the Nasal Passages, Allays Pain and Inflammation, Heals the Sores, Restores Taste and Smell, and Cures

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Gives Relief at once for Cold in Head.
Apply into the Nostrils. It is Quickly Absorbed.
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ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT—Notice is hereby given that the account of the subscriber, administrator of Katharine Sauermann, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the seventh day of February next.

FREDERICK J. SAUERMANN,
Dated November 20, 1893. 12 7 10-usw

NOTICE. February, 7, 1894.

Estate of Bernhardt B Gray, deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the county of Union, this day made, on the application of the undersigned, executrix of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from this date, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

EMMA M. GRAY,
Executrix.
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—Life.

Down In Arkansas.

"Well, Jim, how's the ague?"

"Didn't I tell you about that? Why, I went into old man Sharp's field one night about a week ago, and the old man got up and loaded his gun in the dark, and cuss me if he didn't blow me full of two grain quinine pills. I hain't had an ache nor shake since."—Life.

Not a Bit Dangerous.

Landlord (of the Traveler's Rest)—See that feller over there? Doorin the past year he has plugged no less than six men right on the street.

Tender Foote—I should think the community would not allow so dangerous a man to run at large.

Landlord—Lord bless your soul, man! There ain't a bit of danger in him to the community. He never hits nobedy but the man he shoots at.—Puck.

"Not Like Other Girls."

Making a Complete Job.

O'Guff—Oi'd loike yez to half sole an heel thim shoes.

Cobbler (examining the articles)—They'll not stand it. The uppers are all worn out.

O'Guff—Oh, phwell! 'Put new uppers on thim too!—Truth.

Exciting Wonder.

Helen Hyler—Do you know it is reported we are engaged?

Jack Lever—Has any one congratulated you yet?

Helen Hyler—No, but several people have asked me if I were really going to marry you.—Puck.

An Original Idea.

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Extenuating.

"Why, you told me you hated Jack!"

"Oh, that was before he proposed."—Life.

Hope.

He (pathetically)—And can't you give me one little word of hope—something to look forward to?

She—Why, yes. You will be in love with another girl in less than a week.—Truth.

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PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 50, 8, 8 45 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, 11 24, A. M., 12 06, 1, 3 07, 3 32, 4 04, 4 50, 5 54, 7 02, 8 49, 10 17, 11 38 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 28, A. M., 12 32, 1 42, 3 30, 5 36, 7 03, 8 25, 8 52, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 18, 7 18, 7 55, 8 39, 9 10, 10 05, 11 35 A.M., 1 15, 1 55, 2 30 Saturday only, 3 04, 3 35, 4 06, 4 35, 5 05, 5 35, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25 P.M. Sunday—7 30, 8 48, 9 50, 11 35, A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 7 20, 9 28, 10 20 P. M.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m. 12 43 2 09, 3 32, 5 45, 4 36, 5 05, 6 14, 8 34, 6 04, 6 30, 8 38, 7 12, 7 36 8 17, 10 26, 11 08, P. M. 12 28 night Sunday—5 45, 8 28, 9 34, A.M., 2 08, 3 36, 4 6 36, 10 16, 11 14 P.M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 35, 7 35, 7 48, 8 20, 9 05, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 48, 3 05, 3 35, 4 25, 5 28, 6 35, 8 28, 8 46, 11 08, P. M. Sunday 2 25, 11 00 A. M., 12 08, 1 15, 5 05, 6 35, 8 08, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A.M., 12 43, 2 09, 5 05, 5 14, 8 38, 8 17 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 28 A. M. 2 08, 8 38, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 53, A.M., 12 32, 4 04, 7 25 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a m 5 05, 5 14 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 43 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazleton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 43 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

3 09 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Bangor Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

8 17 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin Williamsport, &c., 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, High Bridge Branch, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 8 57 a. m. 1 14p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 8 57, 8, 11 24, a. m. 1.14, 4 01, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 57, 8 52, 8, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, 5 54, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 57, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 57, 8, 11 24 a. m., 1 14, 4 01, p. m.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 38*, 10 45, a. m., 12 43, 2 09*, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 17*, p. m., 1 17 night, Sunday—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 08*, 8 17 p. m., 1 17 night.

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Sundays—4 10, 9 45, 11 31 a.m., 3 50*, 6 00, 8 35 p. m., 12 10 night.

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Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 4 58, 9 07, 10 25, a.m. 12 12*, 2 10, 4 10*, 5 34, 9 13 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 58, 10 27 a. m. 12 13*, 4 32 6 49*, 9 15 p. m.

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For Woodbridge—1 38, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59 a. m., 12 36, 3 20, 4 48, 5 44, 6 12, 7 18 and 9 54 p. m., 12 26 night, week-days. Sundays, 1 38, 10 25, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—1 38, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59 a. m. 3 20, 4 48, 5 44, 6 12, 7 18 and 9 54 p. m. night, week-days. Sundays, 1 38, 11 47 a m., 10 14 p. m.

For South Amboy—4 08, 8 06 a. m., 12 46, 5 44 7 37 p. m. Sundays, 8 53, 10 25 a. m., 5 44 p. m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 105, 3 39 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—3 00, 5 37, 7 10, 7 59 9 05, 9 41, 10 08, 11 43 A. M.; 1 05, 1 37, 2 48, 5 08, 6 37, 7 46, 9 44, 9 03 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 5 59, 9 05 9 41, 10 08, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 03 P. M.

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For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 48 P. M.

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For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m., 4 38, 5 08 p. m., via Monmouth Junction, week-days.

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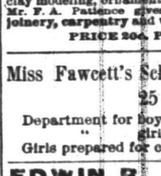
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